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FIRE AND A RUNAWAY.

The Department Has a Brave Tussle with Burning Acid and Gasolene.

A young man from Dunellen ran into T. J. Carey's office on Front street last evening and said there was a fire on Washington avenue. He wanted the key to Box 42 to send in the alarm, but Mr. Carey thought he would better attend to it himself, which he did.

When he pulled the box the steam gong sounded only two blows, although the alarm went into the various house gongs all right and the department responded quickly.

A few minutes later Chief Doane sent Inspector Herbert Chamberlain to adjust the valve in the whistle. He then pulled the box again, and the alarm sounded all right.

The fire was in a small frame building situated on Washington avennue near Front street, owned by Christopher Becker, and leased by G. O. Keller as a dyeing establishment.

Mr. Keller was at the place at 6, and left soon afterward when he claims everything was all right. After supper he joined some friends and spent the evening with them in North Plainfield and did not return home till nearly midnight, and knew nothing of the fire till 8 this morning when a little girl told him.

In the building was a considerable amount of chemicals, a barrel of gasoline near the boiler, an engine, boiler and various other goods valued altogether at $800, on which there was $600 insurance, held by Agent M. M. Dunham. Agent W. A. Woodruff held a policy for Mr. Becker on the building.

The fire started in the second story of the building, and is supposed to have been caused by heat from the boiler breaking a carboy of acid.

The department after an hour of hard work succeeded in extinguishing the fire, though everything in the building is a loss. The firemen had a fierce battle against the acid and gasolene.

When Driver Townley of Alert hose wagon had arrived at the Washington avenue bridge he left the team standing. David Dunavan was on the wagon putting on his boots. Just then a stream of water struck one of the horses and frightened them into a run. Mr. Dunavan in attempting to get hold of the reins was thrown off, but not injured. The team went on to Rockview, Mercer, Sycamore, and Willow avenues, and came back to Washington avenue, where a young man named Cornwell, jumped on the seat and stopped them. The right hind wheel of the wagon was sprung a little, and one of the side lamps was smashed.

The recall was sounded about 11:30.

Men Not Willing to Accept.

Rev. Mr. McKelvey of Warren Chapel preached in Grace M. E. Church last night from the words, "If they will not believe Moses and the Prophets, neither will they be persuaded though one rose from the dead". He said we had already in God's Word all that one from the dead could tell us about God, or salvation. Miracles in the days of Moses and of Christ did not convince many and they would not now. Sufficient unto our salvation is revealed to us in the Bible, and the difficulty with men is that they are not willing to accept it. There was a large and interested congregation.

The Rev. Mr. Kinsey of Dunellen will preach to morrow night a sermon appropriate to children.

Humbled Jane's Pride.

A good old woman whose relatives figured in the colonial history of the country now resides with her son's family in the borough. Her eyesight, while good, became a little twisted a few days ago. The good grandma's daughter-in-law had been cleaning her silverware, and had tastily decorated the sideboard with the polished brightness. The elder housewife, coming into the dining room, remarked: "My, Jane, however did you clean that tinware so nice! I haint seen tinware shine like that sence Deborah's time!" Deborah was a cousin to the old lady, and has been dead over forty years.

Lots o' Rock Near Warrenville.

The Press some time ago mentioned the discovery of a quarry on Squire Austin's farm at Warrenville. The Press could also say without fear of contradiction that on several farms to the west of the above-mentioned find there are numerous places where blue, red, and sand stone could be quarried profitably.

Needs Replacing.

Time and the elements are fast sapping the fibre from the big stick that acts as a junction-pole for the telephone company on Somerset street, corner of Pearl.

The experience of Geo. A. Apgar, of German Valley, N. J., is well worth remembering. He was troubled with chronic diarrhoea and doctored for five months and was treated by four different doctors without benefit. He then began using Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, of which one small bottle effected a complete cure. It is for sale at Reynolds's pharmacy, Park and North aves. T. S. Armstrong, manager.

JERSEY'S GREAT CEDAR MINE.

Logs that Have Lain Uninjured in a Swamp for Ages—The Mine is at Dennisville and Has Been Worked for Three-Quarters of a Century — What Preserved the Timber?

The mining of cedar has been going on in Dennisville, Cape May County, for three-quarters of a century or over, but few Jerseymen seem to be aware of it, although the fact has been exploited in the newspapers from time to time. When one speaks of mining cedar the impression usually is that petrified cedar is meant. It is nothing of the sort. Ages and ages ago a forest of cedar trees waved its multitudinous branches in the breezes about Cape May. They were superb monarchs of the forest, many of them, and they met their death in some violent manner. They fell prostrate, perhaps, through the agency of some terrific storm, and perhaps through some tremendous earthquake.

At all events, they did not rot away, but were laid low in their prime, these stalwart cedars. One theory is that the forest was once of wide extent, and that it stood in a lake of swamp or fresh water. Then say Dr. Maurice Beasley and Clarence Deming, geologists of standing in the lower part of the State, either the half-submerged land on which the forest stood sank lower and the trees collapsed into the lake or swamp, or else the sea burst the barrier which had separated it from the trees and rushing down upon them wrecked widespread destruction. Possibly, the tumult of the inrushing ocean was sufficient to overturn the gigantic trees by the force of its waves and by the undermining of their roots, but they may have been done to the death in a more gradual way—by the destruction of their life at the roots by the salt water.

Down they all went, however, into the soft muck in which their roots were imbedded, sinking deeper by reason of their tremendous weight. The mould of centuries of leaves closed over them as if they had been babes in the woods, and the festive plethiosaurus and the melancholy pterodactyl knew them no more. After life's fitful fever they slept well, and if trees have any sense of feeling and subtle inner consciousness the grim old fellows must have thought it was all up with them. But it was not so to be. The resurrection time began away back in the year 1812 when some prosaic South Jerseyman, delving in the earth, hit upon a cedar log and brought it out to the light of day. To the surprise of everyone it was found to be in a fine state of preservation. It had been successfully protected from decay by the peculiar qualities of the soil about it—one of the strange accidents of nature which set scientists agape every now and then. It did not take long for the natives to reason that there might be more logs of the same sort in the vicinity. So they went about plunging an iron rod into the soil. When the rod struck something hard, and after they had satisfied themselves that the substance was wood and not stone, they attacked the earth with their shovels and soon would have another cedar laid bare. Practically the same process is pursued to this day, and thousands of feet of excellent timber have been procured since the mining of cedar began.

The trees often lie over one another and sometimes in heaps, as dead men lay on some of the battlefields in the Civil War. The miner usually has little trouble in striking wood. One or two jabs into the soft soil oftentimes suffices to locate a log. When the prod strikes the log the miner chips off a piece with the sharp point of the tool, which brings the splinter to the surface when drawn out of the muck. By the appearance of this chip the experienced miner can at once tell whether the log is sound or rotten. If it is sound he falls to work to prod up and down its length until he has determined how long it is. This ascertained, he goes to at the mining. He works a saw, similar to those used in cutting ice, down into the earth, severs the tree near its roots and also at the top. The log is then ready to be raised. A ditch is dug down to the log, the trunk is loosened by cant hooks and it rises with the water to the surface of the ditch. A very odd thing happens to the logs when they are raised to the surface—they invariably turn bottom side up in the water. To haul the log off to mill is then a very simple matter.

These venerable trees are white cedars, and as the saw eats its way into them an odor many times intensified over that of the red cedar of today rises to the nostrils. In color the wood is of a delicate flush tint. Strange as it may seem, not a single log, it is said, has ever been found that was waterlogged. The earthen shield about them has protected them perfectly from the dampness of the swamp in the very midst of which they lie. So far there seems to be no means of telling how deep down into the earth this cedar mine goes. Although the mine has been worked for eighty odd years the first layer has not yet been entirely removed. That there are more beneath the first layer is certain. In some stretches of the Dennisville swamps the logs have been uncovered without the hand of man, by the sinking of the earth. There the prehistoric cedars can now be seen lying criss-cross and in heaps. Nowhere in the entire swamp have logs been found lower than five feet beneath the surface, but that means that the miners have not bent their energies to probe further, while the first layer remains unexhausted. Eight miles distant, however, logs have been found at a depth of twelve feet, and twelve miles further on, at Cape May, some men engaged in sinking an artesian well came upon a log ninety feet down. The earthen sheath about this log was similar in composition to that of the Dennisville swamp.

The old logs make excellent building material, and there are tubs, pails, casks, and even shingles in South Jersey which were made from the wood seventy years ago, in a fine state of preservation.

What it is in the soil about the logs that has preserved them so perfectly no one seems to know. If any scientist has solved the mystery the great world wots not of it.

Music, Recitations, and a Lunch-Box Auction.

The Christian Endeavor society of the German Reformed Church enjoyed an entertainment and lunch-box sociable last evening in the basement of the church.

The room was filled with Christian Endeavorers from the home and other societies.

Miss Anna Doeringer opened the programme with a well rendered organ solo, which was followed with an address of welcome by E. S. Bach.

A recitation by Miss Lida Pangborn was pleasingly given and appreciated. The next number was an instrumental selection by Bert Naylor, violin; William Chamberlain, banjo; William Blake, guitar; and Bert Blake, mandolin; which was heartily applauded, and several encores were given. Henry Staats followed with an amusing recitation which kept everyone in the best of humor. Miss Nettie Kreitling, accompanied by Miss Nellie McGinnis on the organ, sang a very pretty solo in her usual excellent manner, after which Miss Anna Doeringer gave a recitation. The entertainment closed with a recitation in German by Frank Splain.

Mr. Splain was then asked to auction off the lunch-boxes, which he did much to the amusement of all. Prices from 10 cents up were secured. After the boxes had been sold, all had a jolly time socially, eating their lunch.

That Watchung Avenue Will o' the Wisp.

"With twenty years of agitation,"—remarks a progressive boroughite—"and over $7,000 of the innocent taxpayers' cash spent, it is indeed a shame that Watchung avenue has not been opened into North Plainfield. It is beginning to look as if it never will be, unless by individuals who may yet be elected to office who do not own property along the proposed route. Those now in office do not care to open the subject unless the taxpayers at large will pay for the improvement. The people at large should certainly pay a portion of the expense, but the owners of land along the new street should be made to pay a larger percentage by far than our rustic and agricultural friend who resides on a farm in Greenbrook, six miles distant, who may never see the street, let alone use it."

The New Postoffice.

All the fixtures of the new postoffice except the mailing table (which is to be 6x12, a most convenient size for rapid work) and the free delivery furniture, consisting of carriers' tables, etc., are now in place and the work will doubtless be completed tomorrow, so far as the office itself is concerned, ready for the change at any time deemed desirable by the postmaster.

Some minor changes are still to be made in the front of the office, notably the addition of a vestibule, from which two pair of double swinging doors will lead into the lobby, being so arranged that one set of doors will be used for entrance and another for exit, thus avoiding any confusion or collision among the patrons of the office.

The new office, when completed and in working order, will be one of the finest and best equipped offices of its class in the country, according to the opinion of experts who were discussing the matter yesterday.

—Franklin Council, No. 41, J.O.U.A.M., reinstated one member last evening.

Marvelous Results.

From a letter written by Rev. J. Gunderman, of Dismondale, Mich., we are permitted to make this extract: 'I have no hesitation in recommending Dr. King's New Discovery, as the results were almost marvelous in the case of my wife. While I was pastor of the Baptist Church at Rives Junction she was brought down by pneumonia succeeding la grippe. Terrible paroxysms of coughing would last hours with little interruption and it seemed as if she could not survive them. A friend recommended Dr. King's New Discovery; it was quick in its work and highly satisfactory in results. Sold by L. W. Randolph druggist. Regular size 50c and $1; our price 45c and 90c.

INDIAN RELICS.

Interesting History of Snowshoes and Moccasins Now Exhibited in Plainfield.

The Indian snowshoes and moccasins on exhibition in Doane & Edsall's show window, which are loaned by W. S. Bullock, have interesting histories.

In the Winter of 1884 a brother of Mr. Bullock, now deceased, while traveling through the Canadian provinces, had occasion to make several trips from the main land to Prince Edward's Island across the ice of the channel. A narrow path between huge snowbanks constitutes the "road" and at occasional intervals the path widens for "breathing holes" through which the natives fish. These holes are a serious menace to the safety of the lone traveler who fails to guide his horses by them in safety, and many fatalities have resulted from carelessness in this respect.

On one occasion, while driving his tandem over this lonesome highway, Mr. Bullock came upon a native who was struggling in vain to get his half-frozen horse back again to the solid ice surrounding one of these holes.

The poor animal was clinging by his forelegs and was being held back by the weight of the sledge and trappings which were below him in the water.

But for the timely assistance rendered by the new arrival the animal would soon have disappeared in the icy current.

Finally, after much exertion, the native's horse was again put on his feet and the sledge fished out, but an inventory showed that the robes, blankets and packages which the latter contained had all gone down except a new pair of snow shoes which had in some way been tangled in a runner by the loose thong which fastened them together. Having nothing else to give in order to show his gratitude, the Indian insisted that his new found friend should take the snow shoes. On reaching Halifax Mr. Bullock sent them with other mementoes of his wanderings to his home in the "States".

The story of the moccasins is as follows:

The trial of the Sioux Chief 'Plenty Horses" for the murder of Lieutenant Casey during the Pine Ridge Agency uprising in 1891 was held at Sioux Falls, South Dakota, the town being full of Brules and Sioux from the Agency who had been detained as witnesses. W. S. Bullock, who was traveling through the Northwest at the time, was present at the trial. One evening while standing on the steps of the Cataract Hotel he noticed a large party of Indians on the opposite side of the street clad in their usual fantastic garb, part Indian, part American, and was particularly attracted by the beautiful moccasins worn by one of the number, who afterward proved to be a Brule Chief bearing the incongruous name of "Woman's Dress". Crossing the street Mr. Bullock accosted the interpreter of the party, (a very few Pine Ridge Indians can speak English) and asked if there was an opportunity of purchasing the moccasins. Now if there is any one thing an Indian enjoys it is, next to his "fire-water", a chance to barter. So the proposition to give a fine pair of "American" shoes in exchange for the footgear of the Indian was eagerly accepted and the entire party entered a shoe store nearby. As the Indian removed his moccasins the fact was revealed that he wore no hose, and knowing that the nails, of which there was a plentiful supply inside the shoe, would cause a war whoop from "Plenty Horses", Esq., when his feet came in contact with them, the prospective owner of the moccasins entered a neighboring store and brought back a pair of cotton socks, (price 5 cents). When they were presented to the Indian his joy knew no bounds, such luxuries being wholly unknown to him up to that time. The deal was finally completed, and arrayed in his new "finery" "Plenty Horses" started for the door, the envy and admiration of his friends. By some occult means the news of the transaction had spread to every Indian in the town, and on reaching the sidewalk about 300 of his brethren gathered round their Chief and executed a war dance in honor of the event.

The moccasins are made from suntanned buckskin and are completely covered with many-colored beads after the Indian fashion, in a very artistic manner. These beads are fastened on with animal sinews, thread being almost unknown to the squaws of the Northwestern Indians.

The moccasins are prized very highly by their owner as one of many interesting souvenirs of "The wild and wooly West".

Cottages on the Mountain.

John H. French, the miller, will undoubtedly erect a few Summer cottages on Johnston drive in the Spring, thus opening up what many believe to be the best of Plainfield's building sites.

Mrs. Emily Thorne, who resides at Toledo, Washington, says she has never been able to procure any medicine for rheumatism that relieves the pain so quickly and effectually as Chamberlain's Pain Balm and that she has also used it for lame back with great success. For sale at Reynolds's pharmacy, Park and North aves. T. S. Armstrong, manager.

THE VICTORIOUS PARKS.

They Not Only Tied the Newark Boys But Beat 'Em from the Start.

"You may tie 'em (if you have good luck) but you can't beat 'em."

The athletic Park Club bowlers boarded the train for Bayonne last evening with the firm conviction that they would "do" their opponents of the evening, the Newark Bay Boat Club bowlers, "hands down".

Firm convictions are mighty good things to take with you to the alleys as the score will show, for when the Newark Bays sprinted in the fourth frame, after following the pace-makers from the drop of the flag to the quarter-pole, the Parks climbed at once into their fighting clothes and quickly mowing down the average, (which was only 31 against them), led as they came out of the back stretch and trotted up to the grand-stand at an easy canter with 65 pins to the good; Dr. Thiers well in the lead with a comfortable total of 195 pins and Faber 189, and Brown 188 close at his heels, struggling hard for the place.

Some of the Newark Bay Bowlers, being asked late last night by an absent friend if they were in the game, sadly replied: "No, we had a game but we were not in it; those Plainfield boys don't say much but they saw an awful pile of wood". Of course the rooters were there in full force, and in spotless array, that is to say it was spotless when the game was over for the Parks simply knocked the spots off everything around the alleys. Well here's a toast to Capt. Matthews and Plainfield People's Popular Park Players. The game was called at 8:30, and the score follows:

PARKS.		N. B. B. C.	
Lyman	118	Seymour	164
Sandford	133	Capes	137
Erickson	116	Knowles	140
Faber	189	Clark	138
Randolph	154	Woodward	145
VanBuren	156	Holmes	143
Brooks	153	Griffith	134
Brown	188	MacKellar	143
Thiers	195	Snyder	115
Matthews	145	Park	172
	1347		1478

BY FRAMES:

Parks	140	296	439	549	696	879	1046	1209	1382	1547
N. B. B. C.	136	267	435	572	720	883	1019	1176	1326	1478

Scorers—F. G. Bennett, Jr., and John C Bowton.

Plainfield Helping Western Sufferers.

The Relief Association desires to express thanks for the very generous donation of clothing which was so promptly sent in for the sufferers in the Northwest. Seven large boxes were packed, containing about 1500 articles of wearing apparel, all in good condition.

This acknowledgment has been delayed owing to the uncertainty as to whether we should be obliged to pay the expressage on these boxes. The following letter explains the situation, and if any persons are disposed to help this worthy cause still further, the way is open.

Thanks are due the United States Express Company, which carried the boxes free to New York.

SALLIE AMES BROOKS,
Secretary.

[Copy.]

10 BIBLE HOUSE,
NEW YORK, Jan. 28, 1895.

Mrs. J. K. Myers, Plainfield, N. J.

MY DEAR MADAM:—Your letters of the 25th and 26th came safe to hand and in the former I noted the $2—for which I heartily thank you and through you the donor. As to the seven boxes sent, let me say that before I could get hold of them, two (the smaller and one other) had been sent to Kansas. I regret this, but however let us hope that they went to the best point and are on the way to comfort some sad ones. The five I sent as follows: Two for Chas Kelsey, one for Mr. Peck, one for Mr. Dye and one for Mr. Hunt (our missionaries in South Dakota). I did this with latter three to get half rates via American Express Company, and also because I found that the greatest need prevailed in South Dakota. The half rates were, however, very much more than I expected they would be. I paid $31.48. which of course had to come out of the relief fund, and this I regret very much, as the need of money for food is very great.

If the good friends would feel like doing anything towards this freight bill I would appreciate it very much indeed, as it would allow us to send funds to South Dakota where the destitution is very severe.

Thanking you for all your kindness and wishing you all blessings, I remain

Yours very truly,
GEO. R. G. FISHER.

Four Big Successes.

Having the needed merit to more than make good all the advertising claimed for them, the following four remedies have reached a phenomenal sale. Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption, coughs and colds, each bottle guaranteed—Electric Bitters, the great remedy for liver, stomach and kidneys. Bucklen's Arnica Salve, the best in the world, and Dr. King's New Life Pills, which are a perfect pill. All these remedies are guaranteed to do just what is claimed for them and the dealer whose name is attached herewith will be glad to tell you more of them. Sold by L. W. Randolph's drug store.

AT REST

Mrs. Maria Brookes.

The funeral of Mrs. Maria Brookes, widow of Bamber Brookes, of Malden, England, was held yesterday at 3 p. m. at the residence of decedent's grandson, George N. Hartley, 73 Rockview avenue, Rev. Jocelyn Johnstone of the Church of the Redeemer officiating. The solemn and impressive Episcopal funeral service was read, and "Jesus, lover of my soul" and "Abide with Me" being beautifully rendered by the quartette, which consisted of the Misses Thompson and Messrs. W. E MacClymont and Elmer E. Runyon.

Many friends were present to take a last look at the peaceful face of the dear old lady whose 85 years had set so lightly on her. There were no flowers.

The interment was at Evergreen Cemetery.

Plainfield Riding Club.

The regular weekly ride at the club last evening was a most enjoyable affair. Capt. John I. Holly took charge of the drill for the first time since his return from the Brooklyn "frontier". During the evening some very clever hurdling was done by Messrs J W and Harry Johnson, Capt Holly and Proprietor Stephenson. Among those present were Mr and Mrs Lemuel Serrell, the Misses Holly, Miss Coard, Miss Opdyke, the Messrs J W and Harry Johnson, W T Broadway, Charles McDonald, Samuel St J McCutchen, William J Buttfield, and G W Van Boskerck.

Midwinter Social.

The women of Union Village and vicinity will hold a midwinter social at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Smith, near Rogers Bros' home, Wednesday evening, Feb. 6. Music, both vocal and instrumental, and a pleasant time for all, are promised. Should it storm, it will take place the first fair evening.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

Hazelwood Kellar has recovered from the grip.

Jed. M. Smalley, who has been ill with pneumonia, is welcomed out today.

L. B. Bromfield and family of East Sixth street are visiting relatives in Philadelphia.

Herman and Harold Mills of Watchung avenue are gradually recovering from their illness.

Harold Luckey of East Fifth street, who has been ill with the grip, has entirely recovered.

Miss Lucie P. Davis of East Fifth street is visiting her friend, Miss Pearl Edgerton of Brooklyn.

Miss Nellie Schutt of Duer street is able to be out again after suffering from a severe attack of the grip.

James Arnold has returned to his studies in the North Plainfield public school after a two weeks vacation.

Miss Cora Laire of East Fifth street, who has been very ill with a combination of grip and other troubles, is able to be out again.

Miss Ginna has sent out cards inviting her friends to meet Miss Hutton at her home, "The Pines", tomorrow afternoon from 5 to 7.

Miss Emily Mullon and Miss Bessie Cushing of Brooklyn are guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Hand, Park avenue.

Miss McCoy, teacher of the Sixth grade in the North Plainfield public school, returned to her work Wednesday after a week of the grip.

Bertha LaRue, who has been confined to her home on West Fourth street by illness, is once more able to attend her studies in the High School.

Miss Huitz acted as teacher of the eighth grade in the North Plainfield Public School yesterday in the absence of Miss Emma Bainbridge the regular teacher.

Harry Messersmith of Washington street, who has been rapidly recovering from the grip, has had a relapse. It is hoped nothing more serious than a second attack of the grip will be the result.

General Williams of Mt. Pleasant, Berkley County, South Carolina, who has been seriously ill during the past two weeks from a severe attack of the grip in Hotel Grenada, is rapidly improving.

A Des Moines woman who has been troubled with frequent colds, concluded to try an old remedy in a new way, and accordingly took a tablespoonful (four times the usual dose) of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy just before going to bed. The next morning she found that her cold had almost entirely disappeared. During the day she took a few doses of the remedy (one teaspoonful at a time) and at night again took a tablespoonful before going to bed, and on the following morning awoke free from all symptoms of the cold. Since then she has, on several occasions, used this remedy in like manner with the same good results, and is much elated over her discovery of so quick a way of curing a cold. For sale at Reynolds's pharmacy, Park and North aves. T. S. Armstrong, manager.

STORY OF KRUPP.

THE GREATEST GUN MAKER OF THE WORLD.

Hardships and Struggles of the Early Members of the Family. An Incentive to Poor Boys with Genius. Potatoes as the Principle Article of Diet.

A letter from Berlin not long since announced the important information that the Krupps, the great steel manufacturers of Essen on the Ruhr, Prussia, had under serious consideration the advisability of establishing a branch of their great manufacturing industry in America. If this should happen to be true it is a most important fact, for the establishment of a great plant in this country by the Krupps would be of inestimable value.

The great Krupp Works at Essen are known to be the greatest manufacturing plant in the world, and are the development from a small forge driven by water power, which Friedrich Krupp established between Essen and Altenessen in 1810. The Krupps had owned for a brief season the "Good Hope" Iron Works at Sterkrade, but had abandoned them in 1808, selling out to Heinrich Huyssen of Essen. It was while these works were being operated by his mother that young Friedrich Krupp imbibed the idea of discovering the secret of making cast steel, which was at that time known only by the English forge masters at Sheffield. At his little forge this forerunner of the greatest manufacturing industry of the world worked with tireless energy, sometimes cast down, but generally hopeful, until at last, during the latter part of 1814, he announced to the world that he had succeeded. The secret of producing and perfecting cast steel was his.

In 1822 Friedrich Krupp, the possessor of the greatest secret known to the world, had met with such reverses that he was compelled to give up his home on Limbecker street in Essen and move into a little cottage near his works, which stands to-day in the midst of the great works an object of reverence to all the thousands of workmen who earn their daily bread in the great foundries. Friedrich Krupp's life was purely one of experiment and discovery, and it remained for his son, Alfried Krupp, to make the name world famous.

Broken down by reverses, with hope abandoned and health wrecked, Friedrich Krupp died on Oct. 8, 1826, at the early age of 39 years. Before he died, however, he confided to his son, Alfried or Alfred, as we shall call him hereafter, the secret of making his famous cast steel. The boy, who was destined to become the great "Cannon King," was then only a grammar school boy of 14 years of age; but he put all the joys of boyhood's years behind him, and, with unflinching courage, accepted the sacred legacy left him by his father, put off the rosy prospect of youth, and donned instead the rough garments of the forge worker. Under the provisions of his father's will he had been made superintendent of the works, while his mother, Therese Krupp, was to carry on the business.

With remarkable self-abnegation and the most wondrous energy this tender boy took his place at the anvil, and for fifteen years labored side by side with his hired workmen. In his own account of his struggles he says; "Working hard, often all night long, my food being for the most part potatoes, coffee, bread and butter but no meat, I felt the responsibility of a harassed father of a family. For twenty-five years I persevered, until at last, under gradually improving circumstances, I conquered a decent living. My most vivid impression of the distant past is the recollection of the long continued, ever threatening danger of ruin and its avoidance through patience, self-denial and labor. For a period of fifteen years I earned only sufficient to pay my workmen their wages, and for my own labor I had no other recompense than the consciousness of duty done. With this recital I desire to encourage every young man who has nothing, is nobody and wants to be something."

Alfred Krupp's first great triumph came in 1851. It was the opportunity offered by the World's Fair at London to bring about a comparative test of the products of English and German steel makers. It had been considered impossible by English makers of cast steel to cast an ingot of more than twenty-five hundred weight under the most favorable circumstances. Krupp placed upon exhibition a finished and polished block of steel weighing 4,500 weight.

Immediately the English steel makers raised an outcry that there was some deception about it, and that it was a fraud, therefore unfair to bring it into competition with their product. They also sneered at the assertion made by Krupp that his cast steel could be forged, and asserted that cast steel, if heated to the necessary degree to subject it to the hammer, would crumble and disintegrate.

Krupp immediately showed them that his block of steel was solid and not a fraud, and that he could not only cast but forge his steel. He had the block sawed in twain, after which pieces were cut from it and forged into all manner of tools under the hammer. Not only was the great crank of an engine forged but blades for knives, nail rods for gun barrels, and fine razor blades were made from it. The scraps were then melted and run into a solid ingot again. This satisfied the English steel founders that they had much to learn.

Krupp's triumph was complete, and Essen, which had hardly been known outside of Germany, became known all over the world, while Krupp received the highest award of the exhibition, the council medal.

The Golden Rule was the guiding star of this noble man, who, when asked to accept a title, said: "No; I want no title further than the name of Krupp."

Thus Alfred Krupp builded for himself a monument more enduring than marble and more indestructible than brass. He was always the kind and considerate friend and not the proud dictatorial employer to his workingmen. Thus his name is graven on their hearts, and his memory will live as long as mankind endures.

If the Krupps should decide to come to America to establish a great steel works, the indomitable energy of the family can prepare us to see an American Essen grow up in our midst. Alfred Krupp builded his own monuments in the great mills of Essen in Prussia; there is room for Friedrich Alfred Krupp to build a like monument for himself in an American Essen. The whole land stands ready and eager to welcome him.

Just the Thing.

Jorkins—Do you consider journalism proper work for a lady?

Perkins—Certainly. All women have a fondness for press work.—Truth.

A GIGANTIC GEYSER OF OIL.

Flowed Fourteen and a Half Million Gallons in Twenty-four Hours.

The Kirkbridge No. 1 oil well, is in Madison Township, Sandusky County, Ohio. The flow of oil commenced Nov. 18. The spectacle is described as one of the most magnificent ever witnessed in that part of the country. First appeared a column of water eight or ten feet in the air. This was followed by a black stream of mud and sand, which gradually changed to yellow. Then, with a deafening roar, the gas burst forth in an immense volume, hiding the derrick from view.

As this cleared away a solid golden column a foot in diameter shot from the derrick floor 100 feet in the air, there breaking into fragments and falling in a shower of yellow rain for a quarter of a mile around. For a period of five hours this great column of oil shot upward. In a very few moments the field about the well was covered several inches deep with petroleum.

Within three or four hours the ditches for miles around were overflowing with oil. Dams were constructed in order that the product might be estimated, but these were overflowed and swept away as rapidly as built. Some persons living in the vicinity, alarmed at the spectacle, packed their household goods and fled. The Buckeye pumping station, a mile distant, was compelled to extinguish its fires on account of the gas, and all other fires within the district were put out.

It was a literal flood of oil, the estimated production for the first twenty-four hours being 14,560,000 gallons. About 19,000 barrels per day have been saved and marketed, since the oil has been brought under full control. The owner has refused an offer of $500,000 for the well, being content with the income of $10,000 per day.

SLATE PENCILS AND SLATES.

Millions of Them Used Yearly in Schools and Elsewhere in This Country.

Only one firm in the United States is making pencils from native slate. There are imported many slate pencils—that is, pencils made of slate—from Germany, and also some soapstone pencils from abroad. The native soapstone-pencil industry languishes, according to those interested, because of the recent reduction in the tariff upon imported soapstone pencils. Millions of pencils made of slate are turned out at a quarry in Pennsylvania. The rough slate is sawn into suitable pieces by machinery, and from each piece a special machine cuts six pencils of standard length, 5 1-2 inches. These pencils come out rounded, but not pointed. Deft boys take them by twos and threes and quickly point them at an emery wheel rapidly revolved by machinery. The pencils are then put up in pasteboard boxes of 100 each, and these boxes are placed in wooden cases containing 10,000 pencils. The wholesale price of slate pencils is only $6.75 a case. Pencils that break in the making are made up into "shorts," measuring 3 1-2 or 4 1-2 inches, and the shorter pencils are made also from small fragments of slate. Pencils wrapped in American flag printed on paper cost $2 a case more than the ordinary standard bare pencil, and pencils wrapped in gilt paper come somewhat higher. It is an easy bit of ciphering to make out that pencils at $6.75 a case of 10,000 are worth about two-thirds of a mill, or one-fifteenth of a cent each.

Pencils imported from Germany sell in the market at about the price of the native product. The American labor is much better paid than the German labor, but the cost of the American pencil is not much greater than that of the German pencil because machinery is so much more used here than abroad. The German pencils are in large part made by hand in the homes of the German work folks, and the price paid for the work is wretchedly small.

Some of Our Proverbs.

The following proverbs are familiar specimens of the Chinese coinage, and in several instances where they harmonize with similar ones in our own language, the English version is given also:

"Virtue is the surest road to longevity; but vice meets with an early doom." [Virtue is its own reward.]

"Time flies like an arrow; day and months like a weaver's shuttle." [Time and tide wait for no man.]

"Let every man sweep the snow from before his own doors, and not trouble himself about the frost on his neighbor's tiles." [Mind your own business.]

"Attend to your farms and mulberry trees that you may have food and sufficient clothing." [Take care of your business and your business will take care of you.]

"To paint a snake and add legs." [Drawing the long bow.]

"Let us get drunk to-day while we have wine; the sorrows of to-morrow may be borne to-morrow." [Sufficient unto the day is the evil thereof.]

"Abstain from false accusing that the good and honest may be in safety.] [Bear not false witness against thy neighbor.]

"The court is like a ship at sea—everything depends on the wind." [Put not your trust in princes.]

"For him who does everything in its proper time one day is worth three." [A stitch in time saves nine.]

"To cut off a hen's head with a battle ax." [Much ado about nothing.]

"The truths which we least wish to hear are those which it is most to our advantage to know." [The truth is disagreeable.]

"If you don't enter the tiger's den you cannot obtain her young." [Nothing venture, nothing win.]

"One strand of silk doesn't make a thread." [One swallow doesn't make a summer.]

"A thousand chiefs, a thousand plans." [Too many cooks will spoil the broth.]

"There's a time to fish and a time to dry nets." [There's a time for all things.]

"The teacher should not leave his books or the poor man his pigs." [Let the cobbler stick to his last.]

"It thunders loudly, but little rain falls." [Much cry and little wool.]—Sel.

For Mother's Sake.

General O. O. Howard's description of his life at West Point should be an incentive to every young man. He tells how he braved the ridicule of the cadets by going to religious services and doing work in the Sunday School. He said it cost him more to take his stand and run the gauntlet of their scoffs and sneers than it did later to face the cannon and musketry of the battlefield. "But I gripped my Bible, shut my teeth, and went, for mother's sake."

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Leave New York from foot of Liberty street 4 30, 6 00, 7 15, 8, 8 40, 9 10, 10, 11 45, A. M., 1 10, 1 30, 2 30, 3 30, 3 45, 4, 4 30, 5, 5 15, except Saturday, 5 30, 5 45, 6, 6 15, 6 30, 7, 7 30, 8, 8 30, 9 15, 10 15, 11 30 P. M. 12 15, 1, night. Sunday—4 30, 7 15, 8 30, 9 15, A. M., 12 M., 1, 2 15, 4, 5 30, 7, 9 00, 10 00 P. M., 12 15 night. 1 A M.

PLAINFIELD AND NEWARK.

Leave Plainfield 5 59, 6 30, 6 59, 7 30, 1 30, 8, 8 40 9 02, 10 04, 10 27, A. M., 12 06, 1 16, 2 07, 2 20, 3 12, 3 51, 4 50, 5 54, 6 54, 7 08, 8 30, 10 17 11 28 P. M. Sunday—8 01, 8 52, 10 06, 11 29, A. M. 12 38, 1 45, 3 50, 5 26, 7 11, 8 28, 9 28, 10 17 P. M.

Leave Newark 6 15, 7 15, 7 55, 8 30, 9 05, 10 30, 11 35 A. M., 1 15, 1 35, 2 30 Saturday only, 2 35, 3 35, 4 05, 5 40, 5 05, 5 34, 5 50, 6 30, 7 15, 7 55, 8 35, 10 05, 11 35 P. M. Sunday—7 30, 8 45, 9 35, 11 35 A. M., 1 10, 2 35, 4 10, 5 40, 7 30, 9 35, 10 30 P. M.

Passengers for Newark change cars at Elizabeth.

PLAINFIELD AND SOMERVILLE.

Leave Plainfield 5 45, 7 10, 8 16, 9 54, 11 a. m., 12 46 2 08, 2 33, 3 45, 4 56, 5 05, 5 14, 5 33, 6 04, 6 19, 6 33, 7 12, 7 34 8 21, 10 26, 11 25 P. M. 12 30 night Sunday—5 45, 9 35 8 54, A. M., 2 08, 3 28, 5 14, 6 35, 10 18, 11 14 P. M.

Leave Somerville, 6, 6 30, 7 00, 7 25, 7 45, 8 20, 9 05, 9 45, 11 40 A. M., 12 50, 1 45, 3 05, 3 25, 4 25, 5 20, 6 35, 6 07, 8 45, 11 05, P. M. Sunday 8 25, 9 45, 10 55 A. M., 12 05, 1 20 5 05, 6 45, 8 03, 8 50, 9 45 P. M.

PLAINFIELD AND EASTON.

Leave Plainfield 5 45, 8 16, 9 54, A. M., 12 46, 2 08, 5 05, 5 14, 6 33, 8 21 P. M. Sunday—5 45, 8 26 A. M., 2 08, 6 35, P. M.

Leave Easton 6 05, 7 00, 8 55, A. M., 12 52, 4 05, 7 00 P. M. Sundays—7 15, 10 52, A. M., 6 40, 7 30, P. M.

PLAINFIELD AND LAKE HOPATCONG.

Leave Plainfield 9 54, a. m., 5 05 p. m.

WESTWARD CONNECTIONS.

LEAVE PLAINFIELD.

5 45 A. M. for Flemington, Easton, Allentown Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Mauch Chunk Williamsport and Tamaqua.

7 10 a. m. for stations to High Bridge, connecting for stations on High Bridge Branch.

8 16 A. M. for Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R. Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9 54 A. M. for Flemington, High Bridge branch D L & W R R, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Pottsville, Nanticoke, Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c. Through coach to Williamsport.

12 4 6 p. m. way for Easton, connecting at Junction for stations on D. L. & W. R. R.

2 08 P. M. for Flemington, Easton Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Sunbury and Williamsport, Wilkes-Barre and Scranton. Buffet parlor car to Mauch Chunk.

5 05 p. m., way for Easton, connecting at High Bridge for stations on High Bridge branch

5 14 P. M. for Flemington, Easton, Bethlehem, Bangor Allentown, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, Mauch Chunk Shamokin and Tamaqua. Buffet parlor car to Scranton.

6 19 P. M. for Flemington.

6 33 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading and Harrisburg.

8 21 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

5 45 A. M. Sunday for Easton, Bethlehem Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Wilkesbarre and Scranton. 8 26 a.m. Sundays for Easton, 2 08 p. m. Sundays for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Reading and Harrisburg, 6.35 p. m. Sundays for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, &c. and at Junction for D. L. & W. R. R.

For Atlantic City, 3 37 a. m. 1 18 p. m.

Long Branch, Ocean Grove, &c

Leave Plainfield 3 37, 8, 10 27, a. m. 1.18, 3 51, 5 54, p. m. Sundays—except Ocean Grove 8 52 a. m., 3 50 p. m.

For Perth Amboy, 3 37, 5 28, 8 10 27 a. m., 1 18, 3 51, 4 50, 5.54, 7 08 p.m. Sunday—8 52, a. m., 3 50 p. m.

For Freehold, 3 37, 8, 10 27 a.m., 1 18, 3 51, 4 50, P.M.

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For Trenton 5 45, 8 44, 9 45*, 10 45, a. m., 12 46 2 08*, 5 34*, 6 38*, 8 21, 9 37* p.m., 1 12 night, Sunday—5 45, 9 54, a. m., 2 08*, 5 14* 6 35 p. m., 1 12 night.

For Baltimore and Washington at 9 45, a. m., 2 08, 5 34* 6 45 p. m. 1 12, night. Sundays—9 45 a. m., 2 08, 5 14* 6 45 p.m. 1 12, night.

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Reading terminal, 4 10, 8 30, 9 30, 10.11 35 a.m., 1 30 3 50 5 15, 6 04, 6 25, p.m. 12 10, night. Sundays—4 10, 8 30, 9 30, 12 35 a. m., 3 50, 6 00, 8 25 p. m., 12 10 night.

From 24th and Chestnut—3 55, 7 58, 9 21, 11 12 a.m. 3 40, 6 12, 8 10, 11 45 p. m. Sunday—3 55, 7 58, 12 19 p m, 3 50, 6 12, 8 10, 11 45 p. m.

Leave Trenton, Warren and Tucker sts. 1 00 4 58, 9 05, 10 25, a.m. 12 15*, 2 10, 4 28*, 5 34, 9 03 p.m. Sundays—1 00, 4 58, 9 05, 10 27 a. m.1 16*, 4 23 5 45*, 9 03 p. m.

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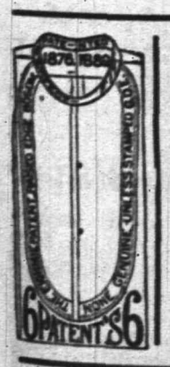

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"OF THEE I SING."

DR. SMITH TELLS HOW OUR NATIONAL HYMN WAS WRITTEN.

First Scribbled on a Scrap of Waste Paper; Sung on July 4, 1832, in Boston, and Since Then in All Parts of the World:

Dr. Oliver Wendell Holmes once said facetiously that he supposed the three people in the world whose poems were the best known were himself, one Smith and one Brown.

The one Brown he had in mind was the Mrs. Brown who wrote "I love to Steal Awhile Away." The one Smith was his old college classmate and long-time friend, Samuel Francis Smith, D.D., the author of "My Country, 'Tis of Thee."

Dr. Smith is still among the living, one of the last of that famous class of Harvard '29 men which included, besides the late Dr. Holmes, the Rev. James Freeman Clarke, Prof. Benjamin Pierce, Judge Curtis, Judge Bigelow and a number of others well known in Massachusetts' annals and beyond them.

In October, 1894, Dr. Smith was eighty-six years old. He recently told a contributor of the New York Herald the following story of the birth of the national hymn:

I did not know that I had written a national hymn till the conviction was forced upon me. While I was a student in the Theological Seminary in Andover, Mass., Mr. Lowell Mason, through whose efforts the study of music was introduced into the public schools of Boston and elsewhere in this country, brought me a number of singing books, which Mr. William C. Woodbridge, who had visited Germany to inspect the school system there, had brought home with him and put into Mr. Mason's hands.

Mr. Woodbridge had been much impressed with the German method of teaching music in the schools, and I was asked to look through the books and translate such of the songs as seemed to me appropriate to our American schools.

DR. SAMUEL F. SMITH.

Turning over the leaves of one of the music books I found one song of a patriotic nature set to the tune which England claims as hers because she has so long sung it to the words "God Save the Queen," but which the Danes claim as theirs, and which the Germans claim as theirs, and which the Germans claim as original with them, and of the real origin of which I believe no one is certain.

The music impressed me by its simplicity and easy movement, and I was at once moved to write a patriotic hymn of my own, which American children could sing to this same tune, which I did on a scrap of waste paper, probably finishing it within half an hour.

That was in February, 1832. I gave the hymn to Mr. Mason with others—some translations, others my own—and thought no more of it. The following Fourth of July I happened into Park Street Church in Boston, where Sunday-school children were enjoying a patriotic festival. It was at this children's Fourth of July celebration that "America" was first sung, the words of which I had written a few months before. Since then I have heard it sung all over the world.

As to the story which has been told of the sending of the original of "America" to the Pope, it is not true. An autograph copy was sent, framed, by a friend of mine, as an individual, to be deposited in the Vatican library at Rome; the original is still in my own possession.

It was of Dr. Smith that Dr. Holmes wrote in his poem to "The Boys," composed for one of their Harvard class reunions:

Ane there's a nice youngster of excellent pith
Fate tried to conceal it by naming it Smith;
But he shouted a song for the brave and the free,
Just read on his medal, "My Country, of Thee."

Speaking of the difference between college life to-day and in his own student days, Dr. Smith said the chief difference is the decrease of class spirit owing to the largely increased number of men in the classes to-day. "Our class at Harvard," said Dr. Smith, "numbered sixty when we graduated, and we all knew each other well. We had the chance to measure, mark and weigh each other, and were almost like brothers of one family."

For the last few years of Dr. Holmes's life the remnant of the class of '29 gave up holding their annual reunion at one of the hotels, and dined at his residence as his personal guests. These occasions lasted from 4 in the afternoon till late at night, and the reminiscences exchanged were peculiarly entertaining, saddened only by the dwindling numbers.

Dr. Smith has led too busy a life to sentimentalize over his work, until this year not even taking the trouble to hunt up the manuscript of his famous patriotic poem, to which he always referred when questioned as "scribbled upon a bit of waste paper somewhere."

It Was Very Sudden.

She—Do you think the time will ever come when woman will propose?

He—I don't see why it shouldn't. Suppose you propose to me to-night, and I said yes, what——

She—Oh, Henry, this is so sudden! But never mind; it is just as well, and mother, I know, will be delighted.—Milwaukee Catholic Citizen.

The Coming Woman.

When lovely woman runs the trolley
Pedestrians won't know where they're at,
She'll gayly run them down, by golly,
While studying some fair fare's hat.
—Cincinnati Tribune.

AT THE BICYCLE ACADEMY.

'Twas at a female cycling school,
Where bloomer costumes are the rule;
And fairy forms in trousers hid,
Essay the bike as she is rid.

A rare and radiant vision she!
A dream! a song! a rhapsody!
To whom none other there was like,
Came forth to tame the festive bike!

She cast about a bashful glance,
Gazed at her wiry steed askance;
They eyed her bifurcated skirt,
And wondered if a tumble hurt.

Then, at the master's stern command,
She grasped her steed with trembling hand;
A gasp, a sigh, with anguish pent,
A bounce, a boost, and up she went.

Prate not to me of dire alarms,
Of fire and floods and martial arms;
For depth of woe there's nothing like
A frightened female on a bike!

She stuck, she strained, she vainly strove
To make that pesky pedal move;
She pumped, she pushed, turned ghastly white,
And worked both feet with all her might!

And now she starts! she seems to feel
A thrill of life along her wheel!
But, oh! a bump! a zigzag slump!
Girl! bike, spokes, legs, all in a lump!
—Evening Sun.

FOR ONE MORE SHOT.

A Short Story of the Civil War Told by an Old Soldier.

"Here was a battle going on," said an old soldier; "nothing very heroic about it nor anything very tremendous, except that more or less men were getting killed and wounded all the time. Patches of woods with open spaces intervening, the line stretched along in the edge of the woods and across the open spaces. Along in front an open space, and on the other side of that the Confederates, in woods like ourselves, where there were woods, but in light earthworks and rifle pits between. That was their position, and we had advanced toward it as a part of some general movement, and our business was to stay there and keep the troops in front engaged.

"Veteran troops, ours were, except for such recruits as were scattered among us and except for a few enthusiastic men that liked to shout, using ammunition sparingly and not shooting much unless they thought they had some sort of chance for hitting something. Thoughtless, sometimes, about themselves, but pretty careful generally, and protecting themselves as much as they could. But even with that, and with the fighting slow, we managed in the course of the day to lose a pretty good lot of men.

"Here, now, was a man in my regiment shot through the body. He crawled away toward the rear. I don't know why he wasn't picked up by the hospital men, but he wasn't. Just back of that part of the line where our regiment was stationed was a little farmhouse. In front of this house was a sort of open yard or space in which there was one tree; it wasn't a very big tree, and I don't remember what kind of tree it was, but I remember that two of its roots ran away from the trunk a little above ground for four or five feet, and between these roots there was a little hollow, just a little sort of depression in the ground. The front yard was maybe eight or ten yards back from the line; that is, it might have been that much back to the tree.

"The man crawled along slowly until he came to the tree, and he crept partly into that little depression; I suppose it looked sort of inviting; it was a place; it wasn't just out doors, but was a sort of place by itself, and the tree gave it a kind of companionship, too. He crept partly into the little hollow and then stopped and raised himself up so that he was half sitting up, propped up on one arm and hand, and he sat up that way and looked at the brigade commander, who was standing in the yard. The brigade commander had been the Colonel of the wounded man's regiment, and he knew every man in it; he knew this man; and, of course, every man in the regiment knew the Colonel—the General he was now—and from knowing him so long and so well the men had all come to rely on him and to look to him.

"Red was creeping out around the wounded man now, and staining the little hollow as he sat there, propped up on his arm looking at the General. There was a sort of wistful look on his face, as though he thought the General could help him, and the General looked down on him very soberly; in fact, with a very great pity. Just a few feet away, more or less, men were being killed and wounded all the time, but that was going on in an orderly, business fashion. This man was just dying, just simply dying by himself, and you could see his life fade as you looked at him, and you could see the red stain spreading in the little hollow, and making scallops here and there where it ran up into little shallow gulfs and bays making off from the main depression.

"He was getting weaker and weaker, and was going fast, but all the time looking up at the General with that look on his face.

"'If I could only have one more shot,' he said. You see, he wasn't thinking of home or friends. He was thinking of the battle; his last wish was for one more shot; and a second later he collapsed, and fell dead."

A Family Reunion of Wives.

William Cox, of Monticello, Ky., ate a New Year's dinner at which sat three of his living wives, and he is only 38 years of age. His first was Miss Minerva Smith, who bore him nine children and was afterward divorced. Mr. Cox then married Miss Julia Stephens, and he was soon divorced from her. No children resulted from that union. He then wedded his present spouse, a Tennessee woman, and seven children have blessed their home.

His first two wives have married again and there is now a feeling of harmony and good will existing between them. On New Year's Day Mr. Cox spread a banquet at his home and invited his two former helpmates to celebrate the event with him. They responded, and the day passed without a ripple of dissatisfaction or unpleasantness. Cox was first married at the age of 14.

Of all sorts of earthly good, the price is self denial. The lower must be sacrified for the greater; the coarse give place to the finer.—R. D. Hitchcock.

Self-knowledge is best learned, not by contemplation, but action. Strive to do your duty, and you will soon discover of what stuff you are made.—Goethe.

If we are ever in doubt what to do, it is a good rule to ask ourselves what we shall wish on the morrow that we had done.

PEERLESS INDIANA.

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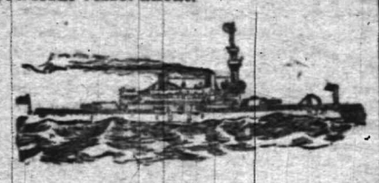
With 4,679 Tons Less Displacement, the Indiana Has the Same Speed, the Same Coal Carrying Capacity and Heavier Guns Than the British Battleship.

Since Dec. 19, when the new first-class battleship Magnificent of the British navy was launched at Chatham dockyard, the experts on ship building of all countries have devoted a good deal of time in commenting upon and criticising the new vessel.

They have almost, without exception, used the French ship Sardegna and the American battleship Indiana as their standards of comparison.

Even the English constructors who have spoken of the Magnificent have agreed that the enthusiastic English constructor who stated that the Magnificent was the most powerful vessel afloat, was wrong, and almost without exception they point to the Indiana, now building by Messrs. Cramp of Philadelphia as one superior to the Magnificent.

The Indiana is not yet afloat, but before summer she will be flying her commission pennant, and some American naval officers say that she will be worthy of the title that the Englishmen bestowed on the Magnificent—that is "the most powerful vessel afloat."



UNITED STATES BATTLESHIP INDIANA.

As a matter of fact a comparison of the respective merits of the Magnificent and the Indiana appears unjust to the latter, for the Indiana was designed and contracted for in President Harrison's administration, and the appropriation for the Magnificent was not made by Parliament until 1893, and so the latter has every reason to be, and is, more modern than her American rival.

Leaving aside, however, the improvements of the last few years for comfort of officers and men and the little details of mechanism, and viewing the Indiana and Magnificent purely as engine of war, the Indiana is, in the opinion of ship builders, the better vessel of the two.

The Magnificent mounts four 22-inch breech-loading rifles, twelve 6-inch rapid fire, sixteen 12-pounder rapid fire, and twelve 3-pounder rapid fire guns, or forty-four guns in all.

Out of this battery the Magnificent can fire eight guns either ahead or astern, and with these eight guns she can throw 1,659 pounds of metal.

Here the Indiana's superiority is demonstrated. Her battery consists of four 13-inch breech-loading rifles, eight 8-inch breech-loading rifles, four 6-inch, twenty 6-pounder rapid-fire guns, making in all thirty-six guns, or eight less than the Magnificent.

With these, however, she can throw 4,964 pounds of metal either ahead or astern, which is 3,825 pounds more than the English battle ship can throw.

In the matter of firing abeam the Indiana's superiority is demonstrated by the fact that with twenty-four guns the Maguificent throws but 3,575 pounds; the American ship, with four guns less, throws 5,660 pounds, or 2,085 pounds more than the Englishman's pride.

BRITISH BATTLESHIP MAGNIFICENT.

It requires three minutes under battle conditions to fire one round from a 12 or 13-inch gun and the ships would be just equal on this point, but in three minutes the American could throw 5,376 pounds either ahead or astern and the English ship could only throw 4,494 pounds.

Firing abeam as fast as possible with all available guns, the Indiana could throw 12,558 pounds, while the Magnificent's score would be but 8,440 pounds.

As regards armor, the thickest part of the Magnificent's is 14 inches, and the Indiana has 18 inches of Harveyized steel at her thickest part. The steel used in both navies is practically the same, and if there is any preference it must rest with the American product, for the Harvey nickeling process is an American invention, and has been longer in use on this side of the water.

A fact which should, in the opinion of steel experts, prove conclusively that American steel is the best in the world is that the Russian Government, after causing an examination to be made of the steel plants of all European countries, awarded its contract for ship armor to the iron and steel works in Bethelem, Pa.

With all of the Magnificent's forty-four guns trained seaward and fired simultaneously she would throw a weight of metal the total of which would be 4,295 pounds, while the Indiana under like conditions, would throw 5,920 pounds, or 1,625 pounds more than the English ship.

Speed is still a matter of conjecture, but both vessels are designed for 17 1-4 knots, but neither one has yet demonstrated that she will fulfill the requirements in this direction. If precedent counts for anything, though, the Indiana will live up to them, for every ship built by Cramp and Sons has exceeded the contracted speed by at least a quarter of a knot.

Some constructors regard it as very remarkable that the Indiana, which has 4,679 tons less displacement than the Magnificent, should have an equal coaling capacity and a heavier battery and yet make the same speed, but this is due largely to the lightness of the machinery.

She Was Clever.

Mamma—Agnes, are you marrying Mr. Bones of your own free will?

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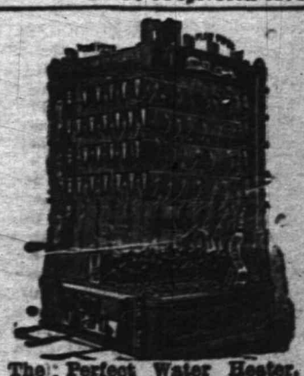

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PLAINFIELD, N. J., FEB. 1, 1895

A Night Battle at Sea.

Feb. 1, 1800, was the date of gallant Commodore Truxton's attack on the French war frigate Vengeance. The Frenchman was more than a match for Truxton's ship, the Constellation, and rated 54 guns against his 38, but she ran before the Yankee, leading him a chase of several hours. It was night when the Constellation overtook the flying frigate. Standing at the lee gangway, Truxton hailed the Vengeance to surrender, receiving for response a broadside in his spars and rigging. But he was all ready, with his battle-lanterns swinging over the gunners, who had been told to "load and fire as fast as possible," alternating round shot with grape. The vessels sailed within pistol shot of each other for five hours, and the American ship planted 180 shots in the enemy's hull. More than a third of the French sailors were cut down, and three times the tricolor dropped in token of defeat, but owing to the darkness this signal was not seen.

Truxton's mainmast rigging had been shot away, and the mast was tottering. In the maintop the young middy, James Jarvis, kept his station throughout the fight with an old tar, who cautioned the boy that the mast must go and carry them overboard in the wreck. The lad was chief in authority there and knew his orders. Said he: "I cannot leave my station. If the mast goes, we must go with it."

The mast did fall, and the boy was killed, the only officer lost in that bloody action. GEORGE L. KILMER.

Surprise Reception.

After the prayer meeting was over in Hope Chapel last night, a surprise reception was given to Mr. Yerkes by his Bible class. A musical and literary programme was rendered by Miss Lizzie Firstbrook, Miss Duckworth, Miss Higgins, and Mr. Lee.

A beautiful chair was presented to Mr. Yerkes by his class; and Mr. Munger, teacher of the Men's Bible class, in presenting the gift, spoke of the faithfulness of Mr. Yerkes's class.

In receiving the gift Mr. Yerkes said that he could n't find words to express his gratitude, but that he was greatly indebted to them for the fine chair, and would spend many happy moments in it studying his Sunday-school lessons.

All then repaired to a side room, where good things were served in abundance.

The pleasant time was largely due to the untiring committee, consisting of Mrs. Bowman, chairman, Mrs. McComas, Mrs. Higgins, and Mrs. Cox.

Lady Cyclers on Their Travels.

The Lady Cyclers of Plainfield went yesterday to Philadelphia, and were entertained by Mrs. Clark Dillenbeck, formerly Miss Morrison of Plainfield.

Arriving at Philadelphia, they went direct to the Mint, and after spending an hour there, and wishing for all they saw, they went to Wannamaker's, where the large organ was played for them, and if some of the Plainfield young men had only been there the happiness would have been complete.

At 12:15 the party took the train for Mt. pleasant, where Mrs. Dillenbeck lives, and where a very fine dinner was served much to the delight of all. After dinner was over, whist was enjoyed, the lucky winners being Mrs. Williams and Mrs. Dillenbeck, each of whom won a bottle of perfume, and Miss Arleen Crane and Mrs. Fred Green, who won a very handsome key ring apiece. The party left Philadelphia at 8, and, much to their discomfort, did not reach Plainfield till nearly 10.

Among those who enjoyed this treat were Miss Arleen Crane, Miss Ethel Green, Miss Minnie French, Mrs. Ned Williams, Mrs. Fred Green, Miss Grace Langdon and Miss Netta Yerkes.

Counselor McCarthy's Obsequies.

The funeral today of Edw. Dorr McCarthy at his late residence 1038 Park avenue, called together a large number of mourning friends from New York, Philadelphia and Plainfield. Many prominent members of the legal profession were noticed in the solemn assembly.

The pallbearers were the Messrs. Delaney, Goodyear and Gove of New York; Mr. Reynolds of New Brunswick and Messrs. Obl, Scott, Whiting, Case and Perkins of this city. A notable feature of the funeral procession was the noble coal black stallion Nero for years his master's favorite saddle horse which with his all trappings on, slowly walked behind the hearse in charge of his groom who carried in his hand the masters ridingwhip. The body was sent to the Germantown Crematory.

Steam, Not Fire.

The alarm from box 152 at 5:10 yesterday called the borough fire department to William J. Buttfield's residence 161 Grove street. The scare was caused by a steam pipe bursting in the basement filling the latter with steam which was mistaken for smoke in the excitement. The water was turned on and in fact Warren Hose wagon did not leave its house at all because the recall was sounded before the horses who were out on street work arrived.

Refunds the Cost.

Edward White has introduced a new principle into the dry-goods business in Plainfield. It is to refund money on all goods that are purchased at his store and are not satisfactory. He says it does n't mean giving a credit check to trade out, but giving back the cash to you as cheerfully as it was received. There are some good trademakers mentioned in his ad that will interest you.

O. W. O. Hardman, sheriff of Tyler Co., W. Va., appreciates a good thing and does not hesitate to say so. He was almost prostrated with a cold when he procured a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. He says: "It gave me prompt relief. I find it to be an invaluable remedy for coughs and colds." For sale at Reynolds's pharmacy, Park and North aves. T. S. Armstrong, manager.

PEANUTS AND THE CIVIL WAR.

An Enormous Increase in the Peanut Crop Due to Old Soldiers.

"I don't suppose there are many people who know that the ever-popular peanut came originally to this country with the first cargo of slaves that landed on our shores," said a dealer in nuts and fruits, "but such is the interesting fact. The peanut is a native of Africa, and in its wild state is as full of oil almost as a fat 'possum. Cultivation and change of soil have greatly reduced its oleaginous quality, although the nuts raised in North Carolina secrete enough oil yet to make them in demand in France, where they combine with their African progenitor and cottonseed to make a great deal of the olive oil we find in our restaurants and groceries.

"And I don't believe there are many people outside of those who have it who ever heard of the peanut habit. You don't like raw peanuts, do you? I thought not. No one does until he acquires the habit, and then he wants his raw peanuts just as regular as he wants his tobacco, provided he chews or smokes—and if he has the peanut habit the chances are he is not a tobacco chewer. The funny part of the peanut habit is that it prevails only among veterans of the late war who served either in Virginia or Tennessee or North Carolina. These are the States where the bulk of the peanut crop is grown.

"Perhaps you can remember how things were before the war. If you can't, I will tell you that the peanut then was chiefly a holiday luxury to the great mass of people in this country. The day when the circus was in town, or when the county fair was showing its pumpkins and four-minute horse trots, or when the great and glorious Fourth of July had come around again, were about the only occasions when the popular yearning for the peanut was in any measure satisfied On these memorable occasions the nu' was shucked and masticated until it couldn't rest.

"It was only in the towns and large villages that the favored few could have peanuts with them always. Before the war there wasn't a peanut roaster in the whole country outside of the big towns and cities, and the rural dealers bought their stock already roasted and delivered to them in big, coarse bags. To-day every cross-roads from Maine to California has its peanut stand and its wheezing steam roaster, and the great American nut has no better standing on circus day or Fourth of July than it has on any ordinary day of the year, except that there is greater concentration of energy as to its shucking and chewing on these red-letter days.

ST. BERNARDS IN HARNESS.

The Policeman Was in Doubt Whether to Admit Them to Prospect Park.

One of the strangest rigs that ever appeared on a Brooklyn highway drove up to the entrance to Prospect Park several weeks ago, when the sleighing was good. It consisted of a tiny sledge, built Russian fashion, with low runners and a high front.

In it sat a boy about 12 years of age and a little girl about 10. Both were dressed in the height of fashion for such youngsters, and were muffled up and kept warm by the most gorgeous of fur robes. It was their team, however, which attracted attention.

They were not horses not goats, but huge, shaggy St. Bernard dogs, that had evidently been trained to the work, for they obeyed the "Gee up!" and "Ho!" of the youthful driver, like the gentlest of roadsters. The policeman at the entrance to the park didn't know whether to let them in or not.

He consulted his book of park ordinances but could find nothing there prohibiting the admission of secured dogs to the park. Still, he was doubtful about letting the team in. In the meantime a large crowd had gathered around and were petting the dogs.

The youngsters in the sleigh got more and more impatient as the policeman stopped thinking it over, and finally he stood up and said:

"If you're not going to let me in, say so, and don't keep me standing here."

The crowd was indulging in a good laugh at the boy's indignation, when a sergeant of police came along, and after hearing all about the trouble decided to let the team in. The little fellow thanked the policeman most courteously, climbed into the sleigh beside his pretty companion, raised his hat to the officer, and then swinging his whip in the air, cried, "Gee up!" to the dogs, and was off at a regular trotting pace.

He Wanted to Know.

The New York Girl—Lord Dumley, did you ever hear the joke about the museum keeper's two skulls of St. Paul, one when he was a boy and the other when he was a man?

The Englishman—No; what is it?—Life

—Wash goods have their opening week at Edsall's, beginning tomorrow night. The big ad in The Press today gives prices, and the big store in the Babcock Building reveals wondrous things too many to enumerate in any ad.

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JOLLY PROMENADERS.

Ragamuffin Concert of the Emmanuel Baptist Church.

The ragamuffin promenade concert last evening in Central Hall, given under the auspices and for the benefit of Emmanuel Baptist Church, was a very successful affair, both from a social and financial standpoint. Of course the fun of the evening centred around the grand promenade ragamuffins in costume and mask which began at 10 and continued for fully three-quarters of an hour, convulsing the party with the funny grimaces and queer gestures of those who took part. It was a cake walk without the cake, and it was more fun than a barrel of monkeys to watch the evolutions, revolutions, convolutions, and comical gyrations of the maskers who seemed to get as much fun out of the affair as the crowd who stood around the hall holding their sides from laughter.

Frederick Dunham and Miss Adeline Leek lead the march, and at its close Miss Ella Randolph was crowned queen with a beautiful tiara of paper, having worn in the opinion of the judges the most artistic gown of any of the maskers Her gown was certainly fantastic in the extreme there being fourteen different colors on the skirt and three on the waist, the whole set off with a hat gorgeous with spangles. Mrs. E. B. Maynard wore a very unique gown made of over 500 pieces in every conceivable color of the rainbow with a hat trimmed with old gold and black and it was thought by many in the hall that she would be awarded the prize.

Mrs. M. J. Mitchell was gowned in a dress from Canada, the material of which was over one hundred years old, trimmed with bunting and chintz, while Miss Mitchell appeared in an effective costume of pale blue bloomers and jaunty sailor hat and Miss Doyle was in blue and maroon.

A dozen couples took part in the unique procession and at its close the happy merry makers patronized the cake and ice-cream stand or the soda bar. Very many bright faced Sunday-school children were present and their merry laughter frequently filled the hall. Over one hundred were present during the evening and between $40 and $50 was realized for the church fund.

Guttman's orchestra furnished music during the evening.

BY THE WAY.

—Reserved seats for the concert and readings to be given in the new Y. M. C. A. building Tuesday, Feb. 5, are now on sale at Reynolds's pharmacy.

—Next Thursday evening, Feb. 7, an organ recital will be given in the Presbyterian church at Westfield by W. E. MacClymont, assisted by Walter A. Hudson, basso, Raymond W. Smith of Newark, tenor, and P. Ludwig Conde, violinist.

—The parade of the Thatcher & Johnson Minstrels which will take place on the day of the performance is said to be the most novel and magnificent street demonetrations ever given by a minstrel company. It will take place at the noon hour, and will make a pleasing spectacle which must be seen to be appreciated.

—There was a large attendance at the entertainment in the Sunday-school room of the First Presbyterian Church last evening. Various selections were rendered on an Edison phonograph operated by George H. Bruce of New York. During the evening William McKillup rendered a violin solo which was exactly reproduced a few minutes later.

$100 Reward $100.

The reader of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly on the blood and mucous surface of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer $100 for any case that it fails to cure.
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(a few doors from his former location) where he can be consulted on all chronic diseases of whatever name and nature.

Dr. Lighthill refers with pardonable pride to the success of his practice in Plainfield and submits below a few of the many testimonials which he has received from grateful patients. A mass of similar ones can be seen at his office.

AN ALMOST MIRACULOUS CURE.

The Statement of Mr. Edward Teel, Jr., of Dunellen, N. J.

TO THE PUBLIC:

From a sense of duty I desire to call public attention to the almost miraculous cure which Dr. Lighthill effected in the case of my wife. For eleven years she had been afflicted with piles of an unusual severe and distressing character. She suffered every day of her life the most intense pain, attended with frequent and profuse hemorrhage. This state of things debilitated her entire system until she became a perfect wreck of her former self.

We made every effort to obtain a cure but they all resulted in bitter disappointment, although a number of physicians of excellent reputations for skill in that direction had treated her case. She grew worse and worse all the time, the pain became perfectly unbearable and I felt she could not bear the strain of her condition much longer. In this extremity, a friend of mine, Mr. W. E. Dilts, a resident of Roselle, N. J., a passenger conductor on the New Jersey Central told me that he had been similarly affected, and had been permanently cured by Dr. Lighthill, after other medical skill had failed. He assured me that the doctor would cure my wife, no matter how severe her case may be, and his prediction proved perfectly correct. In spite of her desperate condition, Dr. Lighthill, I am glad to say, has effected a complete and perfect cure in her case, and has given her new life.

Since the cure has been effected she has gained in health and strength and is so improved in appearance that her friends scarcely recognize her. They all consider her cure as almost miraculous, and Dr. Lighthill's praise is heard on every side. Our gratitude to Dr. Lighthill is unbounded and we only hope that other sufferers may be benefited by this publication.

EDWARD TEEL, JR.

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Plainfield, N. J., July 17, 1894.

I am profoundly grateful to Dr. Lighthill for his speedy and radical cure of a most painful malady of over ten years standing with which I was afflicted.

I deem it proper to say to all afflicted to place themselves under the care of this skilful physician and be permanently cured.

I will cheerfully impart any information I possess when called upon.

JOHN DIETRICH.

Mr. Thomas Callahan of No. 214 Richmond street Cured of a Very Distressing Trouble by Dr. Lighthill.

PLAINFIELD, N. J., June 1, 1894.

TO THE PUBLIC:

For some time past I have been greatly distressed with noises in the head. They were all over my head and troubled me constantly; they were loudest at night when everything was quiet and at such times would often keep me from sleep and disturb my rest. In fact they got to be so bad and distressing that they affected my whole nervous system as well as my health. I did not obtain the least relief until I placed myself under the care of Dr. Lighthill, of No. 132 Crescent avenue, who effected a complete cure in my case in a short time and made me a very happy man.

THOMAS CALLAHAN,
214 Richmond street.

A Card From Mr. T. R VanZandt,

of Nos. 304 and 306 Park ave.,

Plainfield, N. J

I certify with pleasure that Dr. Lighthill has effectually cured me of a most painful case of piles. For some time past I had been subject to its attacks, but the last attack was so exceedingly painful that it completely upset my whole system. The pain extended to my legs and in many other directions, and made me so nervous that I could neither sleep, sit down, lie down or move about without serious discomfort and distress. Such was my condition when I applied to Dr. Lighthill for relief, and I am glad to say that as soon as he took hold of my case, I began to improve, and in a short time found myself completely cured. Dr. Lighthill has also effected a radical and permanent cure in a most terrible case of piles on my cousin, Mr J. V. Z Griggs, of Rocky Hill, N. J., whose flattering testimonial is in Dr. Lighthill's possession.

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A good unbleached Canton flannel 6½c yd
FOR THURSDAY—
A fine quality crochet counterpane 59 cents.
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He will not sell rum or any other kind of intoxicant, for he proposes to compete for the patronage and influence of the liquor saloon with what he calls the "home saloon." He is going to put in practical operation the plan he suggested at the Father Mathew celebration at the Auditorium several months ago.

"What," he said, "has the Church or the temperance movement to offer in a material way in competition with the saloon? Nothing. I have been investigating the saloon business. I have had men at work finding out all about their methods and the business. We propose to apply those principles to the conducting and management of places where we can offer everything that the saloon does in the way of warmth and light and a place to sit down, and a place to get something to eat and something to drink, except intoxicants. I have the figures in my pocket now, and I believe these places can be made both self-supporting and self-propagating.

"For 5 cents we can furnish a hot drink of coffee, tea, or something of the sort, or other non-intoxicating drinks, together with a pretty fair meal of bread, meat, and potato salad, or something of that sort. For 10 cents we can do very much better. It is an experiment that has proved successful in London, Liverpool, Manchester, and other English cities. It promises well for Chicago. It can only be demonstrated by experiment.

"If one proves successful a hundred will, and we want to locate them right where they are needed. Our first one will be opened in the 'levee' district probably, and others wherever they can be made successful. We want them to be as places of gatherings for friends and acquaintances, something like the wine shops of Paris and the Continent. They will be perfectly respectable.

"People want light and warmth and a place where they can feel they have a right to be, and therefore it is not a question of welcome or privilege. I believe such a work as this, if it proves successful, will be worth fifty years of merely intellectual temperance work. The more I study this matter the more I am impressed with its possibilities. One of the features of it is that it shall be self-supporting.

"It will be carried on as a part of the general scheme of the People's Institute, though not necessarily in connection with the institute. They will be planted where they can do the most good, and these places of refreshment where they are most needed. The institutes will be educational, recreative, and broadly undenominational in their work. They will be open seven days and seven nights in the week. If I had the money it would cost to establish one church where, say, 130 worship Sunday, I could establish two or three institutes."

Bishop Fallows will not resign his bishopric nor his connection with St. Paul's Church. He could not, in keeping with the ecclesiastical organization of the Reformed Episcopal Church. He will simply leave the details of parochial work to an assistant or perhaps two.

DR. DEPEW ON FREE LUNCH.

He Believes It an Ingenious Preparation for the Destruction of Men's Souls.

"Free lunches!" exclaimed the doctor. "Well, I did say something about free lunches, didn't I? And if I'm not mistaken I referred to them as ingenious preparations, too. Well, they are. I meant all I said about young men becoming slaves to drink. It's a terrible thing, and I think the free lunch is largely responsible for it. It's a most ingenious contrivance; and do you know," the Doctor lowered his voice, "do you know that it's simply put in a place to make a man thirsty? Yes, sir, I tell you that the free lunch is composed of food of such a character that it keeps a man thirsty and forces him to buy liquor to keep himself comfortable. It is made up of pickled herring, corned beef, fish cakes, salted potatoes, pretzels, cheese, smoked beef, potato salad, and dozens of other dishes the main ingredient of which is salt. And as sure as a man eats free lunch just so sure will he be a drinking man unless he is possessed of rare self-control. Why, I tell you the free lunch is more to blame for the number of drunkards around than anything else. A man takes a drink and a bite; the bite makes him thirsty and the drink makes him hungry, and many a man who would leave a saloon after having imbibed one drink will stick all day as long as the free lunch is there. It isn't the drink that keeps him, but the ingenious make-up of the free lunch; and that's why I say it's a blotch on civilization and should be wiped out.

"Perhaps you wonder how I know all this. I'll tell you. I travel a great deal, and wherever I go I always make it a point to talk with the man next me. I ask him his business and make him tell me all about it. That's why I'm always prepared to address any kind of an audience on almost any kind of a subject. Now, among others, I have talked to many hotel men and liquor dealers, keepers of fashionable cafes as well as German saloon keepers, and, as the free lunch is a sort of hobby of mine I always make them tell me about what they spread out for their customers in the eating line. I used to wonder how they could afford to spread a free lunch, but all liquor dealers tell me that it's the most paying investment they make, and I believe it is."

$10,000 for a Tunnel Kiss.

A peculiar suit has been instituted at Bulla, Ala. Mrs. Sue Robbins was a passenger on the Louisville train the other day; so were Mr. and Mrs. Gabriel Lemons, a young couple just married. The train was passing through a tunnel and Mr. Lemons, who had left his wife's seat, just behind Mrs. Robbins, returned to it, as he thought in the darkness, and proceeded to kiss his newly wedded bride. About this time the train emerged from the tunnel and disclosed that his supposed bride was Mrs. Robbins, who is a young widow. She has sued for $10,000 damages for the mistake, and will not admit the act was not intentional.

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MAD DOG AT THE PLAINS.

A Neighboring Village Terrorized—One Man Bitten.

Scotch Plains's usual quiet morning solitude was broken today by the appearance of a mad dog. The dog was first noticed at the house of E. M. Johnston where it bit a fine, large Newfoundland dog belong to Mr. Johnston, after which it started toward the village, meeting Edward Dowarth, who was standing on the street. It bit him but fortunately did not bring blood. It next went for Bill Wesler who was on his way to work. Bill made a kick for him which missed the dog but landed Bill and his dinner pail in the gutter. The dog started toward Springfield.

When near the Stout farm it met John Klemser, who was on his way to the city. The dog made a spring at him, tearing his coat. John threw out his arm to ward off a second attack, and the dog bit him in the hand. The dog then started on toward Springfield. John resumed his journey to the city, stopping at Dr. Westcott's to have the wound cauterized. Had the dog made its appearance an hour later it would have been much worse as the streets would have been full of children on their way to school. A number of dogs known to be bitten will be shot by their owners.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

Mrs. Seely Edsall is severely ill.

E. P. Williams of West Seventh street is on a business trip in Connecticut.

Charles B. Morse of Franklin place has recovered from an attack of the grip.

Miss Edith Darby of Alton is visiting Miss Maibelle Force of We t Fourth street.

Miss Lee of Central avenue leaves tonight for a visit among relatives in Corona L. I.

Miss Elfeda Whiting of East Sixth street is visiting at the home of her uncle, George Howell, Chester, Pa.

Mrs. Paul Koch, of East Boston, Mass., is visiting his mother, Mrs. Beck, who is ill, at No. 323 East Second street.

Charles Barlow of Prospect place has returned to his studies in the North Plainfield public school after an attack of the grip.

James E. Martine toasted "The Women", and W. K. McClure "The Union County Bar", at the Peanut Club banquet last night.

A number of the Lady Cyclers who went to visit friends in Philadelphia returned Thursday evening, and the rest of the party returned today.

Mrs. Mary L. Force, mother of the proprietor of this paper, today quietly celebrated her 80th birthday anniversary at her home, 82 Duer street. She is in good health.

Mr. Slevin of Franklin place, who is suffering from appendicitis, is doing so well under the treatment of Dr. Endicott that an operation has not been found necessary.

Miss Anna Stryker, sister of Mrs. Geo. W. Saums of 143 East Second street, accompanied by Miss Ella Randall, also of Trenton, will spend Saturday and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Saums.

Swindling by Forged Checks.

Thomas Worth, the Somerset street harness maker, has been victimized by a stout, light complexioned man of 35 or 40, who bought a set of harness and some blankets, presenting a check for $28, signed A. C. Blair, in payment, and receiving a small cash balance in excess of the bill.

He was not as successful in his attempt to swindle Mr. Zimmerman the Front street hardware merchant, from whom he ordered a stove, a keg of nails, and two shovels all to be delivered to A. C. Blair, but his offer to pay was refused until the goods were delivered, so he departed without securing his cash rebate.

—A show will be given tomorrow afternoon at 2 at Harry Hook's house, 337 Watchung avenue. Admission, 2 cents.

—A vicious dog ran after a colored woman on West Front street last evening about 8:30 and catching hold of her dress succeeded in tearing it badly. Her screams attracted the attention of many people in the vicinity who frightened the dog away.

Sheet Iron Mills To Resume.

Easton, Pa., Feb. 1.—The Oliver Sheet Iron mills which have been idle for several years and which were recently put in repair, will, it is announced, be put in operation in a few days. A large number of hands will be given employment.

LIQUIDS can't cure Dyspepsia, neither will drastic griping pills of mercury.

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Dyspepsia Pills

will and do. You can get a sample sent you, free for the asking, to prove it. They contain no mercury nor opium. If you have dyspepsia, better send for them.

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EARLY INTELLIGENCE.

—Through the agency of Thomas M. Paff, real estate agent, Mrs. R E Brown sold her house and lot on Westfield avenue to John G. Cook.

—Rev. J. W. Richardson will deliver an address before the Christian Endeavor society of the First Presbyterian Church, Rahway next Monday evening.

—The Central Railroad of New Jersey has adopted a new color for their commuters ticket, changing from green in January to a pretty strawberry red for February.

—Although the snow marred skating, Hyde's meadows were thronged with the lovers of that sport yesterday afternoon and evening. Several exciting games of hockey were played.

—E. E. Marshall & Co. wish to announce to the public that their wallpaper can be seen at Mulford's real estate office, 169 North avenue, until they get possession of their store.

—Chief Engineer Doane has been unable to find the automatic whistle he was searching for to take the place of gongs on fire apparatus. His reason for wishing to change is to avoid confusion with the trolley-car gongs.

Hebrew Christening.

The christening of Louis Goldstein, the eight-day-old son of J. Goldstein of Park avenue, was celebrated today by Rabbi Simon Schnur of New York after the usual rites and ceremonies of the Jewish church, in the presence of relatives and friends of the happy father.

Among those present besides the Rabbi was the child's grandmother Mrs. Silverman, A. Goldstein, uncle of the little fellow, the Messrs. Cohen brothers-in-law of Mr. Goldstein, all of New York, Mr. Byrens of Philadelphia and Messrs. Leichtentritt, Samuel Dreier and B. Guttman of Plainfield.

A pleasant time was enjoyed by all, the child's health being drunk and a feast following. The mother is doing well.

DANCING FOR THE MULTITUDE.

Childish Customs that Justify the Chorus of "The Sidewalks of New York."

A song, very popular just now, is called "The Sidewalks of New York." It has one distinguishing merit, and that is an odd one in songs, brevity. The author and singer of "The Sidewalks of New York" is Charles B. Lawlor. The chorus of "The Sidewalks of New York" is, perhaps, next to the taking music, the best thing about it, for it has a natural rhythm which would make a success of a song written to secure an ephemeral, local popularity. Here it is:

East side, west side, all around the town,
The tots sing "Ring-around-a-rosie," "London Bridge is Falling Down."
Boys and girls together, me and Mamie Rorke,
Tripped the light fantastic on the sidewalks of New York.

There is considerable appositeness to this chorus, for nearly every New York girl or boy knows that the first lessons in dancing of the great majority of the present generation of New Yorkers were gained about a street band or hand organ on the sidewalks of the east or west side of town. Girls, as a rule, take much more naturally to such impromptu dancing than boys. They are more graceful, and their ear for music seems much keener. When some years ago it was proposed to do away with street bands in New York, the strongest protest came from among those who were familiar with the enjoyment which this cheap sort of music gave to many children in New York, better familiar with "Ring-around-a-rosie" and "London Bridge is Falling Down" than anything in the compositions of Wagner or Verdi.

A Mutual Service.

He—I am very unfortunate; it seems I can please nobody.

She—Come, cheer up; I have no one to admire me, either.

He—Tell you what—let's found a society for mutual admiration. I, for instance, admire your beautiful eyes; and what do you admire in me?

She—Your good taste.—Dorfbabier.

Of the Same Mind.

Little Brother (in awful whisper)—Say, Pop, I just peeped into the parlor, and sister Mary was sitting on the music stool before the piano, and her young man was kneeling down in front of her and holding her hands.

Father—By Jingo's! I always did say that was a sensible young man, Mother. I guess he don't like to hear her play the piano any more than I do.—Puck.

Out of Sight.

Junior Partner—I see you have engaged a new clerk. Is he a good salesman?

Senior Partner—Good salesman? Great Scott! I had to send for the police to prevent him from talking me into taking him into the firm.

It generally takes a blockhead a good while to find out what ails him.—Ram's Horn.

—The Music Hall firm is now Varian & Sohl.

—A telephone, No. 49B, has been placed in Music Hall.

—A cottage prayer meeting will be held at David Bush's, 130 Park avenue, tonight at 8.

—Among the curios recently added to the collection of Dr. Jenkins is a piece of the original stone block brought from Marshill, Holy Land, by Dewitt Talmage for a cornerstone for his tabernacle.

—It is reported in town this morning that the body of a Mr. Mansfield of South Plainfield, who died in St. Peter's Hospital in Newark, Tuesday, from a severe attack of the grip, after having been in the institution but 48 hours, still remains at Newark, no one having claimed it.

—Mrs. Caroline Weiss, mother of Mrs. William J. Allen of Grandview avenue, while going to prayer meeting last evening, had her skirt caught by a vicious dog on Somerset street was thrown to the sidewalk, and dislocated her shoulder. Dr. Van B. Hedges attended the sufferer.

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Front street and Park ave.

—Wm. H. Miller of the Hotel Grenada will join the Elizabeth Lodge of Elks tonight.

—Mahlon Vail says his self-registering thermometer recorded 4° above zero during the night, and that it was the coldest night in three years.

—After grip, or during it, or whenever you want better digestion or more strength, take Leggett's Digestive Malt, the popular low-price tonic.

—Rev. Mr. Lehman of Trenton will exhibit pictures with a stereopticon in the German Reformed Church Thursday evening, Feb. 28, and Friday evening, March 1.

—A large party of young people congregated at the corner of Washington and Sixth streets last evening to enjoy the long stretch of smooth ice, extending from Washington street to the end of Mr. Halloway's property.

Karl's Clover Root will purify your blood, clear your complexion, regulate your bowels and make your head clear as a bell; 25c., 50c. and $1. Sold by all druggists.

Captain Sweeney, U. S. A., San Diego, Cal., says: "Shiloh s Catarrh Remedy is the first medicine I have ever found that would do me any good." Price 50c Sold by all druggists.

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For 25c you buy a 35c cashmere 1 yd wide
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For 12½c you buy a 20c fancy plaid 27 in wide
For 25c you buy a 40c flannel 38 in wide
For 45c you buy a 65c serge 45 in wide
For 50c you buy a 75c blue broad cloth

Underwear

Under our roof is where we carry the largest stock of underwear in the city, others can afford to carry their stock over, we cannot.

A 75c undervest for 50c, camel hair
A $1 undervest for 70c, gray flannel
A 75c undervest for 50c gray flannel
A 40c undervest for 25c gray flannel

You can save 25 to 30 per cent if you buy underwear of us for men women and children.

Domestic Specials

10x4 sheeting unbleached 12½c worth 18
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36 in unbleached muslin 5c worth 7
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Men's storm ulsters $6 and up; Men's English Kersey overcoats $8 up. If you want the best for the least money, come here; if not, anywhere else will do.

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THE LOSS OF THE ELBE

Search for Victims Made in a Blinding Gale.

No Trace of Boat or Wreckage—Sad Scenes at the Offices of the North German Lloyd Company—Statement of the English Pilot—What the Mate of the Crathie Says of the Collision—The Lost Number 303 Persons.

New York, Feb. 1.—It was a sad ordeal at the offices of the North German Lloyd all day yesterday and late last night. Countless inquiries were made by anxious persons regarding the ill-fated steamer Elbe.

Many women called, some for husbands, others for fathers or lovers. One poor woman, tear-stained and pale, called at the office about daybreak. She approached the clerk in charge and, with voice tremulous with emotion, asked for a list of the cabin passengers. It was handed to her. She scanned it first eagerly and hurriedly, then slowly and calmly.

A sigh escaped her as she finished the list without having seen the name of the person whom she feared might be among the unfortunates reported lost. Before she reached the door, however, her strength failed her, and she had to be escorted to a car.

Reports received by cable last night confirm the statements from Bremen that the steamship carried 149 officers and sailors, 50 cabin passengers, and 125 steerage passengers, or 324 persons in all. There are 21 survivors, the loss therefore numbering 303.

London, Feb. 1.—The offices of the North German Lloyd Steamship company sent out the tug Dispatch to cruise around in search of survivors but the heavy sea and blinding snowstorm drove the boat back.

The lifeboat of the life saving station at Ramsgate returned to that place yesterday morning after having been out fifteen hours searching for possible survivors without having found any trace of either boat or wreckage.

The Broadstairs lifeboat also returned. Upon nearing the station the boat was blown ashore by the violent gale and the crew were dashed into the surf. Several of them were injured.

The survivors of the Elbe, who were brought to Lowestoft by the steam trawler Wild Flower, have nearly all recovered from the effects of their shock and exposure.

Miss Anna Buecker, the one woman who is known to have been saved, is the only one who is not able to be about. She is suffering from nervous prostration, and will be obliged to remain in Lowestoft for several days.

The surviving officers of the Elbe are very reticent in regard to the disaster, reserving their statements pending an official inquiry into the circumstances; but it transpires that an officer of the Elbe saw a green light on the port bow belonging to an unknown vessel, which, it is alleged, was trying to cut across the Elbe's bows.

This light evidently belonged to the Crathie.

Greenham, the English pilot, made the following statement:

"When I came on the deck of the Elbe, Capt. Von Goessel was on the bridge, in charge of the ship. The first order given was to swing the boats out, but not to lower them until further orders. Then came an order summoning everybody on deck and sending the crew to their station. This order was followed by another demand for the women and children to go to the starboard boats, the order giving everybody to understand that the women and children were to be saved first.

"These orders were given by the captain himself and were repeated by First Officer Wilhelm.

"The next order given was for the lowering of the boats. There was no confusion whatever among the crew or in the giving of orders, nor was there any panic among the passengers or crew. A high sea was running and there was a strong east-southeast wind blowing."

A great deal of adverse comment is caused by the fact that of the twenty persons saved from the Elbe, fifteen of them belong to the ship's crew, and that the boat in which they saved themselves contained only one woman and no children.

Attempts have been made by some of the survivors to account for this, but in no case in a satisfactory way. Even the solitary woman who was saved was not originally taken into the boat, but was picked up in the water after the boat had pushed away from the sinking ship, greatly against the wishes of some of the occupants of the boat.

The mate of the Crathie made a statement to the captain, who was below at the time of the collision, that he has no knowledge whatever as to the identity of the vessel with which the Crathie collided. His own vessel was so terribly damaged that its condition called for his undivided attention.

There was, the mate adds, a dense fog at the time of the accident, and the vessel with which the Crathie had collided was lost to view in the mist almost immediately after the crash.

Mr. Carl Hofman, of Grand Island, Neb., who is among the saved, refutes this statement by making the assertion that if the vessel which came into collision with the Elbe had stood by the sinking ship a majority of the passengers might have been saved, as the Elbe remained motionless until the water which was pouring into her hold caused her to lurch violently, after which all was confusion on board.

Prior to this, however, discipline was maintained and there could have been no difficulty in transferring the passengers in an orderly manner.

According to the statement of the Crathie's officers their vessel remained in the vicinity of the wreck for two hours and then returned to Rotterdam, as it was feared that she could not keep afloat.

It is understood that the loss of the Elbe's cargo will fall upon various insurance companies and the loss of the vessel upon the owners.

THEY LUP ... NORTON.

Strikers H... Magnate Arraigned in the Police Court.

Brooklyn, N. Y., Feb. 1.—Outside of the failure of the general public to patronize the trolley cars in this city, a stranger would never know that only a few days ago the city was over-run with soldiers, and that 7,000 men were on strike. The cars go along as usual, the main efforts of the strikers being to force conclusions with the companies through the aid of the law.

Several cases of violence were reported yesterday on the outskirts of the city, but only one case of wire cutting. The usual accidents caused by green motormen in collisions were reported.

The main feature of the day was the arraignment of President Norton, of the Atlantic avenue trolley system, in the Adams street police court charged by the strikers with having violated the ten-hour law.

He and his superintendent, Daniel J. Quinn, were notified to appear in court at 10 o'clock. They were on hand, and after pleading not guilty, were paroled by Police Justice Walsh in the custody of their counsel, ex-Judge Samuel Morris. The examination was set down for to-day.

The complainants in the case against President Norton and Superintendent Quinn are James Dwyer and Jeremiah Desmond, conductors, and George Layton, motorman, who were formerly employed on the Atlantic avenue road. The offense with which the president and superintendent are charged is a misdemeanor, and if they are found guilty they may be fined $500 and be imprisoned for one year.

This is a test case and, if successful, a thousand similar charges will be made.

THE KEEGAN TRIAL.

The State Finishes Its Testimony in the Murder Case.

Providence, R. I., Feb. 1.—Contrary to general expectation, the state finished its testimony in the Keegan murder case and rested. The attorney general was hampered by his inability to introduce evidence which would go to show a motive for the murder by Keegan.

In the argument of Lawyer McGill, the line of action adopted by the defense was first shown. An attempt will be made to prove an alibi and Keegan's counsel expect to show that the defendant was seen on Westminster street at 3:30, and at 5:10 o'clock, the time that the state witnesses say he was in Scituate. They also expect to prove that the team was seen on the Scituate road between 5 and 6 o'clock, with Mrs. Chambers in it alone, and that two shots were heard at 10 o'clock that night in a large lot a short distance beyond the place where the body was found, and that a small horse attached to a buggy was seen to turn out from that lot soon after that time.

NEWFOUNDLAND'S TROUBLES.

Reported That the Annexationists Will Reconstruct the Cabinet.

St. Johns, N. F., Feb. 1.—It is reported that a reconstruction of the Whiteway cabinet will take place today and that Whiteway, Bond and Morris will replce Greene, Horwood and Scott. It is stated that Harvey will retire from the cabinet because of the confederate tendencies of the government.

It is the general opinion here that the reconstruction of the cabinet will bring about another crisis as members holding their seats temporarily decline to relinquish them while the annexation movement, initiated by the Whitewayites in influential quarters, is being agitated because it is believed that the agitaton will have a damaging effect in England and injure Newfoundland's chances of placing a loan there.

The legislature will reconvene today when the new appointments will likely be announced.

REVOLUTIONISTS KILLED.

Hot Fights with Troops in the Streets of Bogota.

Panama, Feb. 1.—The river boats Colombia, Enrique and Montoya, which have been equipped and armed, are now at Puerto Barrio. A dispatch from Bogota says that all the revolutionary leaders have been imprisoned. An army is hurrying to Girardot and Honda.

President Caro commanded two artillery battalions which had encounters with revolutionists in the streets of Bogota and after a hot fight dispersed them. Many revolutionists were killed.

Dead in a Refrigerator Car.

Olathie, Kas., Feb. 1.—The bodies of two men were found in a refrigerator car on the Kansas City, Fort Scot & Gulf road yesterday. They were plainly dressed, and are thought to be brothers. Death was caused by suffocation. Nothing was found upon their bodies by which their identity could be established.

Right Fielder Tiernan Signed.

New York, Feb. 1.—M. J. Tiernan, the right fielder of the Giants has signed a contract to play with the New York club during the coming season. Burke, Murphy and Westervelt are in the city, and may sign in a day or two. There are now five men under contract.

Miners' Wages Cut.

Pottsville, Pa., Feb. 1.—The wages of the mine workers of the Schuylkill district of the anthracite coal region for the last half of January and the first half of February has been fixed at 11 per cent. below the $2.50 basis. This is one per cent. lower than the previous month.

Judgment for $99,000.

Newark, N. J., Feb. 1.—Judgment for $99,000 and costs on bond and warrant of attorney has been recorded in the Essex county circuit court in favor of the Mercantile National bank of New York against Edwin C. Quigley, the forger.

Application for a Receiver.

Philadelphia, Feb. 1.—Application has been made in the United States district court for the appointment of a receiver for the Delaware River & Lancaster Railroad company.

Norwegian Cabinet Resigns.

Christiana, Feb. 1.—Emil Stang, the conservative leader, and his cabinet have resigned their offices.

WHAT GORMAN THINKS

That the Senate Will Not Fail To Meet a Crisis.

His Speech Listened to with the Greatest Attention—Senator Allen's Resolution Went Over Until To-Day Without Action—Speaker Crisp's Reappearance.

Washington, Feb. 1.—Everything of interest that took place in the senate yesterday circled around the financial situation. During the morning hour there was a discussion over a resolution offered some days ago by Mr. Allen (pop., Neb.), as to the reasons why the United States notes were not paid in silver coin, as the secretary of the treasury has the discretionary power under the law to pay them. The resolution went over till to-day without action.

Then the District of Columbia appropriation bill was brought up by Mr. Gorman (dem., Md.) with the purpose, as he afterwards avowed, of shutting out the financial topic; but the purpose failed, because the bill led to a discussion late in the afternoon in which very important statements were made by Mr. Allison (rep., Ia.), and Mr. Gorman, who in the course of his remarks said:

"I believe that this senate, which has met every crisis in the history of the government, this senate which does not take account of the storms brewing outside, this senate which has never yet bowed to a demagogue, this senate which will maintain the credit of the government no matter what it costs, will, before this congress adjourns—if it does not come from elsewhere, as it ought to do—place upon an appropriation bill provision enough to pay every honest obligation of the government that has been contracted and to keep the administration (no matter which party it may be) in a position so that the honor of the government and the credit of the government shall be maintained; and we will continue to stand before the world the foremost nation in the matter of observing obligations."

Mr. Gorman delivered these rapid sentences with great force and earnestness, and his words were listened to with the greatest attention and interest.

Continuing, he said: "I care nothing about these little details. I call it details, though I ought not to use that word. But, in the present emergency, it is a matter of detail whether the money be silver or gold or greenbacks, or national bank notes, so long as the money is as good as any money in the world. It must be supplied to this government; and I appeal to members on the other side of the chamber to come forward in this crisis, for which they are as much responsible as we are. The responsibility is joint. It cannot be escaped by either side. It must be met by you (meaning the republicans) with us; and, before that clock, (pointing to the clock over the main door) points to 12 on the night of the 3d of March next, I believe—I think I know, I shall be the most deceived man in the world if it be not so—this great body will rise up in a way sufficient to meet the case and to save this country from impending disaster because of a want of money in the treasury."

In the House of Representatives.

The session of the house was signalized by the reappearance of Speaker Crisp in the presiding officer's chair, and by the service of Representative Everett (dem., Mass.) in the chaplain's stead. Mr. Crisp was greeted by applause from the score of members present when he called the house to order. Before proceeding with the discussion of the Pacific railroad refunding bill, a house bill was passed establishing a code of regulations governing the navigation of the great lakes and connecting waters; also senate bill fixing the times of holding courts in North Dakota, and providing that the court officials shall receive the same fees as are paid for like services to the court officials in the district of Oregon.

The passage of the refunding bill was opposed by Mr. Harris (pop., Kan.), Mr. Boatner (dem., La.), Mr. Snodgrass (dem., Tenn.), and Mr. Cooper (rep., Wis.), and advocated by Mr. Powers (rep., Vt.) and Mr. Lockwood (dem., N. Y.) The first hour of the session this morning will be devoted to general debate on the refunding bill.

Championship Skating Races.

Montreal, Feb. 1.—Nearly one hundred entries have been received for the championship skating races which take place here Saturday. Johnson, Mosher, Rudd and Hufes are hard at work putting on the finishing touches to their training. The Donoghue brothers are here and will be among the starters.

Running Meeting at Arlington.

Baltimore, Feb. 1.—It has been decided to have a running meeting at the Arlington race track, near Pimlico, during the month. The organization which is to give the meeeting is to be called the Baltimore Jockey club, and most of the officials are closely connected with the old Brighton Beach management.

The Third Newport Man Appointed.

Newport, R. I., Feb. 1.—This city is to have a third representative in the street cleaning department of New York city, Major Cushing, superintendent of stables under Col. Waring, having appointed William S. Rogers superintendent of repairs in his department.

Protested His Innocence to the Last.

Dawson, Ga., Feb. 1.—Howard Stevens, colored, who was hanged here yesterday for the murder of J. G. Mills, white, last year, protested his innocence to the last.

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WEI-HAI-WEI IS TAKEN

China's Naval Station Falls Into Japanese Hands.

The Chinese Bolted and Would Not Face the Dreaded Troops of the Enemy—All Her Warships Sailed Away Uninjured—Preparing for the Peace Envoys.

Che-Foo, Feb. 1.—The Japanese captured Wei-Hai-Wei Wednesday after two day's skirmishing.

The Chinese bolted when the actual assault was made. It is estimated that their loss was 2,000 men. Liu-Kung-Tau, an island near the city, on which are workshops and some forts, is still in the hands of the Chinese.

All the Europeans in the city escaped unhurt. It is reported that during the fighting all the Chinese men-of-war and ships in the harbor sailed away uninjured.

Wei-Hai-Wei, China's principal naval depot, is situated in the province of Shantung, about fifty miles east of the treaty port of Che-Foo and thirty miles west of the Shantung promontory. Wei-Hai-Wei was up to the beginning of the war the principal recruiting and training station for the men of the northern fleet.

The Chinese forces there were carefully trained under rules laid down when Captain Lang was the chief instructor of the Chinese navy; they were reported to be not only thoroughly efficient in handling their guns and torpedoes, but excellent marksmen.

The arsenal of Wei-Hai-Wei is one of the most complete in China, and the batteries commanding the bay, which have been constructed under the supervision of European engineers, are heavily armed with Armstrong and Krupp guns. The straits of Pechili, which are about fifty-five miles across in the narrowest part, separate the peninsula of Liau-tong from the northern coast of Shantung, and form the entrance to the gulfs of Pechili and Liau-ton. Pekin, Tien-Tsin and Taku are situated on the east coast of the former.

Washington, Feb. 1.—A dispatch received at the Japanese legation from the minister of foreign affairs, says that preparations are being made to receive the peace envoys, who are expected to arrive at Hiroshima to-day. They will be received with all honors decreed in such case by international law. Minister Kurino, in speaking of the dispatch, expressed the fear that the peace negotiations might fail.

WARD M'ALLISTER DEAD.

The Social Leader of New York Succumbs to the Grip.

New York, Feb. 1.—Ward McAllister died at his home, No. 16 West Thirty-sixth street last night. He had been in failing health for some time and during the past few days had suffered greatly from the grip.

At his bedside at the time were Mrs. McAllister, Heyward McAllister, his son, his daughter and his brother.

The news of his death was received in social circles with surprise, as it was not expected. It was the topic most discussed at Delmonico's and at the Charity ball.

Mr. McAllister was born in Savannah, Ga., about fifty-five years ago, and came to this city, where he married wealthy and soon assumed a leading place in society. He has visited Europe several times, and was well known to the Prince of Wales and other members of the royal family.

DEATH OF JUDGE HOAR.

Passed Peacefully Away After Seven Weeks' Sickness.

Concord, Mass., Feb. 1.—Judge E. Rockwood Hoar died peacefully and painlessly last evening, aged 78 years 11 months and 10 days, of heart failure, after about seven weeks sickness. His death has been expected for some time but his wondrfully strong constitution has prolonged life. He had been unconscious most of the time since Wednesday noon. At his death bed were his sons Samuel and Sherman, and his two married daughters Caroline and Clara D. His son Charles E., whose home is in California, and daughter Elizabeth, wife of Samuel Bowles, of Springfield, were not present.

The bell of the First Parish church was tolled, announcing his death to the people of the village. The arrangements for the funeral will be announced sometime to-day.

Reception to Congress.

Washington, Feb. 1.—A reception to congress and the judiciary was given by the president and Mrs. Cleveland at the executive mansion last night. The night was cold and clear and the attendance large. Mrs. Cleveland was assisted by the ladies of the cabinet, a bevy of young ladies standing behind the receiving line. The mansion was elaborately decorated with flowers, ferns and palms and brilliantly lighted.

Treasury Receipts for January.

Washington, Feb. 1.—The treasury receipts for the month of January aggregated $28,000,000; being an increase over the receipts for December. The expenditures in January amounted to $34,500,000 in round numbers, showing an excess of expenditures over receipts of about $6,500,000.

Their Pay Increased.

Easton, Pa., Feb. 1.—The pay of passenger engineers and firemen on the Lehigh Valley railroad between this city and Wilkesbarre, has been increased. The former will now receive $6.50 instead of $6 and the latter $4.20 instead of $4 per trip.

Sleighing Ends in Death.

Farmington, Del., Feb. 1.—William Thorpe was killed here and Horace Johnson, colored, was badly injured by being struck by a train. The two men were in a sleigh and did not see the approaching engine.

McCloskey Gets Eight Years.

Philadelphia, Feb. 1.—Charles G. McCloskey, who shot and killed Policeman John Chambers in September last, has been sentenced to eight years imprisonment.

MURDER OF FATHER ROSA.

Details of the Assassination of the Priest in Bolivia.

San Francisco, Feb. 1.—Details of the assassination of Father Antonio Rosa, priest at the Antofogasta Mining company's settlement in Bolivia, near the Chilian frontier, have been received in this city. Father Rosa was a native of San Francisco and went to Bolivia about five years ago.

The settlement was celebrating the feast of the village saint and Father Rosa led in the festivities. Among those present were a body of Chilians of the worst class armed with knives and firearms. Father Rosa returned to his house in the early part of the day and gave himself up to study.

As evening drew near the celebrators retired to a point several miles from the house, where a feast was spread. The Chilians then surrounded the priest's house and attacked him in his room. They tried to force him to confess that he had money hidden on the premises. On his protesting, he was cut down from behind. He fell on his face on a table and was hacked in a brutal manner.

After rifling the place and the little church close by, the murderers fled in haste toward the Chilian frontier. When the feasters returned and discovered that their devoted priest had been killed, every man seized some kind of weapon and started on the trail of the fugitives.

Twenty Bolivian Indians and several miners took the lead and succeeded in running the murderers down at Ollequa, at which place a mob formed and the prisoners would have been massacred had not a body of Chilian troops charged the crowd and rescued the men.

There were twelve of the murderers in all. They were hurried to prison and remained there until Chili turned them over to Bolivia.

PULLMAN MEMORIAL CHURCH.

The Magnificent Gift to the Universalist Denomination Dedicated.

Albion, N. Y., Feb. 1.—The Pullman Memorial church, the most magnificent gift to the Universalist denomination by any one person in the United States, was dedicated yesterday. The gift is by George W. Pullman, of Chicago, in memory of his parents, who resided here.

The church is of the old English gothic architecture and cost $30,000. The memorial window facing the street upon which is the original conception of a life size figure of Christ, by Wilson, cost $5,000. The beautiful organ cost $6,000. The estimated seating capacity of the church is 700. Besides there is a Sunday school room, library, piano, and dining room dishes.

The deed was delivered by Mr. George W. Pullman to the Universalist society, who already have a sinking fund of $5,000. The dedicatory sermon was delivered by the Rev. Dr. Royal H. Pullman, of Baltimore, and prayer was said by the Rev. Dr. Mason, of Buffalo. A choir from Rochester furnished the music. On the east and west sides of the main entrance are oval bronze medallions of Mr. Pullman's father and mother. The Rev. Dr. Charles Fluhrer, formerly of Grand Rapids, Mich., was installed pastor of the new church.

OLD RECORDS RETURNED.

Valuable Books, Which Disappeared Years Ago, Sent Back.

Kingston, N. Y., Feb. 1.—About twenty-five years ago twenty-seven books, being the old Dutch records of Ulster county mysteriously disappeared from the vaults of the county clerk's office and notwithstanding inquiry was made for them all over the county and state nothing could be learned regarding them. Yesterday there came by express from New York a box, which on being opened by County Clerk Sleight, was found to contain the missing records.

The books commence in 1666 and run until 1685. They are mostly written in Dutch, and consist of records of deeds, mortgages, supervisors proceedings, court proclamations, judgments and in fact a complete record between those dates, a period of some eighteen years.

County Clerk Sleight intends to have them bound, and will preserve them with great care. Who had the valuable records is not known as no letter giving name of sender has been received.

A Mother's Fatal Devotion.

Philadelphia, Feb. 1.—Fire at the house of Mrs. Christiana Zindlinger, caused the death of herself and one-year-old twin daughters. The mother left the house, but was horrified to find that her twin children had not been taken out. She rushed back, and was found with her children dead a few minutes later.

Eliot's Statement Exaggerated.

Boston, Feb. 1.—The Harvard Crimson says, in reference to President Eliot's manner of comparison of the football games to bull fights, and the suggestions of the ever present liability of death, is distasteful. "There may be some foundation for such statements," it adds, "but they exaggerate the truth of the matter."

Deserted His Young Bride.

Rochester, N. Y., Feb. 1.—Eugene Duffy, of Honeoye Falls, has disappeared, deserting his young bride, whom he was forced to marry Dec. 15 last on account of seduction. The girl was a domestic and had saved up quite a sum which her faithless husband took with him.

Gold Withdrawals.

Washington, Feb. 1.—Gold withdrawals yesterday reduced the treasury gold reserve at the close of business to $42,361,966. The withdrawals were: At New York, $2,277,000; at Chicago, $100,000. Of the withdrawals at New York $1,930,000 were for export.

Newspaper Changes Hands.

New York, Feb. 1.—The negotiations which have been progressing two weeks for the sale of the Press culminated yesterday, when Mr. Henry L. Einstein became the proprietor and Congressman Lemuel Quigg the editor of the paper.

Cut in Two by a Saw.

Englishtown, N. J., Feb. 1.—Joseph W. Taylor, owner of a saw mill at this place, fell on a big saw yesterday, which was rapidly revolving, and was cut squarely in two at the waist.

ROBBERS GET $10,000

A Southern Pacific Train Held-Up by Five Men.

Engineer Commanded To Stop at the Point of a Revolver Near Wilcox, Ariz.—Safe in the Express Car Blown Open with Dynamite—The Desperadoes Escape.

San Francisco, Feb. 1.—The Southern Pacific and Wells Fargo Express companies have offered a joint reward of $500 for each of the men implicated in the hold-up of the west-bound overland train near Wilcox, Ariz, Wednesday night, details of which have just been received at this place.

Special Agent Breckinridge of the Southern Pacific has gone to the scene with two Indian trailers, his purpose being to take the back trail and find out where the robbers came from.

From dispatches received it appears that five men were engaged in the robbery, four having been present at the place where the express car was looted, while the fifth is known to have been in the company of those four when they were seen in and about Wilcox previous to the robbery. He was probably not far away when the event occurred.

The actual work of the robbery was done by two men, who boarded the cars at Wilcox, and, when two miles west of the town, suddenly appeared in the cab of the engine with pistols and compelled the engineer to stop the train.

While one of the robbers kept him covered the other made the fireman and brakeman cut the express and mail cars loose from the rest of the train.

The engineer was then made to pull the two detached cars for about two miles to a culvert, where two more of the gang were found holding horses for the entire party.

It was here that the safe was blown open, the men with the horses having brought explosives.

Six explosions were effected by the robbers before they felt satisfied with their work. As a result, the top and sides of the express car were thoroughly shattered, and the express company's safe blown to pieces.

A great deal of money was scattered about and the express agent from Wilcox who visited the scene picked up about 700 Mexican dollars, which the robbers had not been able to collect.

Besides $10,000 in Mexican money there was considerable coin on the train which had been sent to pay railroad employes along the line.

After the robbery the men rode in a southerly direction. Of the two who boarded the train, one is described as being 5 feet 9 inches in height and of dark complexion, the index finger of the right hand being missing. The other was of light complexion and about 5 feet 7 inches in height.

It is reported that Grant Wheeler, known to be a desperate character, was seen in Wilcox yesterday previous to the robbery, and that with him was a stranger, who purchased eleven pounds of giant powder, fifty feet of fuse and twenty giant powder caps. He told the storekeeper that he was mining at De Cabassas, and that he could not take any more, as he had come on horseback.

Grant Wheeler and the stranger are supposed to be the two men who took the horses to the scene chosen for the robbery.

Another man was also seen in the company of Wheeler.

Sheriff Fly and four men have left Wilcox for the scene of the robbery and shortly afterward Deputy Sheriff Howard set out with two men. Scott White also took a posse out from Tombstone with the hope of heading off the robbers.

STRUCK BY AN ENGINE.

Horrible Accident to Lumber Merchant Grout and His Son.

Jersey City, Feb. 1.—George N. Grout and William A. Grout, his 21-year-old son, wealthy lumber dealers of this city and residing at Summit, left their office for their home at 6 o'clock last evening but in crossing the New York, Susquehanna & Western railroad tracks at Westside avenue were struck by a drill engine.

One of Mr. Grout's arms was cut off and the son had both legs severed from his body. They were removed to Christ's hospital where very little hope was entertained for the recovery of either.

Twenty Cars Wrecked.

Emporium, Pa., Feb. 1.—An eastbound freight train on the Philadelphia & Erie road jumped the rail near Kane Hill, east of this place yesterday. Twenty cars of merchandise were badly wrecked. Brakemen Grace and Smith were fatally injured. It required several hours to clear the tracks.

The Holmes College Burned.

Jackson, Miss., Feb. 1.—The Holmes college, erected two years ago by Miss Mary E. Holmes, of Rockford, Ill., for the education of colored girls, was destroyed by fire last evening. The wearing apparel and personal effects of the teachers and 120 pupils were nearly all lost.

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PORK—Steady. Extra prime, 13.00@15.50; mess, 11.50@12.00.

LARD—Steady. May, 6.92.

BUTTER—Firm. Creamery, state, fall made, 14@21c.; creamery, western extras, 24c.

CHEESE—Weak. State, full cream, fancy, 11@11½c.; common to fair, 9@9¾c.

EGGS—Firm. Western, 25½@26c.

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CHAPTER V.

THE MYSTERY OF NED AMES' BODY.

The Maxwell home on High street was a hundred and forty years old. Little of the original structure remained except the great oak framework, which might stand some generations longer.

It was untenanted. The young physician—the last of his race—had abandoned it about a year before. He had built a modern house and furnished it luxuriously in anticipation of his marriage with Anna.

Dr. Maxwell was a man of considerable means for that part of the country. He was not in the least dependent upon his practice, otherwise he would have gone to a more favorable location for money making. But situated as he was, he much preferred to remain in Williston. He loved the town for its great beauty, and for the quiet which favored his studies.

The old Maxwell place was on High street, about a hundred yards from its junction with a thoroughfare called Broadway, as the Williston people said, because it was the narrowest street in town. The Ames house was on Broadway, which, in its lower part, was the business street of the place. There were three residences on its upper portion, and Samuel Ames' was the last of them in the direction of High street. Clustered about the junction of Broadway and High street were many great trees, some of which extended their branches almost across one or other of the two thoroughfares.

It was more than half a mile from Mr. Warren's residence to the abandoned house in which Frank Ames had found his brother's body. There was courage enough displayed in Anna Warren's visit by night upon that dreadful errand to furnish forth a dozen martyrs.

They avoided the observation of chance passers upon the street. It had been agreed between them that they should make all haste; and, after Anna had been convinced of the truth of her companion's story, they should go to his father's house. There was little chance that the discrepancy in time would ever be discovered. It was much safer than a return to the Warren house would have been.

"When I think of this discovery," said Ames, as they trod the silent street, "I am amazed that it had not been already made. What more convenient hiding-place was possible? No one visits the old house. Had the grave closed over your sister's body there would have been no suspicion, and my brother's corpse could have lain there until its removal was convenient or until time served for its burial in the old cellar.

"If this detective had not been convinced that my brother's death was only a pretense, he would have solved the mystery at once. My belief in its reality made the solution easy. I went to the house this evening. I secured entrance by means of an upper window—"

"All the doors were locked," murmured Anna, shuddering.

"Yes, and you know who had the keys. Oh, Anna, believe me I do not speak heartlessly, nor am I moved by jealousy. The facts are to blame, not I. Some day when you are able to see my conduct in a clear light I believe that you will know it to be good, that you may even learn to love me as one who—"

"Hush! I cannot listen. Tell me how you found him."

"I knew where to look. I put myself in the murderer's place. Where would he hide it? I thought at once of the cellar. There is a great, old-fashioned furnace there in which a human body could be burned. Why he did not do it that night I could not at first understand. Now I know that he must have been forced to attend to his horses—remember he had ostensibly gone driving—and that having done so he dared not return to the house that night.

"My conclusions were correct. My poor brother's body lay on the cellar floor. There was scarcely a pretense of concealing it. Anna, can you bear the sight?"

"I can and will. There is but one difficulty. How can I get into the house?"

"I have unfastened one of the windows on the lower floor. All the doors are locked or nailed up. You must enter that way."

She did not hesitate. When they had reached the house, she made him enter by the window first, and then he drew her in after him. The lantern which he had used on his first search was hidden in the room they entered. He lighted it, and carefully shielding the flame so that it would attract no attention if anyone chanced to be passing, he led the way to the cellar. It was divided into two parts by a partition of brick with a light wooden door. Frank laid his hand upon the latch.

"Summon up your courage," he said. "But why should I say that? You tremble less than I do. No words can express how I admire you for what you are doing this night. Courage is the sum of all the virtues. Yet I must warn you. When I open this door, his body will lie before you."

"Open it," she whispered, awestruck.

He obeyed. The lantern's light flashed into the darkness.

There was a moment's pause. Then, with a hoarse cry, Frank sprang forward.

"It is gone!" he shouted, utterly oblivious of caution. "The body is not here."

"It never was here," breathed the girl. "Why have you brought me?"

"I swear to you that I saw it lying there this night. Bend down!"

He held the lantern to the floor of cement.

"There! In the dust do you not see the outline of his form?"

She saw it. Dust and ashes lay thick upon the floor, and it was possible to trace something like the imprint of a human body.

"In heaven's name, who can have done this?" cried the girl. "Frank Ames, if you have a heart in your breast, answer me: are you speaking the truth?"

If ever a man swore an oath to which credence could not be denied, Frank Ames did it then. It would have been madness to doubt his word. The truth flashed out of him, and there was no gainsaying it.

Hurried search convinced them that the body was not in the old house. Having failed, they went out as they had entered. They reached the street by the little side gate which they had used when they came in.

"I will return and obliterate our foot-prints," said Frank. "Hold! How blind I have been!"

He led the way toward the main gate which admitted to the walk leading to the front door. Two men's foot-prints were visible. They had entered and left the house in that way.

"We are too late!" gasped the girl. "Robert is lost."

"I have convinced you, then."

"No, no!"

"But I have. I know it. Yet the service I would have rendered you is now impossible. I cannot claim the reward."

"Not yet, but work! I shall need a friend. He will need a friend. I do not believe him guilty, but it would be folly to deny that he is in peril. Save him, and I will never forget what you have done."

"That is worth working for," he said. "But it is not all. A man demands more. If I save him, though you yourself believe him guilty, or if he never returns, thus confessing his guilt, what shall be my reward?"

"Urge me no further. I am utterly incapable of thought. Come with me to your father's house. We must be seen there. Then you must take me home."

Seeing that she was indeed yielding to the horrors of that night, he silently obeyed her, fearful that his resistance might actually distract her.

They found the Rev. Mr. Warren at Ned Ames' house, and with splendid self command the girl told him the story that had been agreed upon. She had come to take him home.

Frank insisted upon sharing the walk, and the girl dared not refuse. She wished, indeed, to keep him near her that he might act at her command in any emergency.

A bright fire blazed in the clergyman's cozy parlor, and in its light and warmth stood Robert Maxwell, waiting.

"IT IS GONE!" HE SHOUTED.

Rev. Mr. Warren was surprised to see his visitor, and the feelings of the other two who saw him call for a word that has not yet been put into the language.

Maxwell explained his sudden return by saying that he had found his investigations in Boston so simple as to require only a few hours' search. He had reached that city at six o'clock in the morning and had left on the noon express. In that short time he had convinced himself that Ned Ames had not died; that the pretended death was a ruse to throw the officers of the law off his track, and to facilitate the murder of Charlotte, which, for some reason hitherto undiscovered, had become necessary.

This information greatly interested Mr. Warren, and he would have discussed its bearings at great length with Maxwell, but Anna interposed. She would not permit her father to excite himself further. With gentle persuasion she made him consent to go to rest. But Maxwell and Ames did not leave the house. The situation would be regarded as unusual in any other part of the country; but in Maine the chaperone is an article imported only in small quantities and very little in demand.

When her father had gone, Anna told Maxwell exactly what she had done that evening. She omitted nothing except Frank Ames' declaration of love for her. Maxwell guessed that, and his wrath knew no bounds. Nothing but the presence of the woman they both loved prevented a personal encounter. Maxwell accused Ames of conspiring against him. He scoffed at the idea that the body of Ned Ames had ever been in the old Maxwell house.

"The idea is monstrous," he exclaimed. "I tell you that Ned Ames is not dead."

Before Frank could frame a reply, a new voice broke into the discussion.

"I beg to disagree with you," it said. "Eddie Ames is dead, and I have seen his body."

All turned toward the door into the hall, and there stood Mulligan, bowing apologetically.

"I knocked several times," he said, "but you were so interested that you did not hear me. Can I come in? Thank you, Miss Warren. And what have you to say in reply to me, Dr. Maxwell?"

Frank Ames did not wait for Maxwell's reply. He turned upon Mulligan.

"So it was you who removed the body?" he exclaimed.

"No, it wasn't. I found it, but somebody relieved me of the trouble of removing it. It was there at nine o'clock this evening. It isn't there now. Where is it, I'd like to know? And by the way, Dr. Maxwell, what time did you drive by the house on your way back from the Junction?"

"A little before ten."

"Returned from Boston rather sooner than you suspected, didn't you?"

Maxwell suppressed an oath.

"You know why," he said, angrily. "I was dogged by one of your men. If you want me watched, do it yourself. Here I am."

"Quite so; and I'm pleased to see you. Now, let me briefly state the facts. I didn't believed that Eddie Ames was dead. I believe Horace Riddle's story. But all the same it was my duty to

MULLIGAN FOLLOWS HORACE RIDDLE'S TIP.

search this town for Ames' body—which might have been in that coffin, you know—and I did search. I found it this evening in the cellar of your old house, doctor.

"From the appearance of the body I have no doubt that he died of diphtheria, as the record said. Now, how did the body get into that cellar? Thank heaven for the hardened snow under the soft feathery stuff that fell in the latter part of Thursday night. I did a little scraping outside the house and found some footprints. They were unquestionably those of the man who brought the body. He wore rubbers, and that's unfortunate. It's in the nature of a disguise. Still by measurements I was able to learn something.

"Will you oblige me with your foot, Mr. Ames? Thank you. Ah, it's much too long. What a long, narrow, aristocratic foot you have, to be sure! Those rubbers never went over your feet. Of course, I knew that before. I'm only showing you my method. Now, Dr. Maxwell. So; a very different foot, indeed. Those rubbers would have fitted you nicely."

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TROLLEY STILL DEFERRED.

FANWOOD TOWNSHIP CONTINUES ITS DISCUSSION.

Action Deferred Because No Route Is Ready—Another Meeting to Be Held Next Week.

Chairman Terry called to order the meeting of the Fanwood Township Committee last night and the special committee on the trolley matter were asked for their report.

T. J. Nichols, chairman of the committee, said the committee could not present a favorable report. They had worked hard to get signers, and had succeeded in getting a number of signatures, but not a majority. He was very sorry such was the case, but the committee had worked for the Forest avenue route, being led to believe they could succeed. If the Town Committee saw fit to defer the granting of the franchise tonight, the special committee would endeavor to secure signatures for that route, as they already had some signers.

Mr. Gaddis said he would like to present to the Committee an application for a franchise for an electric road beginning at a point at the corner of Mountain and Park avenue, running to Midway, to Forest, to the station. He hoped the Committee would grant the application and order it advertised, so the company could go on.

The company had been pledged by bankers $10,000,000 to go on with the work as soon as franchises enough were obtained to guarantee them that the line could be finished. The contract had already been given out, and the work started for a short line between New Brunswick and Raritan. He only referred to this to show the people of Fanwood Township that the company was acting in good faith.

Mr. Miller moved that the application be received and ordered advertised in The Plainfield Daily Press for fourteen days, according to law. The motion was carried.

Mr. Gaddis asked the Committee to grant the application for the franchise for the main line through Midway avenue, so the company would not be delayed any longer in starting the work. The company was not to blame, because the signatures for the loop had not been obtained, and it was unjust for the Committee to withhold that which they were certain to grant at some future date. It was only standing the company off when they were acting in good faith and had done all that they could when they made the application for the short line.

After a heated discussion, Mr. Gaddis promised to give bond to the Committee to build the short line to the station if the signers could be obtained.

Mr. Miller moved that the franchise be granted to the Philadelphia and New York Traction Company, at an adjourned meeting to be held Wednesday, February 6, the company to put up a $10,000 bond satisfactory to the committee. The motion was carried.

A resolution was offered by Mr. Miller that in view of the fact that a mad dog had been running at will through the town that all dogs in the township be chained for 30 days and all dogs known to be bit be killed at once. This was carried. The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved, the bills were read and ordered paid, the treasurer's report was read and accepted, and the committee adjourned to meet Feb. 6.

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HIGH SCHOOL NOTEBOOK.

Mr. Travell was absent yesterday with a return of the grip, with which he has been suffering for several days. His position as teacher of the Cæsar Class was filled by Ralph Campbell '93, now a student at the New York University, who was visiting his friends in the High School yesterday.

The regular meeting of the Kappa Delta Phi took place yesterday afternoon. The programme was "An Afternoon with the Heroes of the Revolution". The speakers were: J. V. Beekman, Jr., Israel Putnam; A. B. Crane, James Otis; C. B. Morse, Benjamin Franklin; L. H. Rand, Francis Marion; Henry Eggerding, John Paul Jones; J. H. Craig, Thomas Jefferson; E. H. Rapalye, Samuel Adams; E. I. Serrell, Count Pulaski; G. A. Horne, George Washington, Charles Noble, Patrick Henry; H. B. Drake, Anthony Wayne; F. W. Cornwell, Marquis de La-Fayette; J. C. Whiting, The Heroes of the Land of Penn. Several amendments to the constitution were adopted. The programme committee reported the following debate for next Friday: "Should foreign immigration to this country be restricted?" Affirmative, Henry Eggerding, Charles Noble; negative, Carl C. Gallup, Edgar I. Serrell.

"Ladies First."

An apt illustration of the ofttimes ludicrous way in which little people profit by their training was given not very long ago by one of Plainfield's young citizens in embryo. This young man has a sister nearly his own age, and one of the cardinal points of his daily education was that he should always give way to her for "ladies should always be first". That the youth has learned the lesson well was made apparent one afternoon when the disobedience of both youngsters to a request of the parent could no longer be overlooked and they were called up for punishment. Stepping from in front of his sister with a bow which would have done credit to Chesterfield himself, the little fellow gravely said "Ladies first, Mamma!"

Stopped Their Little Game.

(From The Dunellen Call.)

Some of our commuters have been in the habit of getting on the 4:30 express from New York and remaining in the rear car, which is left off at Plainfield and brought here by the shifting engine, thus saving about fifteen minutes and the many stops of the local. Last Saturday two of our townsmen were a little taken back when they arrived at Plainfield, by being informed that they would have to get off and wait for the local, as an order went into effect last Thursday which stops this time-saving scheme.

Thatcher & Johnson's Minstrels.

The whole town is going to see the Thatcher & Johnson Minstrels in Music Hall Monday night. One of the many features of the performance will be the great pony circus, introducing ten of the most beautiful specimens of horseflesh in the world. The company's magnificent orchestra, composed of picked musicians; the inimitable monologues of Messrs. Thatcher and Johnson; entertaining specialties by members of the company; the glittering ensemble of the entire company comprising nearly fifty performers; will, in elegance, novelty, and excellence, surpass all of Thatcher's previous efforts.

Our Authority Was the Fire Department Records.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE DAILY PRESS: In your issue of yesterday, in describing the fire of the previous night, you do me an injustice in ascribing the origin of the fire to a barrel of gasoline near the boiler. This is entirely wrong, as I have not, nor ever had, any gasoline in my establishment, either for general use or any other purposes. I trust that you will make this correction. G. O. Keller.

Plainfield, Feb. 2, 1895.

Midwinter Social.

The women of Union Village and vicinity will hold a midwinter social at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Smith, near Rogers Bros' home, Wednesday evening, Feb. 6. Music, both vocal and instrumental, and a pleasant time for all, are promised. Should it storm, it will take place the first fair evening.

—The Plainfield Tea and Grocery Company will open under the management of H. T. Williams, Saturday, Feb. 9, at 106 East Front street, offering bargains in household supplies for cash buyers.

Marvelous Results.

From a letter written by Rev. J. Gunderman, of Diamondale, Mich., we are permitted to make this extract: 'I have no hesitation in recommending Dr. King's New Discovery, as the results were almost marvelous in the case of my wife. While I was pastor of the Baptist Church at Rives Junction she was brought down by pneumonia succeeding la grippe. Terrible paroxysms of coughing would last hours with little interruption and it seemed as if she could not survive them. A friend recommended Dr. King's New Discovery; it was quick in its work and highly satisfactory in results. Sold by L. W. Randolph druggist. Regular size 50c and $1; our price 45c and 90c.

END OF THE DEBATE.

AMERICAN WRITES HIS FINAL LETTER ON THE POPE.

Delves Into Volumes of Church Lore to Substantiate His Position on the Romanist Question.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE DAILY PRESS:—As I was first attacked, please permit me the privilege of closing the controversy. P. J. Finn in his final letter, writes, 'American rises to the height of supreme absurdity when he quotes Pope St. Agatho as addressing an encyclical to the clergy of the U. S." Mr. Finn deliberately lies. American wrote, "Pope St. Agatho, and Gregory XVI in his encyclical letter to the bishops and clergy of the U. S., etc." And I put the date of Gregory's encyclical, affirming Agatho's position, that, "What Rome once taught she always teaches", in brackets, thus (1832). But, dishonest correspondent that he is, Finn skipped the date in order to get his falsehood in. The gentleman is a living exemplification of the Romish doctrine, "A lie is not sin if it helps the church". American quoted the Catholic doctrine that what the church has once taught she always teaches. Gregory in 1832, affirmed what Agatho taught 300 years before America was discovered; and Mgr. Preston, vicar general of New York, on Jan. 1, 1888, reaffirmed Gregory and Agatho. Preston said: "The infallibility of the pope is unquestioned; he can not teach false doctrines; he can not err. Every word Leo speaks from his high chair is the voice of the Holy Ghost and must be obeyed. To every Catholic heart comes no thought but obedience. It is said that politics is not within the province of the church, and that the church has only jurisdiction in matters of faith. You say 'I will receive my faith from the pontiff, but I will not receive my politics from him'. This assertion is disloyal and untruthful. You must not think as you wish—must think as Catholics." This 19th century theology is authoritative and comprehensive. If our pope is infallible all the popes are infallible; therefore, what one pope taught, all must teach and hold blood, and unbribable history tells what some of the popes taught—readers of The Press don't need Latin to understand this. Now the popes, without exception, have indorsed Loyola's position, giving this doctrine which American quoted authoritative circulation. American quoted Loyola as saying, "What I see white I believe to be black, if the spiritual authorities define it to be so". Finn cries, "The church does not teach it". Mgr. Preston says, "You must not think as you wish—must think as Catholics".

Finn's dishonesty is again exposed. American quoted authors, giving volume, page and paragraph, as teaching, that, allegiance to a Protestant government may be abrogated if it is for the interest of the church. Finn says the quotations are garbled, and the church does not teach it. Mgr. Preston says, "You must take your politics from Rome, the pope can not err"; while Corpus Juris Canonici Leipsicæ (1839) page 1159, says, "No oaths are to be kept if they are against the interest of the Church of Rome". And to cap the climax, Cardinal Manning, speaking in the name of the pope, said: "I acknowledge no civil power. I am the subject of no prince, and I claim more than than this. I claim to be the supreme judge and director of the conscience of men, of the peasants that till the field, and of the princes that sit upon the throne; of the household that lives in the shades of privacy, and the legislature that makes laws for kingdoms. I am the sole, last, supreme judge of what is right or wrong." Now Finn's dishonesty is again exposed.

American quoted Canon Law, giving section and article, which says, "He who kills one that is excommunicated, is no murderer in a legal sense". Finn says: "The doctrine quoted is false—the church does not teach it—oh where is the Latin?" Let us again call Mr. Finn's attention to the decree passed by the Council of Lateran (1215) and declared by the Rt. Rev. Bishop Foley of Chicago, under oath on Dec. 30, 1870, before the circuit court of Kankakee, Ill., is be the law of the church today: "We expommunicate and anathematize every heresy that rears its head against * * the Catholic faith, condemning all heretics, by whatever name they may be known, for though their faces differ, they are tied together by their tails. Such as are condemned are to be delivered over to the secular powers for punishment. If laymen their goods must be confiscated. * * Secular powers of all ranks and degrees are to be warned, induced, and, if necessary, compelled by ecclesiastical censure, to swear that they will exert themselves to the utmost in the defence of the faith, and extirpate all heretics denounced by the church." This is 19th century Catholic teaching, by a bishop, and it just lays out Finn. Today (1895) not a candidate for the bishopric can be consecrated to the high office without first swearing: "Heretics, schismatics, and rebels to our said Lord (the Pope) or his successors, I will to my utmost persecute and oppose." Finn is again exposed in his falsehoods. American quoted Lessius, Bonar and Trail, as teaching that Catholics under certain conditions may commit perjury and utter equivocations. Finn says "it's false; the church does not teach such doctrines". In an official work called "DeAbsolutione", published by P. Donahoe of Boston (1874) and indorsed by ten American bishops, on page 22, par. 26, occurs this: ["Unless there is a well founded hope that by their influence they may render them to a notable degree less harmful], members on the boards of public schools, which are positively injurious, cannot be absolved; but those connected with the boards of other public schools cannot be called by themselves unworthy of absolution, but rather are worthy even of praise, if they accept or retain the office for the purpose of keeping far from the school books and teachers, who might be dangerous to the faith or morals of Catholic children. But this class of men occasions much work to the parish incumbents in some places, and generally brings to the church not a little harm." Here Catholics are instructed to "accept office" or to "retain it", to equivocate, or if necessary take false oaths, for the purpose of juggling with the public schools, teachers, and books, in the interests of the church. Remember this is 19th century Catholic doctrine indorsed by bishops.

In the same book, page 20 par 23, occurs this: "* * * * There are some who secretly substitute the Catholic (or certain leaves of the Catholic) for the Protestant version of the Bible (or in the books which they are compelled to use and which are professedly adverse to religion (Catholic) they either amend the corrupt passages by suitable explanation or omit them) * * * *". Here again, is the "secret" underhanded "substitution." of what the civil law does not admit, for that which the civil law demands. Chicanery, and deceit, and violation of oaths, and civil obligations, to Protestant governments are still taught by Rome. Enough modern Catholic authorities have been quoted to show that American correctly stated some of the doctrines of Rome; and also to prove that as a deliberate falsifier Mr. Finn is a monumental success. Finally Finn accuses American of being intolerant, and attempting to revive old calumies. Let's see who is "intolerant". Let's see who is the "devilish disturber of peace". Finn, just turn to Plain Talk About the Protestantism of Today, indorsed by Archbishop Williams of Boston, and in present circulation, and on page 55 read: "To be a Christian is to be a Catholic: outside of Catholicity you may be a Lutheran, a Calvinist, a Mohammedan, a Mormon, a Free Thinker, a Buddhist, but you are not, you cannot be a Christian". Here is the red hand and uplifted club! No one but a Catholic can be a Christian! American has not misrepresented Catholicism; on the contrary he has exposed its enmity towards Protestantism: and the lying hypocracy of its advocates, like Finn.

Now a brief review of Finn's juggle of war facts. Bigelow and Benjamin establish the very point I made; that the Pope held confidential correspondence with Jefferson Davis during the war; the method of addressing Davis is not to the point at all—but, the Pope did correspond with him. Finn says Booth was not a Catholic. Finn falsifies as usual. Lansing in Romanism and Republic, page 272 says: "It was brought out in the military tribunal which condemned some of them to death, that every person who had anything to do with the assassination of Lincoln was a Roman Catholic". Chiniquy needs no defense—Finn merely uses the exploded charge by which the church sought to minimize the awful proof which Chiniquy parades against Rome; Chiniquy has never been refuted—Finn does n't do it—only calls him names. The same vilification was used to silence Dr. McGlynn—this time McGlynn conquered the church. Finn says insurgents fired the first shot of the war. People's Encyclopedia, page 230, says: "In 1861 Beauregard was appointed by the Confederacy to command at Charleston, where April 11, he commenced the war by the bombardment of Fort Sumpter." General Beauregard was a Catholic.

I close this article, which I have tried to keep as short as possible, with a paragraph from the Rambler, a prominent Catholic paper of England: "The South would never have dared attack the North had they not had the assurance from the Pope, that the Jesuits, the bishops, the priests and the whole people of the church of Rome would help them. Because of this the Roman Catholic Beauregard was chosen to fire the first gun at Sumpter. The Pope of Rome was the only crowned prince in the whole world, who recognized the Southern Confederacy." This is quite enough.

And yet Finn talks of the love of the Catholic authorities for the Republic.

Again Finn's dishonest tactics are seen. The desertion statistics stand—The Citizen of Boston authenticates them. The Sun's late denial, comes too late to offset the result. If they were false The Sun deserves condemnation for printing such a glaring falsehood in the first place.

The colored gentleman in the woodpile is too awfully apparent.

I thank you Mr. Editor for your patience: and only ask the privliege of defending myself from such jugglers of history as P. J. Finn & Co. AMERICA.

—One of the big specials at U. B. Crane's, 120 West Front street, is a dollar laundried shirt with colored front for 49 cents.

A BOROUGH DEFICIT.

MAKING ENDS MEET AT THE CLOSE OF THE YEAR.

Street Railway Company Criticised for Using Salt on the Tracks—To Hunt Out Tax Delinquents.

The North Plainfield Borough Council meeting was called to order at 8:15 last evening by Mayor Needham. Councilmen Lounsbury, Valiant, Winckler and Peck were present. Clerk Arnold read the minutes of the previous meeting, which were approved.

The clerk's report was then read as follows:

Received from T. R. Crosley, fines	$ 25.00
" " Marshal Whitely	1.00
Borough deficit	$1,686.70
Balance	
Fire Dept. $629.58	
Light Account $656.52	
Road Account $1,004 92	
	$2,691 61
	$1,285.10
Total deficit	$1,406.52

M. B. Lunger was elected a member of Warren Engine Company some time ago, and the company asked that he be confirmed. It was referred.

A communication was received from Lewis C. Wyckoff and others, asking that a sidewalk be laid on Howard street from No. 10 to 26. It was referred.

A. I. Smalley and others asked Council to remedy the extremely bad condition of Somerset street from Howard to Regent streets. The proper committee was given charge of the matter.

The office vacated by P. M. French on the Board of Health, by reason of the expiration of his term, was filled by the Mayor He appointed E. P. Smith.

Mr. Lounsbury of the Sewer Committee reported progress, and Mr. Peck reported that the fire-gong had been repaired and was now all right.

The monthly batch of claims was presented, referred, and later ordered paid.

Collector Spencer made the following reports:

Received license money, $225 each, from the following: Hipp, Zeller & White, Boyce, Speigel. Total, $900. County Clerk's fees 5 per cent; balance, $855.

1892 taxes collected since the last report:

Borough	$ 32.44
Lights	142.74
Roads	103.81
Fire department	71.39
	$ 356.86
Previously reported	11,679.84
Total	12,036.70

1894 taxes collected since the last report:

Borough	$ 191.86
Lights	920.92
Roads	652.22
Fire Dept	527.21
Sidewalks	36.00
	$ 2,328.21
Previously reported	7,397.82
Total	$ 9,726.13

Clerk Arnold stated that notes amounting to $2,500 would fall due before next meeting and asked that they be renewed to pay bills. The borough, he said, needed $4,799.

Mr. Lounsbury in a resolution asked that Tuesday, Feb. 12, be designated as registry day; and that Feb. 19 and March 5 be designated to alter and revise the lists, and transfer the names of any so desiring. The election will be held March 12. The resolution was adopted.

After a recess of ten minutes, Mr. Lounsbury brought up the question as to the right of the street railway to use salt on the tracks, and claimed they had been doing it. They have, he said, the right to use it on switches, but there is a fine attached to the use of salt along the rails, and he thought the offenders should be looked after.

Mr. Valiant moved that the collector be requested to present a full list of delinquent taxpayers as far back as time goes, so the borough would know its resources. It was adopted.

Messrs. Valiant and Peck offered resolutions renewing for two months the several notes which fall due soon, and have them charged to Road, Light and Fire Department accounts. They were adopted.

Mr. Peck moved that when the Council adjourned it be to meet Friday, Feb. 15. This was carried.

Mr. Winckler moved that the Auditing and Finance committees be authorized to examine the books, accounts and moneys of the clerk and collector, which was adopted. Mr. Valiant thought that the collector's and clerk's book should balance, and he wanted to see the thing done in a business-like manner, so that the borough would know exactly where they stood.

Mr. Lounsbury moved that the council go into executive session, which they did. The matter of sewerage was discussed. Borough Counsel Charles A. Reed and Engineer F. A. Dunham being present to give their opinion when needed.

It Is Not Pi.

Chowfa Maha Vayiravadh! This may look like pied type to you, but it's the name of the King of Siam. That's about the way all printed matter will look to you, however, if you neglect to care for your eyes. They may need attention now. Do not delay calling at Collier's, 103 Park avenue, where examinations are free and reliable advice given.

NORTH PLAINFIELD SCHOOL NOTES.

The subject of the exercise yesterday given by the Juniors was Napoleon. John H. VanWinkle, Jr., gave an interesting sketch of Napoleon Bonaparte; Miss Edith Cooley recited Lord Byron's The Eve before Waterloo; Miss Emma Stevens, "The Death of Napoleon".

The Junior class will hold a class meeting this evening at the home of one of the members.

Miss McCoy, regular teacher of the Seventh grade, has returned after a season of illness.

Miss Petrie is expected to return Monday as teacher of the Junior class.

Photographing the Shooting Scene.

Yesterday at 2:07 p. m. Prosecutor Marsh, County Engineer Quien and his assistant, Cameron, arrived in town from Elizabeth and were escorted by Chief of Police Grant to the locality where Morres Evans was shot. The party was accompanied by Photographer Thorn, who took accurate plates of the surroundings. The pictures are to be used in the Welsh-Kane trial at Elizabeth next Wednesday, and will be invaluable in establishing a clear and correct idea in the minds of the jury as to the circumstances at the time the shooting occurred. County Engineer Quien and his assistant also took a careful survey of the grounds and adjacent buildings and will prepare a large diagram, showing the elevation and the ground plan, which will also materially assist the jury throughout the trial.

Salvation Is Deliverance.

The interest in the evangelistic services in Grace M. E. Church is gaining. Many friends of the church were present last night to help in the good work. Rev. Mr. Kinsey preached an excellent sermon from the words: "How shall we escape, if we neglect so great salvation?" Salvation is deliverance from the guilt, power and penalty of sin. It is great in its cost, in its ability to meet human needs, in its universality. Apt illustrations held the interest of all present. In the after-service a number signified their desire to lead a new life. Dr. Barnes closed the service with words of advice and encouragement. Services will be held every night next week except Saturday.

Graceland's Ungraceful Station.

The little railroad station at Graceland that was built a couple of years ago has been almost totally destroyed by boys and tramps. A few nights ago three tramps who wanted to keep warm built a fire on the floor of the station. A man from Fanwood who was passing saw the blaze in the building and went to investigate. The tramps fled, and the fire was extinguished with snow.

Two Sisters Die at Once.

Mrs. Pamelia Smith of Somerville died there Thursday night. She had a sister, Mrs. William Lyons, living in Perth Ambop. The sisters were very fond of one another, and when news of Mrs. Smith's death was telegraphed to Perth Amboy the word came back directly that the sister had also died at almost the same moment.

Socialist Headquarters.

The Socialists of the West End have at last found headquarters. It is the intention of the members who reside in the West End to renovate the store at the corner of South Second street and Grant avenue, and in the future have it for their meeting place. Work on the interior will be begun at once.

BY THE WAY.

—The quarantine has been removed from the house of John Ulrich.

—Mr. Hoffman's incubator, West Front street, has hatched out a 5-toed Plymouth Rock chicken.

—Mrs. L. Coles has taken possession of Room 202, Babcock Building, where she is prepared to do fashionable dressmaking, using the Taylor French system.

—George VanBlake of 320 Richmond street, coachman for J. W. Johnson, was taken from his rooms in the barn to his home, in a carriage, suffering from an attack of the grip.

—The Dachshunde, Mascot, owned by Mrs. U. T. Hungerford of Netherwood, has recovered from his partial paralysis, so as to be able to move around again, through the treatment of Dr. F. C. Herber, veterinary surgeon.

—Mrs. Dr. Edwards had planned to leave Plainfield for Lakewood, but finds that her professional services continue in such urgent demand here that she is compelled to remain at the City Hotel one one week longer. This celebrated clairvoyant may be consulted here until Saturday, Feb. 9 at 7 a. m., when she will positively leave for Lakewood.

—Any woman can be strong minded about a thing she does not want. But it takes a powerful sight of will power to resist the choice and beautiful goods at Peck's.

—Brastus Harris, a colored employe of M. C. Bird at the latter's wood yard on East Fourth street, cut the forefinger of his left hand nearly off between the first and second joints on the circular saw yesterday afternoon at 4.

—A Christian Endeavor service will be held in the First Presbyterian Church next Wednesday evening, at which time Rev. Thornton B. Penfield of the Presbyterian Board of Missions, New York, will make an address.

Four Big Successes.

Having the needed merit to more than make good all the advertising claimed for them, the following four remedies have reached a phenomenal sale. Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption, coughs and colds, each bottle guaranteed—Electric Bitters, the great remedy for liver, stomach and kidneys. Bucklen's Arnica Salve, the best in the world, and Dr. King's New Life Pills, which are a perfect pill. All these remedies are guaranteed to do just what is claimed for them and the dealer whose name is attached herewith will be glad to tell you more of them. Sold at L. W. Randolph's drug store.

FOUR LIVES LOST.

The Deaconness' Hospital in Cleveland Nearly Destroyed by Fire.

Cleveland, O., Feb. 2.—Four lives were lost in a fire which almost destroyed the Deaconness' hospital in this city yesterday. The dead are:

Jacob Krause, aged 65, burned; John Allmeyer, 59, burned; Minnie Baumer, nurse, 25, from Chicago, burned; Walter Clark, 6 months old, suffocated.

Several other patients were injured, but none seriously. Rosa Gerber, one of the laundry girls, first discovered flames in the basement of the hospital. There were few people in the neighborhood at the timie. The first arrivals heard screams and saw flames shooting from every window on the second and third floors.

Suddenly a woman's face appeared at one of the windows and she was seen to smash the heavy glass with her fist. Then she leaped out head first, and struck on her face. The fire department was slow in reaching the hospital, the snow and ice in the streets preventing a quick run, but when once at work the fire was quickly subdued.

There are only two exits from the upper part of the building one in the front and one in the rear. The nurses got out safely, almost at the start, with the exception of Minnie Baumer. When her sister nurses called to her that the building was on fire she cried: "No, I will not leave my patient, I will die first."

She was nursing Krause, who was also burned to death. She sat by the side of the sick man until death came to both of them. The injured were taken to the other hospitals of the city.

The Deaconness' hospital is under the direction of the Methodist Episcopal church and has done much philanthropic work. It was opened last October and was nearly filled with patients. The front part of the building is entirely destroyed.

ACCIDENTS AT SEA.

Two Steamers Lost While Others Are Badly Damaged.

London, Feb. 2.—The British steamer Iturni, grounded and foundered off St. Michaels, Azores. She sailed from this port Nov. 29 for Demerara and put into St. Michaels in distress. Repairs were made and she proceeded on her voyage Dec. 16, arriving at Barbadoes on Dec. 28. She foundered on her return trip.

The Times correspondent at Whitby, in the North Riding of Yorkshire, says that a steam collier was wrecked on the rocks at Port Mulgrave. Two of the crew were drowned.

The British tank steamer Beacon Light, Captain Anderson, from New York Jan. 12, arrived in the Downs yesterday in tow for London. The Beacon Light was badly damaged and had lost her propeller.

Bremen, Feb. 2.—The North German Lloyd steamer Fulda, Captain Thalenhorst, which left New York on Jan. 22, grounded in the River Weser, but was floated at the next high tide. She sustained no damage and proceeded to this city.

UNJUSTLY SENTENCED.

Evidence That William Gay, Convicted of Burglary, Is Innocent.

Norwich, Conn., Feb. 2.—A sensation has been caused by the discovery of evidence which indicates that William Gay, now serving out a twenty-one months' sentence for burglary in the Wethersfield state prison, is innocent of the change upon which he was convicted.

Gay was convicted on circumstantial evidence, the clinching fact being that a coat belonging to him was found in the burglarized store at Fitchville. A Preston dressmaker says she received as a present some of the silk handkerchiefs stolen from the store by a young man who waited upon her, who told her he tried to sell, in Jewett City, cigars stolen at the same time and threw a lot of stolen shoes back of a wall. Inquiry and search resulted in a corroboration of the woman's story.

When Gay was tried the woman said she told the burglar he ought to go to court, tell the truth and free Gay. He replied: "Gay is innocent—no jury will convict him." It is probable the governor will be asked to immediately release Gay.

THE BOUNDARY DISPUTE.

Difficulties Between Mexico and Guatemala Not Yet Surmounted.

City of Mexico, Feb. 2.—In her boundary dispute with Mexico, Guatemala relies on the preliminary treaty between the two republics, dating from August, 1882, signed in New York, and containing an arbitration clause, while Mexico rests her claims on the definite treaty of Sept. 27, of the same year, signed in Mexico. In the latter treaty the method of settling the disputed boundary is clearly defined.

The difficulties in the relations of the two republics are by no means yet surmounted. El Universal said last night in an inspired article, that Guatemala has not as yet decided to fully satisfy Mexico's demands. The idea of the organization of a Central American aliance against Mexico, made public a few days ago, is ridiculed by the press here. Jacinto Castellanos, the Salvadorian minister, will be received to-day by President Diaz.

A Colored Swell in Trouble.

Boston, Feb. 2.—Albert J. Hosier, a colored swell, who has been employed in the law office of Henry D. Hyde, in the Exchange building for several years, has been arrested on the charge of forging his employer's name to a check for $100. Hosier's forgeries are believed to have aggregated a considerable sum.

The Adams' Bequest.

Plymouth, Mass., Feb. 2.—By the provisions of the will of the late Frederick C. Adams, of Kingston, which now becomes operative by the death of his wife, the town of Kingston will receive over $50,000 to be devoted to the building and furnishing of a town hall and public library.

$15,000 for the Injury of His Child.

Erie, Pa., Feb. 2.—The jury in the case of Ernest Woeckener vs. the Erie Motor company have rendered a verdict in favor of the plaintiff for $15,000. Woeckener's 3-year-old daughter was run down by one of the defendants cars and seriously injured.

PROBING FOR THE CAUSE

Official Inquiry Into the Sinking of the Elbe.

Vivid Description by Hofman of the Steamer's Fate—No News of the Missing Life Boat—Queen Victoria's Sorrow Surviving Passengers Ready To Start for London.

London, Feb. 2.—It is understood that the officers and crew of the Crathie were examined by the British consul in Rotterdam. They will leave the ship and return forthwith to Aberdeen.

Vevera, Hofmann and Schlegel, the Elbe passengers, denied emphatically that the Crathie remained signaling for two hours near the scene of the collision. They say that had she done so, she could have saved many lives.

Vevera, Hofman and Schlegel, the to reach the Elbe's deck after the collision, did not see the Crathie answer any of the Elbe's signals. He noticed a small steamer, apparently the one that had struck the Elbe, steaming away.

As regards the behavior of the Elbe's crew, Hofman says:

"I seized a lifebelt as soon as I got on deck, but a sailor demanded it, saying that it belonged to the crew. I gave it up with the remark. 'Well, I hope you will save yourself,' but he didn't. The crew did their best to keep the passengers out of the boats."

Hofman was greatly embittered by the loss of his wife and child. He talks continually about it, and in each interview makes new charges against the crew.

"I was born among the Indians out west," he said. "I have gone through rough times with my family there. Now it is all over with them and they have been sacrificed by the carelessness of these men. I do not value my own life now; I can think only of my loss."

Hofman's description of the final settling of the ship was vivid.

"I could see her sinking rapidly as we pulled away in the small boat. Her bow went up steadily into the air. The deck grew steeper, and I could see the poor wretches aboard her climbing and crawling toward the prow, until suddenly all were engulfed."

Vevera told a reporter last night: "There was a lot of green hands in charge of the lifeboats. They were so excited they did not know what they were about. They filled one boat and then dumped all the occupants into the water. The crew in our boat were very reluctant to admit Miss Boecker. Hofman and I dragged her in without any aid from the seamen."

Vevera and Hofman also attacked Third Officer Stollberg and First Engineer Neussell. They say that both acted selfishly after the rescue, and that Stollberg made no effort to command the boat, but gave the whole responsibility to the steerage passenger, Boethen, who had been cook on a French steamer.

They speak highly of Boethen's coolness and skill, and give him the whole credit for managing the boat.

The company booked Vevera and Schlegel to sail on the steamship Umbria to-day, and both will start for Liverpool. Each has received $15 from the company for losses on the ship.

Many more smacks arrived at Lowestoft late last evening. They brought no news. Others are due to arrive today and to-morrow.

The skipper of the smack Competitor which returned last night, reported that he saw what he thought was a mail bag and tried to catch it with a boat-hook. He missed it and, knowing nothing of the collision, did not try for it again.

Handbills distributed in Lowestoft say that Consul Bradbeer will pay £50 for the body of Walter Schuell, one of the Elbe's first cabin passengers.

The Shipwrecked Mariners' society has sent a barometer to Skipper Wright, of the Wildflower, and £10 to his men, and the mayor of Lowestoft has opened a fund for their benefit.

A dispatch from Vienna says that among the Elbe's passengers were the Guttman brothers, directors of a steam mill company near Kaschan, Hungary. The Guttmans had fled to escape arrest for forgeries by which they defrauded the company and the peasant shareholders of 300,000 florins. They are said to have given assumed names at the steamship office.

The North German Lloyd Steamship company, owners of the lost steamer Elbe, have libeled the British steamer Crathie by nailing a writ to her mast.

This action is taken preliminary to claiming damages for the sinking of the Elbe by the Crathie. The Crathie is worth £8,000, without her cargo.

Lloyd's agent at Lowestoft has received the following telegram: "The queen is greatly distressed at the terrible disaster to the steamship Elbe, and will be glad to know the condition of the rescued ones and to be informed if there is any chance that there may be other survivors."

To this message the agent replied: "The survivors of the Elbe are sincerely grateful for her majesty's kind inquiry as to their condition. All of them are able to start for London. I fear that there is no hope now that any more have been saved."

O'Donnell and Maher Matched.

New York, Feb. 2.—The Atlantic Athletic club of Coney Island has matched Steve O'Donnell, Jim Corbett's sparring partner, and Peter Maher, the Irish champion, for a twenty-five round contest on March 25.

Sold to an English Syndicate.

San Francisco, Feb. 2.—The Iron Mountain mine, located in Shaste county, has been sold for $300,000 to an English syndicate represented by Frederick W. Fielding, of Fielding, Saunders & Son, of New York.

Coldest Weather Since 1883.

St. Paul, Minn., Feb. 2.—Signal Service Officer Lyons reports that the last twenty-four hours have been the coldest since 1883. The temperature in this city at 7 a. m., was thirty below zero.

Says Italy Will Arbitrate.

Rome, Feb. 1.—The Diritto says that Italy will arbitrate the dispute between Portugal and Cape Colony concerning Manicaland and Delagoa bay.

FINANCE IN THE SENATE.

Senator Teller's Vigorous Comment on Mr. Gorman's Remarks.

Washington, Feb. 2.—The consideration of the District of Columbia bill by the senate again involved an interesting financial debate, the principal speaker being Senator Teller, who, referring to Mr. Gorman's remarks, commented rather vigorously upon the assertions of the Maryland senator that there was a treasury deficit of $100,000,000 and contrasted them with the president's message, saying there was a "comfortable balance" in the treasury. Mr. Teller said the surplus was not there and he thought it was the right of the senate to be told by the treasury the truth about the matter.

Mr. Teller's speech was of some length and several interpolations by senators on either side brought out an extension of the Colorado senator's views and drew out as well the explanation from Senator Gorman that, when he (as it might have been) used the word "revenue" measure with the understanding that such would be placed on an appropriation bill, he meant to use the word money.

Mr. Gorman disclaimed any proposition to place on an appropriation bill, a bill to raise revenue.

Mr. Teller said no legislation will go on an appropriation bill with his support. The putting on an appropriation bill, he said, of a provision for borrowing money is very serious and ought to be prohibited by the constitution. Mr. Teller was applauded before concluding his speech.

CAPTURE OF WEI-HAI-WEI.

Further Details of How the Naval Station Was Taken.

Yokohama, Feb. 2.—An official dispatch received here gives particulars of the capture of Wei-Hai-Wei by the Japanese forces, as already announced. The dispatch says that the second army and the fleet attacked Wei-Hai-Wei on the morning of Wednesday last, and by evening all the land forts were captured.

The island forts are still resisting, but the Japanese have obtained command of the east and west entrances of the bay. The capture of the Chinese fleet is regarded as imminent.

Hiroshima, Feb. 2.—Count Ito Hiroboumi, president of the council of ministers, and M. Mutsu Munemitsu, the minister of foreign affairs, gave audience yesterday to the Chinese peace envoys.

Hong Kong, Feb. 2.—General Fung is going to march from Kwang-Tung with 5,000 troops in order to assist Viceroy Chang in the defense of Nanking. General Fung is one of the Chinese officers who fought in Annam against the French.

HAS THE TIDE TURNED?

The Treasury Yesterday Gained Instead of Lost Gold.

Washington, Feb. 2.—A turned tide of gold exports has occurred and for the first day in several weeks the treasury yesterday gained instead of lost gold. The net gain for the day was slight, being only $543,500, but it increased the reserve to $42,915,467.

This increase was brought about by the return of $1,800,000 in gold to the New York sub-treasury by exporters and bankers who had taken it out earlier in the week. The withdrawals, however, continued on a diminished scale, amounting for the day to $1,257,500. Of this amount $1,250,000 was for export.

During January only seven-tenths of 1 per cent. of the customs receipts at New York, which aggregated $12,817,827, were paid in gold coin or gold certificates.

SUIT AGAINST WANAMAKER.

Proceedings Instituted for Violation of the Contract Labor Law.

Philadelphia, Feb. 2.—Edward J. Brooks has instituted proceedings in the United States court against the firm of John Wanamaker for the government to recover $1,000 for an alleged violation by the defendant of the contract labor law.

Brooks claims that on account of an advertisement in a London paper he came to this country and was employed in Wanamaker's silk department; that his passags money was deducted; and that, although the understanding was that he was to hold his position for two years, he was discharged at the end of the first year.

TWO HUNDRED IN PERIL.

The Stranded Steamer Amerique in a Dangerous Position.

Colon, Feb. 2.—The General Transatlantic line steamer Amerique, from St. Nazaire for way ports and Colon, reported as having stranded off Cape Agousta, near Savanilla, department of Bolivar, Colombia, remains in a bad position, and it is expected that she will become a total wreck.

There are two hundred persons on board of her and they are in great peril.

Two steamers have gone to the scene of the wreck to render whatever assistance may be possible.

PREACHER'S BLOODY CRIME.

Cut His Wife's Throat and Shot His Child and Himself.

Aurora, Mo., Feb. 2.—Bud Ellis, a farmer and Methodist preacher living four miles from this city, became suddenly insane yesterday. He cut his wife's throat and shot his little girl through the head, killing them, then going to a farm where he formerly resided, blew his own brains out.

He was a widower until a week ago, when he married a widow named Rickman, who also had a little girl. The latter was saved by being absent at school.

The White Election Contest.

Indiana, Pa., Feb. 2.—There seems to be no doubt now that Judge White will be seated. The visiting judges and the people generally are disgusted with the weakness of the case of the prosecution, and it is evident the entire week was consumed without creating even a suspicion against a vote cast at the recent election.

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WILL FORM A CABINET

Whiteway Accepts the Newfoundland Leadership.

Although Recently Freed from Political Disabilities, the Resigning Ministers Advised Gov. O'Brien To Ask Sir William To Resume the Premiership.

St. Johns, N. F., Feb. 2.—Newfoundland's provisional cabinet headed by D. J. Greene, premier and attorney-general, although considered largely representative of the Whiteway party, has resigned, after being in office but little more than a month. It is the third cabinet the colony has had within a year.

The resigning ministers advised Governor O'Brien to ask ex-Premier Whiteway to form a cabinet. Sir William, but recently freed of political disabilities, was sworn in at midnight as a member of the legislative council. Just before this those members of the retiring cabinet who resign office without hope of return, withdrew the opposition they had maintained against Whiteway, permitting him to obtain a seat in the council.

Sir William Whiteway has consented to resume the premiership and will undertake to have his cabinet ready to-day. It is understood that he will re-install in office as many as possible of those who, like himself, suffered political penalties at the hands of the courts. The personnel of the new cabinet will probably be—Sir William Whiteway, premier; Robert Bond, colonial secretary; E. P. Morris, attorney-general; Hon. G. Emerson, receiver general; Hon. H. J. B. Woods, surveyor general, and A. W. Harvey without a portfolio. To these may be added two probable nominees for offices not in the cabinet—J. P. Thompson, for chairman of the board of works, and Mr. Dawe for financial secretary. Ex-Premier Greene is promised the next vacancy on the supreme court bench, while ex-Colonial Secretary Horwood and ex-Receiver General P. J. Scott are turned down.

A majority of the Whitewayite caucus oppose Newfoundland's entering the Canadian confederation, and Mr. Harvey threatens to decline membership in the new cabinet if such action is favored. A royal commission is likely to be accepted. The house of assembly met, but adjourned for a week as the cabinet arrangements were not completed.

It is announced that the imperial government, in view of the prevailing destitution in the colony offers considerable financial assistance to the local ministry and will donate $1,000 weekly to the relief fund. There is much need of substantial aid from some source. The soup kitchens of the city are thronged with applicants for food, and the charitable societies are over-burdened with demands upon their resources.

Baine, Johnston & Co., have compromised with their creditors at 35 cents on the dollar, payable in two years. A period of general compromise has been inaugurated; fully nine-tenths of the business people of the city are compounding with their creditors.

The government is being urged to prosecute the directors of the defunct Union bank, public feeling on the subject being especially strong because the Commercial bank's directors are being vigorously prosecuted. One of the Union bank shareholders has given the government until Monday the option of proceeding against the directors, declaring that if such prosecution is refused, he will himself initiate an inquiry. The liquidators are accepting banknotes, at the government guarantee, in payment of accounts due the bank.

London, Feb. 2.—The Daily News says to-day in a leader on Newfoundland affairs:

"Sir William Whiteway was notoriously a victim of the violence of party feeling. His faults were chargeable to bad political customs rather than to any individual dishonesty. His return to power is singular proof of the general sense of his ability and exceptional knowledge of public affairs."

AFTER TIN PLATE FOREIGNERS.

A Careful Watch To Prevent Their Coming Here Under Contract.

Washington, Feb. 2.—R. G. Horan, of Pittsburg, president of the Amalgamated Iron and Steel Workers' association, reports to the treasury department that he has reason to believe tin workers from Wales and elsewhere are preparing to come to this country under contract to take the place of American workmen.

Mr. Horan states that tin plate works are reducing wages, and this accounts for their efforts to secure new men, as the old men are resisting the reduction.

Immigrant agents have been instructed to keep a sharp lookout for foreign tin workers and see that they do not violate the law in coming into this country.

Wants His Horses Chloroformed.

Bridgeport, Conn., Feb. 2.—The will of the late Francis Ives just admitted to probate, shows $5,000 bequests to various relatives. Mr. Ives also directs that his two horses be cared for until spring and then chloroformed.

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SCENE IN THE HOUSE

Breckinridge and Heard Attack Each Other.

The Trouble Began Through an Alleged Statement by the Kentuckian That No District Business Was To Be Done—Apologies Made by Both the Congressmen.

Washington, Feb. 2.—An angry gray-haired man, violently struggling in the arms of several men to reach another man, standing facing him, amidst almost indescribable confusion, while epithets of "liar" and "scoundrel" were bandied between the two combatants, was a scene on the floor of the house of representatives yesterday afternoon, those engaged therein being members of that distinguished and honorable body.

Hawaii, which has been the occasion of some of the most tumultous scenes witnessed in the 53d congress, was the indirect cause of the altercation, between Messrs. Heard (dem., Mo.) and Breckinridge (dem., Ky.), surpassing in sensational features anything seen on the floor of the house for years. It was brought about by an effort by Mr. Heard to cut off debate on a resolution reported from the committee on foreign affairs by Mr. Hitt (rep., Ill.), asking information respecting the connection of British subjects with the recent attempted revolution in Hawaii, at a time when Mr. Breckenridge was attempting to get the floor to speak on the resolution. Mr. Heard was anxious to proceed with the consideration of District of Columbia business, for which the day had been set apart, and demanded the previous question. Mr. Breckenridge went over to Mr. Heard's seat and was seen to engage in a heated conversation with him, of which only the words "liar" and "scoundrel" could be heard more than a few feet. Then the burly and venerable looking Kentuckian was seen to lunge forward to strike Mr. Heard, but several members threw themselves upon him, preventing a collision by a severe struggle.

Both gentlemen were ordered under arrest by the speaker, and appeared later at the bar of the house, where they made explanations, which ended the incident for the time being. Mr. Heard's statement was not satisfactory to Mr. Breckenridge, and common friends undertook to adjust the difficulty. The result of their labors appeared later in the day, when Mr. Heard rose and stated that in view of the fact that his friends were of the opinion that he had not withdrawn the language offensive to Mr. Breckenridge, after that gentleman had disclaimed using the language which gave him (Mr. Heard) offense, he would then do so, saying he had intended to do so in the first instance.

Thereupon Mr. Breckenridge expressed his satisfaction, renewed his apologies to the house for creating the scene, and begged the pardon of all concerned. The whole matter was, on motion of Mr. Goodnight (dem., Ky.), ordered to be omitted from the record.

The resolution of inquiry was adopted. Also the following bills:

To pension Maria Davis, widow of a lieutenant in the 9th heavy artillery (to cure a defect in a bill vetoed by President Cleveland); to restore the status of the Missouri militia under the pension act of 1890 (made necessary by a ruling of the pension bureau); to appoint an additional judge for the northern district of Illinois.

Also, a concurrent resolution for the appointment of a joint commission of fifteen, to arrange a programme of exercises in connection with the inauguration of the Chattanooga and Chickamauga national park.

The Reilly bill to refund the indebtedness of the Pacific railways was further discussed by Messrs. Bowers (rep., Cal.) and Bryan (dem., Neb.), in opposition, and by Mr. Caruth (dem., Ky.), in favor of its passage.

The contested election case of Stewart vs. Childs from the Eighth Illinois district was reported from the committee on elections, and Mr. Brown, chairman, (dem., Ind.), gave notice that he would call it up next Thursday.

The new currency bill prepared by the committee on banking and currency was reported by Mr. Springer, and leaves the minority to file their individual views on the measure. The house then took a recess until 8 o'clock, at which time they met and considered private pension bills.

Five private pension and relief bills were considered in committee of the whole and ordered to be favorably reported for the action of the house. Among them was a bill to place at the rate of $30 a month on the pension rolls the name of Julia E. Lock who before her last marriage was the widow of General Daniel McCook, one of the famous fighting family of that name. It was the first bill of this character that has received favorable action in the house at this congress.

French Creek Forge Resumes.

St. Peters, Pa., Feb. 2.—The French Creek forge, near this place, will resume operations on Monday next after eighteen months idleness. Its product is charcoal blooms, made from scrap iron, and the low price of the commodity has kept the forge idle. Four furnaces will be lighted.

National Bank Note Circulation.

Washington, Feb. 2.—The decrease in national bank note circulation during January was $2,560,046, making the total outstanding January 31, 1895, $205,205,944. Circulation based on bonds increased $993,217 during January, and since January 31, 1894, $7,117,487.

Will Dismantle the Plant,

York, Pa., Feb. 2.—The York match factory which was bought three years years ago by the Match trust for $200,000, will dismantle the plant and remove the machinery. The factory cost $50,000 and employed 300 hands.

Will Contest Compromised.

New York, Feb. 2.—Robert L. Cutting's contest over the will and codicil of his father, Robert L. Cutting, has been compromised, and it is said that young Cutting will receive a fair share of his father's estate.

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PLAINFIELD, N. J., FEB. 2, 1895

Cutting Out a Gunboat.

Feb. 2, 1864, was the date of one of the boldest expeditions of the kind known as "cutting out" a warship recorded in our annals. It was led by Colonel John Taylor Wood of President Davis' staff. Wood acquired unique fame in privateering exploits on the Chesapeake and the sound and river waters. With a party of 100 men in boats and launches he dropped down the Neuse river after midnight and getting abreast of the Union fleet off Newbern pointed out the large sidewheel steamer Underwriter as the object of his foray. The rain was pouring torrents, and the night was dark. Guided by the sound of "four bells," the party rowed silently toward the steamer, pistols, pikes and cutlasses in readiness. At 300 yards a challenge rang out from the Union deck, "Boat ahoy!" No answer. "Boat ahoy, boat ahoy!" was the sharp cry, following. The ship's rattle sprang, and the boarders saw the crew of the gunboat hurrying on deck. "Give way, give way!" shouted Wood, and pulled alongside. The ship lay under the guns of two forts and mounted four of her own. Her fires were banked, and she couldn't move. After one shot from their boat howitzer the Confederates climbed on deck, where they were met with a volley of musketry. Cutlasses and pistols in hand, they rushed upon the Underwriter's men, cheering wildly. In a ten minutes' hand to hand fight 6 boarders were killed and 23 cut down with ugly wounds. The Union crew, headed by Master Joseph Westervelt, fought until overpowered. Westervelt was killed, and 8 of his followers met a like fate. Only 39 surrendered, among them 20 helplessly wounded.

COLONEL WOOD.

The Union forts and the gunboat alongside the Underwriter speedily opened fire on the doomed ship, and, since the cold boilers made it impossible to remove his prize beyond their deadly range Wood, applied the torch.

GEORGE L. KILMER.

Border Avengers In Uniform.

On Feb. 3, 1863, a bloody drama peculiar to the southwest in troublous times was enacted in Mingo swamp, near Jackson, Mo. The heroes of the occasion acted under military orders, though their methods were of the wild border type. The vicinity of Mingo swamp harbored a guerrilla band whose leader bore the lofty title "General McGee." The fastnesses of the swamp served for a lair. By the aid of scouts as desperate as the outlaws themselves Major Reeder of the Twelfth Missouri cavalry tracked the chief members of the gang to the interior of the swamp. The ground was frozen to a solid crust, and inhabitants who knew the treacherous nature of bog lands in winter urged Reeder not to risk the lives of his men where they might be ambushed in the morass, powerless to resist. But the game had been treed; the hunter blood was up, and, although a blinding snowstorm added to the danger of the enterprise, the major and 40 picked men rode on, swimming their horses over the streams and swamp lakes until their hoofs struck solid earth in a farm clearing, where McGee's men held rendezvous. These numbered that day 35, besides McGee. Taken by surprise, the outlaws ran to cover around the farm buildings. Their pursuers kept the saddle, leaping their horses over fences and other obstructions. "No prisoners" was the order of the day, and as it was all a question of quick shooting it took but a few minutes to end it. McGee was shot dead, eight of the band died with him, and 20 others wounded beyond recovery were left to die in peace, while Reeder's band led from the swamp two slightly wounded fellows who had been spared because the avengers hadn't the heart to complete the wholesale sentence of death.

GEORGE L. KILMER.

O. W. O. Hardman, sheriff of Tyler Co., W. Va., appreciates a good thing and does not hesitate to say so. He was almost prostrated with a cold when he procured a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. He says: "It gave me prompt relief. I find it to be an invaluable remedy for coughs and colds." For sale at Reynolds's pharmacy, Park and North aves. T. S. Armstrong, manager.

H. E. Needham has been in the Borough Council six years, and Mayor one term, and progressive North Plainfield Republicans feel that it is time he rested on his laurels and gave some equally deserving Republican a chance.

Henry L. Einstein, owner of the Bound Brook Woolen Mills, has bought that intensely partisan organ, the New York Press, and that radical sheet will continue its frantic efforts to pull the wool over the eyes of the American people.

Rev. Dr. Washington Gladden of Columbus, Ohio, recently returned a clerical pass which a railroad company had sent him, with the following explanation: "I never use clerical tickets, because I know no reason why clergymen should have privileges not granted to the mechanics and laboring men, and because I am not satisfied that railways have any right to grant the favor to anybody."

SUNDAY SERVICES.

Official Announcements for Worship in Plainfield Tomorrow.

[Matter intended for this department must be supplied fresh every week, not later than 10 a. m. Saturday to insure insertion.]

East Third Street Mission—Gospel service, 8 p. m., conducted by John Bodine.

St. Joseph's Church—Masses at 8:30 and 10:30 a. m.; Sunday-school at 3, and Vespers at 8 p. m.

St. Mary's Church—Masses at 7:30, 8:30, 9:30, and 10:30 a. m.; Sunday-school, 2:30 p. m.; Vespers, 8 p. m.

Mission Church of the Heavenly Rest—Morning prayer and sermon, 11; Sunday-school, 9:45 a. m.

Swedish Meeting—Grace Church, 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Scandinavians welcome. Rev. M. Ahlberg, pastor.

St. Peter's German Lutheran Church—Services, 10 a. m. and 7:45 p. m.; Sunday-school, 9 a. m. Rev. Ed Kionka, pastor.

Y. M. C. A. Building—4:15 p. m. meeting Fanny J. Crosby will speak and sing. Music on the symphony and autoharp.

Grace Church—Rev. E. M. Rodman, rector. Early Celebration of Holy Communion, 7:30; litany, sermon and Holy Communion, 11; children's service, 3:30.

Church of the Holy Cross—T. Logan Murphy, rector. Morning prayer, sermon and Holy Communion, 11; Sunday-school, 3 p. m.; afternoon service, 4:30.

All Souls Church—Rev. Hobart Clark, pastor. Services at 10:45 a. m. with preaching by the pastor. Sunday-school, 11:45 a. m. The Guild meets at 7:45 p. m.

Church of the Redeemer, Protestant Episcopal—Rev. Dr. Jocelyn Johnstone, rector. Morning service and Celebration of the Holy Communion, 11:15; Sunday-school, 3 p. m.; evening service, 4:30.

Congregational Church—Rev. C. L. Goodrich, pastor. Morning service, 10:30, sermon by Rev. M. E. Dwight; Sunday-school, 2:45 p. m.; Christian Endeavor service, 7:30, led by Miss Florence Hawkins.

Park Avenue Baptist Church—Rev. J. W. Richardson, pastor. Preaching at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Morning theme, "Silence louder than speech"; evening, "We invite you to go with us". Sunday-school, 2:30 p. m.

St. Stephen's Church, Rev. S. P. Simpson, rector—Holy Communion, 7:30 a. m.; Sunday-school, 9:45; litany, second celebration and sermon, 11; evening prayer, 4:30. Free stages from station at 10:30 a. m. and 4 p. m.

Hope Chapel—G. Kennedy Newell, pastor. Preaching, 10:30 a. m., Rev. Mr. Hoppaugh of Springfield; Sunday-school, 3 p. m.; song service and preaching, 7:45 p. m., with Christian Endeavor Day address to the young people by Mr. Hoppaugh.

Grace M. E. Church—Rev. Herbert F. Randolph, pastor. Sacrament of Lord's Supper and preaching by Dr. C. S. Ryman, 10:30 a. m. 7:45 p. m., address by pastor, "Voices from the deep", followed by evangelistic service. Sunday-school, 2:45; Epworth League, 7.

Trinity Reformed Church—Rev. Cornelius Schenck, pastor. Preaching by the pastor, 10:30 a. m.; Christian Endeavor Day service, with address by Fanny J. Crosby, the well-known hymn writer, 7:30 p. m.; Sunday-school, 2:30.; prayer-meetings at 10 a. m. and 6:45 p. m.

First M. E. Church—Rev. Dr. C. H. Barnes, pastor. 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m., preaching by the pastor; 2:30 p. m., Sunday-school; 6:45 p. m., Epworth League prayer meeting. Subject of morning sermon, "The sunshine side of sorrow"; evening, "How to dignify one's life".

First Presbyterian Church—Morning—Prelude, offertoire in b flat, Guilmant; anthem, "In humble faith and holy love", Garrett; offertory, "Nazareth" Gounod; postlude, Maestoso from Sonata, Mendelssohn. Evening—Prelude, Andante and Allegro, Guilmant; anthems, "The day is past and over", Marks; "O Jesus Thou art standing", Shepard; offertory, selected; postlude, "Thine is the kingdom", "Holy City", Gaul.

Little People Surprised.

Little Miss Martha Codington, daughter of ex-Judge Codington, was intending to surprise her little brother Albert today by having a party of friends at the house, but last evening Mrs. Codington surprised both the little people by having the party last evening from 5 to 8. Little Misses Margaret Rose, Florence Smalley, Mabel Jenkins, Elsie and Nellie Giles, Aggie and Emma La Boyteaux, Florence Morrison, May Mulford, and Masters David Smalley and Harold Skaden, beside several other little people of the neighborhood were present. Pretty games were played and music and dainty refreshments were enjoyed by all.

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—Invitations have been sent to contributors to the building fund, to attend the opening of the Y. M. C. A. Building, Feb. 12, and everybody else will be welcome as well.

—Henry Pendleton, the Plainfielder recently committed to Morris Plains, died in that institution Thursday. The funeral will be held from Mt. Olive Baptist Church Monday afternoon at 3.

—The programme of the entertainment in the new hall of the Y. M. C. A., Tuesday evening, Feb. 5, will be very delightful and varied, consisting of quartettes, trios, duets and solos, besides charming readings by Plainfield's favorite reader, Miss Addie Parker Jackson.

A Des Moines woman who has been troubled with frequent colds, concluded to try an old remedy in a new way, and accordingly took a tablespoonful (four times the usual dose) of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy just before going to bed. The next morning she found that her cold had almost entirely disappeared. During the day she took a few doses of the remedy (one teaspoonful at a time) and at night again took a tablespoonful before going to bed, and on the following morning awoke free from all symptoms of the cold. Since then she has, on several occasions, used this remedy in like manner with the same good results, and is much elated over her discovery of so quick a way of curing a cold. For sale at Reynolds's pharmacy, Park and North aves. T. S. Armstrong, manager.

—Muslin underwear has escaped from its former prices, and Heath & Drake of Newark deliver it free of transportation charges, at selling prices that astonish. See what you can save, in the last column of page 8.

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We made every effort to obtain a cure but they all resulted in bitter disappointment, although a number of physicians of excellent reputations for skill in that direction had treated her case. She grew worse and worse all the time, the pain became perfectly unbearable and I felt she could not bear the strain of her condition much longer. In this extremity, a friend of mine, Mr. W. E. Dilts, a resident of Roselle, N. J., a passenger conductor on the New Jersey Central told me that he had been similarly affected, and had been permanently cured by Dr. Lighthill, after other medical skill had failed. He assured me that the doctor would cure my wife, no matter how severe her case may be, and his prediction proved perfectly correct. In spite of her desperate condition, Dr. Lighthill, I am glad to say, has effected a complete and perfect cure in her case, and has given her new life.

Since the cure has been effected she has gained in health and strength and is so improved in appearance that her friends scarcely recognise her. They all consider her cure as almost miraculous, and Dr. Lighthill's praise is heard on every side. Our gratitude to Dr. Lighthill is unbounded and we only hope that other sufferers may be benefited by this publication.

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JOHN DIETRICH.

Mr. Thomas Callahan of No. 214 Richmond street Cured of a Very Distressing Trouble by Dr. Lighthill.

PLAINFIELD, N. J., June 1, 1894.

TO THE PUBLIC:

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THOMAS CALLAHAN,
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Just the shoe for you to wear without rubbers up to the first of May. Sizes 5 to 11; widths B to E; styles, narrow, round and Common Sense toes.

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DOANE & EDSALL.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

Capt. George M. Phillips is ill.

W. W. Smalley is ill at his home on Mountain avenue.

Alex. Muir of West Fourth street is suffering with a severe cold.

Miss Ethel Crane of West Eighth street is recovering from the grip.

The four-months-old baby of Mrs. Geo. Mellick is ill with pneumonia.

Fred Bird of East Front street is confined to his home with illness.

J. P. Laire of East Fifth street is gradually recovering from the grip.

Will Pike of East Front street is able to be out after a severe attack of the grip.

Mr. Hockridge of East Fifth street is expected home from Japan in a few days.

Linden Adams of Washington street is able to be out after a severe attack of the grip.

Miss Leonore Carle of East Sixth street has been suffering from a severe burn on the hand.

Miss VanAlstyne of Chatham Centre, N. Y., is the guest of Mrs. VanAlstyne of Watchung avenue.

John Thompson of Stebbins place is able to be out after a two-weeks confinement with a sore threat.

John V. Beekman of West Eighth street, who has been in St. Paul for his health, is much improved.

David, son of John H. Adlemann, is dangerously ill at his home, 215 Grant avenue, with typhoid fever.

William C. Ayers, one of Plainfield's oldest and most honored citizens, will be 86 years old on Lincoln's Birthday.

Wm. DeLong of Sandford avenue, who is ill at his home with pneumonia and typhoid fever, is slightly improved.

George E. Firstbrok of Essex street is on a business trip to Worcester, in the interest of Ely & Williams of New York.

Mr. Klem, the Socialist stump-speaker of Rahway, is the guest of Jacob Grieb of West Third street during his stay in this city.

Oscar Campbell of Netherwood avenue is able to be out again after being confined to the house several days with the grip.

Miss Mandane Hyde of Madison avenue, who has been confined to her home by illness, has returned to her studies in the High School.

Miss Teddie Scrymser, one of the leading belles of New Brighton, S. I., is visiting her friend, Miss Marie Dryden of West Seventh street.

W. H. Miner has started a choir of boys in St. Francis Catholic Church, Naugatuck, Conn., for vesper service, at which service he plays.

Miss Helen Stetson of Boston, who has been spending a few days with her friend Mrs. Benjamin B. Western of Washington Park, returned home yesterday.

John Hickey and Harry McComas of South Second street returned last evening after a pleasant week with their friend Joseph Malone of Poughkeepsie.

Fanny J. Crosby, the blind hymn-writer, will speak in the Y. M. C. A. meeting tomorrow afternoon, and in Trinity Reformed Church tomorrow night.

Capt. Wm. B. Ostrom attended as a member the recent 125th anniversary of the Marine Society, and was a notable contributor to the after-dinner reminiscences.

Cards are out for receptions to be given by Mrs. D. N. Groendyke and Mrs. John Gray Foster at their home on Mercer avenue Wednesday, Feb. 13, and Thursday, Feb. 14.

C. C. Southard, who has been boarding at the Albion, has rented a house at the corner of Grace court and Sycamore street, and expects to take possession in a few days.

Miss Minnie Mills of Middletown N. Y., is the guest of her cousin, Miss Louella T. Mills, daughter of Manager Mills of the United States Express, at the latter's residence on East Fifth street

Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Smith of Central avenue have returned from Hartwick, N Y., where they attended the ninetieth birthday of Mrs. Smith's father, L. R. Proctor. Mr. and Mrs. Proctor recently celebrated their sixty-fourth wedding anniversary in Nevada. Both are enjoying excellent health.

John P. Brown, whose whistling gave the audience so much pleasures during the "Trip to Chinatown" Thursday evening, is a friend and former classmate in England of George Harrison of this city, who drives Carl Kaerth's mineral-water wagon. The two friends had a pleasant time after the theatre comparing notes and talking over old times.

E. Maxwell Honeyman, son of Editor A. V. D. Honeyman, is now in the highest class of the North Plainfield public school, and is planning to enter a Philadelphia or New York school of medicine. He is a bright young man with a decided bent for the medical profession, probably inherited from the two skilful physicians who preceded him in the family.

Rev. Dr. Brockhold Morgan of New York is visiting his friend, Rev. Dr. Johnstone of this city, and will preach for him tomorrow morning in the Church of the Redeemer. Dr. Morgan is a very interesting speaker, and has been connected with the Episcopal City Mission Society for a number of years, and from this work freely understands how the other half live. Dr. Johnstone also was connected with this society nearly three years, and still takes an active interest in its welfare.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report

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PARTICULAR MENTION.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Reamer of Brooklyn are visiting Mrs. Reamer's brother, L. C. Van Nest of Duer street.

Halsey Compton has just returned from a short hunting trip to North Carolina and reports an abundance of game.

George Stevens of Plainfield and Mr. Orea of Elizabeth have been chosen end men for the Muhlenberg Hospital Minstrels.

Roswell G. Horr of Plainfield will lecture in the town hall, Rockville, Conn., the evening of Feb. 26, on "Work and How to Get a Living".

Rev. C. L. Goodrich has been called to Amherst, Mass., to make an address to the college students on the Day of Prayer, and preach in the village church.

Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Allen and their mother Mrs. Thomas Stead who is 97 years old, are all confined to the house with grip. Dr. Probasco is in attendance.

Harry Campbell is home again from his orange grove grove in Florida. He will lose the sale of at least 1,000 boxes of oranges on account of the freeze last month.

L. H. DuBois and family of 1104 Putnam avenue have gone to New York, whence they expect to go to Florida for the Winter for their son's health. They expect to be gone until June.

Drs. Boone and Endicott of Plainfield and Dr. Weir of New York were in consultation today over the case of Mr. Slevin, the sufferer from appendicitis, whose recovery is pronounced hopeless.

SCOTCH PLAINS AND FANWOOD.

The cantata of "Esther, the beautiful queen" was taken up by the Choral Union Thursday evening.

John Flannery is slowly improving from his recent illness.

The Sons of Temperance met and installed the following officers Tuesday evening: W. P., J. S. Braker; W. A. P., Charles Stumpf; R. S., Mrs. W. E. Clum; F. S., Miss Ada Miller; Treas., George L. Dunn; I. S., Richard Hart; O. S., W. S. Clum. A good time was enjoyed by all.

Rev. Mr. Judson will occupy the pulpit of the Baptist Church tomorrow morning and evening. Rev. Mr. Braker will preach in New Brunswick.

Miss Emma Clark has returned from a visit of one week with her sister, Mrs. Peter Smith of New Market.

W. B. Noble is confined to the house with the grip.

Twilight Council, J. O. U. A. M., entertained visiting brethren from New Providence last evening. One candidate was initiated.

The mad dog that bit several in town yesterday was killed by a blacksmith near Springfield after biting a woman at Locust Grove and a little girl near Springfield. Mr. Klemser, father of the young man who was bitten, has sent to Springfield for the carcass. It is the intention to send it to the Pasteur Institute for examination.

EARLY INTELLIGENCE.

—Plainfield won both games from Somerville in the opening of the 5 men team tournament last night.

—Bridget McCluskey an old offender, who was arrested yesterday for being drunk and disorderly, was given 60 days this morning to sober off, by Judge Coddington.

Mr. Hotchkiss of 30 Rockview avenue will be 67 years of age Feb. 28. He narrowly missed having a birthday only every four years, being born but a few hours before the leap-year 29th.

THE DEFINITION OF A KISS.

'Twas clearly meant for giving,
But 'tis something bought and sold,
And like coffee and potatoes
Is not so good when cold.

It oft appeases anger,
When words have failed to please,
Whether bestowed caressingly
Or given just to tease.

For a kiss will sometimes save one
From doing something worse,
And the lips that taste this sweetness,
Were seldom known to curse.

'Tis the oddest, strangest mixture.
This something made of naught,
Which is not seen or handled,
But yet is often caught.

Constant proximity to danger begets indifference to the situation. Familiarity with peril renders one unconscious of its imminence. Railway operators traverse a line of cars in rapid motion, but display no symptom of fear though the very wheels that whirl beneath them have ground out human life but an hour before. Those who live within the sound of Niagara are said to be unconscious of its roar.

Busier Than the Bee.

How doth the little busy ad
Improve each shining minute,
And gather dollars, dimes and cents
For the merchant who is in it.

Mrs. T. S. Hawkins, Chattanooga, Tenn., says: "Shiloh's Vitalizer saved my life; I consider it the best remedy for a debilitated system I ever used. For dyspepsia, liver or kidney trouble it excels; 75c. Sold by all druggists.

Shiloh's cure is sold on a guarantee. It cures incipient consumption; it is the best cough cure, only 1c a dose; 25, 50c, $1. Sold by all druggists.

Karl's Clover Root, the great blood purifier, gives freshness and clearness to the complexion and cures constipation; 25c 50c, $1. Sold by all druggists.

Eyes.

Have your eyes examined and your glasses made by A. Jay Cross, (R. O.), 18 West 23d st., N. Y. 2 5 y-e

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A friend advised me to try Ely's Cream Balm and after using it six weeks I believe myself cured of catarrh. It is a most valuable remedy.—Joseph Stewart, 624 Grand avenue, Brooklyn, N. Y.

My son was afflicted with catarrh; I induced him to try Ely's Cream Balm and the disagreeable catarrhal smell all left him. He appears as well as any one.—J. C. Olmstead, Arcola, Ill.

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DEATHS.

PENDLETON.—At Morris Plains, N. J., Thursday, Jan. 31, 1895, Henry Pendleton. Funeral services from Mt Olive Baptist Church Monday, Feb. 4, at 2 p. m.

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NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that a meeting of the stockholders of The Music Hall Association of Plainfield will be held in the parlors of Stillman Music Hall on West Front street, in the city of Plainfield, New Jersey, on Monday, the 18th day of February, eighteen hundred and ninety-five, at 2 o'clock p. m., to take action upon the following resolution of the Board of Directors of said Association, which said resolution was adopted by unanimous vote of the Directors at their meeting held January 14, 1895.

"RESOLVED that in the judgment of this Board it is advisable and most for the benefit of The Music Hall Association of Plainfield that the same should be forthwith dissolved, and to that end it is ordered that a meeting of the stockholders be held on Monday, the eighteenth day of February, eighteen hundred and ninety-five, in the parlors of Stillman Music Hall, Plainfield, New Jersey, at 2 o'clock p. m. to take action upon this resolution; and further, that the secretary forthwith give notice of said meeting, and of the adoption of this resolution within ten days from this date, by publishing the said resolution with a notice of its adoption, in The Daily Press, a newspaper published in Plainfield, New Jersey, for at least four weeks once a week, successively, and by mailing a written or printed copy of the same to each and every stockholder of this Association in the United States."

Dated Plainfield, N. J., January 15, 1895.
CRAIG A. MARSH, Secretary.

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NOTICE.

To the Township Committee of the Township of Fanwood, in the county of Union and State of New Jersey:

The petition of the New York and Philadelphia Traction Company respectfully represents that it desires to construct, operate and maintain a railroad, with one or more tracks and necessary turnouts, to be operated by electricity or other motive power except steam, and to erect necessary poles, conduits and wires, power plant and necessary buildings along and upon the following named streets, avenues, lanes, roads, highways and public places in the township of Fanwood, to-wit:

Beginning at the intersection of Park avenue and Mountain avenue in the township of Fanwood, and running thence southeasterly along Park avenue to its intersection with Midway avenue.

Beginning again at the intersection of Forrest avenue or road with Midway avenue and running thence southeasterly along said Forrest avenue or road, to its intersection with North avenue, near the Fanwood station of the Central Railroad of New Jersey.

And for that purpose prays that the permission of your honorable body may be granted to it, to construct, operate and maintain such railway, to be operated by electricity or other motive power, except steam, upon and along the above named streets, avenues, lanes, roads, highways and public places within the said township of Fanwood.

Attest: FRANK A. MAGOWAN, Pres.
J. H. Darrah, Secy. 2 2 14

NOTICE.

Whereas, It is reported that a rabid dog has been running at large through the village of Scotch Plains and other parts of Fanwood township, and

Whereas, It is common rumor that a number of dogs owned by various residents within the limits of said township have come in contact with and been bitten by said rabid dog, therefore, be it

Resolved, That all owners of dogs within said township of Fanwood be and are hereby urged strenuously to keep such dogs as may be owned by them tied, muzzled or in some safe manner confined for the space of 30 days, and all dogs known to be bitten be killed forthwith.

Fanwood, N. J., Feb. 1, 1895.
226 R. L. HAND, Township Clerk.

CLAIRVOYANT

Mrs. Dr. Edwards

Will remain one week longer until 7 a. m.,

Saturday, February 9.

Will leave positively on that date.

CITY HOTEL, ROOM 2,

one flight up. See sign up stairs. Ladies 50c. to $1.00. Gentlemen $1.00. Office hours from 9 a. m. to 9 p. m.

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OFFICES and flats to rent in Babcock Building. Inquire of J. A. Hubbard or W. M. Stillman. 1 30 tf

TO LET—All or part of rooms formerly occupied by Young Men's Christian Association. A. J. Brunson, 68 Broad st., Elizabeth, N. J. 1 26 tf-t s

LADY wishes to place her two children in good family; must have a piano. Address Mother, care Daily Press. 2 2 tf

TO LET—House, 10 rooms; good location; rent $20; also whole or part of store with steam heat, 326 Park avenue. Apply to C. B. Clifton, Park avenue, opp. North. 2 2 2

WANTED—By April 1, a small house in North Plainfield containing 6 or 7 rooms; reasonable rent; 10 minutes from station; with privilege of buying on easy terms. Address J. J., care Press. 2 2 4

CASH buyer can get first-class upright piano at bargain. Address Starr, care Press. 2 2 tf

WOULD like to take in washing; best of references; 50c a dozen. Call 87 Somerset st. 2 2 2

YOUNG traveling man spending about one-half of each month in Plainfield, would like room in private family. In reply please state location and terms per month, which must be moderate. Address W. F., care Press. 1 30 tf

12 ROOM house, all improvements, East 21 st; large lot. $3,600. Address Paff, Scotch Plains. 2 1 2

MONEY to loan. Mulford, broker. 2 1 tf

FOR SALE, cheap, for want of use, horse, wagon, harness. Sharkey's blacksmith shop Emily street. 1 29 6

FURNISHED rooms to let with use of bath; steam heat. Apply 136 East 4th st. 1 26 6

FRESH cow warranted to give 17 qts., for sale; $40. D. Hand, Netherwood. 1 28 tf

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WANTED—Position at book-keeping, collecting or general office work. Address Experienced, care Press. 1 12 tf

WANTED—Good reliable life insurance agent to take charge of Plainfield; also agents in every town and city in New Jersey for an old and reliable company (no industrial business). Address J. W. Shallcross, Bibsam Building, Trenton, N. J. 1 4 tf

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For 25c you buy a 35c cashmere 1 yd wide
For 15c you buy a 25c mixed worsted 38 in wide
For 12½c you buy a 20c fancy plaid 27 in wide
For 25c you buy a 40c flannel 38 in wide
For 45c you buy a 65c serge 45 in wide
For 50c you buy a 75c blue broad cloth

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Under our roof is where we carry the largest stock of underwear in the city, others can afford to carry their stock over, we cannot.

A 75c undervest for 50c, camel hair
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A 75c undervest for 50c gray flannel
A 40c undervest for 25c gray flannel

You can save 25 to 30 per cent if you buy underwear of us for men women and children.

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10x4 sheeting unbleached 12½c worth 18
Palms 36 in bleached muslin 5c worth 7
36 in unbleached muslin 5c worth 7
Fruit of the Loom muslin 6½c worth 8

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For one week only we will sell an

8c outing flannel for 6c
A 9c flannel for 7c
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Youths long trouser suits (size 13 to 19 years) that were $8, $10, and $12, now

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From the New York City Catholic News.

No one would think to look at Richard B. Brown, a commission merchant, of No. 306 Washington street, New York City, that for six weeks he had suffered in agony in his bed and that physicians had said it was impossible for him to regain his health.

But now he is back in his office, vigorous and hearty. He regards Dr. David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy, as the savior of his life. The story Mr. Brown tells is remarkable.

"For several years," said Mr. Brown to a reporter the other day, "I suffered from inflammation and ulceration of the bladder, a most stubborn disease. My family physician was unable to relieve me. At the advice of friends I consulted specialists, and they all failed to do me any good. All this time I was growing worse. My capacity for work deserted me, and at last I was compelled to take to my bed.

"My mother-in-law had heard of Dr. Kennedy's Favorite Remedy, and she asked me to give it a trial. I had been confined to my bed for five weeks and I admit that I didn't think there was much chance of getting out of it. Well, I tried Favorite Remedy. There seemed to be a change that surprised me. In a week I was able to get out of bed and go around the house, and in a short time I recovered completely. Today I'm as well as ever and what's better yet I feel that I am permanently cured. I can work sixteen or eighteen hours a day now and not be broken up a bit. To Dr. Dr. Kennedy's Favorite Remedy is all the credit due."

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MILITIA ORDERED HOME

Only a Small Guard Left at the Armories.

The Great Brooklyn Strike Still on in the Courts—Presidents of Companies Busy Answering Charges—Some of the Accidents on the Trolley Lines Yesterday.

Brooklyn, N. Y., Feb. 2.—All the militia,—with the exception of a few for guard guard duty in the armories, have been sent home. Mayor Schieren said that a sufficient guard would be kept at the armories to protect property in case of a disturbance. He had not received any complaints, and added that 750 cars were in operation.

The strikers are making many legal fights and it keeps the presidents of the different companies busy answering charges.

United States Commissioner Morle held court in the federal building yesterday to take evidence on the charge of William H. Webber, an ex-motorman of the Atlantic avenue railroad, who charged President Norton, of that company, with illegally using the sign "U. S. Mail" on his cars, according to section 3,979 of the United States statutes. United States District Attorney Bennett appeared for Uncle Sam and ex-Judge Morris for the company. The specific charge was that on January 12 he made eight trips on trolley cars 81 and 64, which carried the sign but no mail.

Mr. Morris pleaded not guilty, and moved for a dismissal of the complaint on the ground that the company had a contract with the government which authorized the display of the signs, and that the company had to hold itself in readiness at any and all times to carry the mails.

President Norton said there were two cars, painted white, which ran regularly between the postoffice and 36th street and 5th avenue, but that the contract with the government was made in June, and was carrier out long before the construction of the mail cars in August. The Washington authorities had approved the system of signs. The practice was general throughout the country, and he did not think the second postmaster-general would commit such a blunder.

The statute was cited by United States District Attorney Bennett, and he claimed that if the postal authorities had authorized such a placing of signs on the cars it violated the law.

David J. Mackie, general manager of the painting department, testified to the fact that red flags were used previous to the sign for designating mail cars.

Postmaster A. T. Sullivan produced the contract between the postoffice department and the company, which was issued by Second Assistant Postmaster Bell, which called for the carrying of mails on the Atlantic avenue route six times a week and as much oftener as may be necessary. He said that every car on the route was under contract to carry the mails whenever called upon. Questions by Mr. Bennett developed the fact that a messenger was also employed to carry mails independent of the government contract. This is a private individual, Slavens, of Kansas City, who paid his fare, who had a contract with the government all over the country.

Then Mr. Bennett accused the company of coming into court and defending itself on false pretenses. Judge Morris objected to the use of the expression, but District Attorney Bennett refused to withdraw it.

Then Superintendent of Mails Lyons testified to the manner of transferring the mail to the regular cars.

Commissioner Morle said he would render a decision when he saw the original contract, which Postmaster Sullivan had written for, and the examination was adjourned until Monday.

Some of the happenings yesterday, which were caused by the green motormen, was the collision with a wagon at the corner of Sands and Adams street, the two occupants escaped with slight injuries. The horse was badly injured and the wagon was wrecked. A Fulton avenue car ran into a light wagon driven by Fireman John Brennan. He sustained a severe scalp wound and was removed to the hospital. The wagon was demolished. Sumner avenue car collided with a sand cart and damaged both horse and cart. Crosstown car struck a team of horses, but they escaped with slight damages. Waverly avenue car ran into a loaded truck and spilled the driver into the street. Driver was taken [illegible]spital with severe contusions [illegible] the wagon was overturned. Meeker avenue car ran into an open switch and threw the special policeman off. He received severe injuries that may prove fatal. The saddest accident of all was the killing of a little boy at the corner of Nostrand avenue and Butler street. The boy was on his way to school and was endeavoring to cross the street when the car knocked him down and crushed him under the fender. The motorman and conductor were arrested.

Rhode Island G. A. R. Elect Officers.

Newport, R. I., Feb. 2.—The State G. A. R., encampment yesterday voted to make all post commanders life members of the department. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: Department commander, Daniel R. Ballou, of Providence; senior vice-commander, W. L. Stone, of Providence; junior vice-commander, Livingston Scott, of Woonsocket; medical director, Dr. G. B. Peck; chaplain, Rev. H. B. Cady; inspector general, George H. Woodley; chief mustering officer, George F. Meana.

Remarkable Longevity.

Newburgh, N. Y., Feb. 2.—Thomas Alexander has just died at Forest City, Pa., aged 93 years. Until this death there were living five brothers and five sisters remarkable for longevity, their combined ages being 813 years. The family belong in Little Britain, this county.

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Rome, Feb. 2.—Slight earthquakes were felt in the city of Naples and in many towns of Naples and Avellino districts.

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For Rahway—[illegible]

For New Brunswick—[illegible]

For Woodbridge—[illegible]

For Perth Amboy—[illegible]

For East Millstone—7 10 a. m., 12 35, 2 48 and 5 40 p. m., week-days.

For Trenton—[illegible]

For Lambertville, Phillipsburg and Belvidere via Trenton—7 59 A. M., 2.48 and 6.36 p. m., and 5.40 p. m. Sunday.

For Flemington—7 59 A. M.; 2 48 P. M.

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For Long Branch, Ocean Grove, and points on New York and Long Branch R. R.—9 46, 12 46, 4 19, 5 44 p.m., 12 27 night week-days. Sundays, 10 25 a. m., and 5 44 p. m.; do not stop at Asbury Park on Sundays.

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6 19 P. M. for Flemington.

6 33 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading and Harrisburg.

8 21 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

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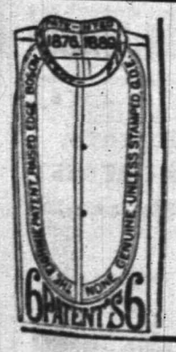

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EPWORTH LEAGUE.

Lesson For the Week Beginning Feb. 3. Comment by Rev. Walter J. Yates, A. M. Topic, The Golden Candlestick.

BIBLE READINGS.—Ex. xxv, 31-33; Heb. ix, 2; Rev. i, 12; iv, 5.

The candlestick of the Tabernacle was really a lampholder. The descriptions of it in Exodus, where Moses is commanded to make it, and again where he completes it, seem minute and clear, yet the most careful study of the passages leaves much doubt as to the appearance of the article. Very strange is the omission of all measurements when they are so carefully noted in the case of the other furnishings of the sanctuary. The form of the candelabrum seems to have been that of a central shaft with three branches on either side curved and rising to an equal height. The top of the shaft and of each branch was fitted for receiving a lamp, in which pure olive oil was to be burned with a wick. The seven lamps, with snuffers and bowls for the waste, and the whole stand were of fine gold. The weight was a talent and the value of the whole not far from $300,000. The language of Exodus indicates that it was made with the hammer and beaten out. The words "bowls, knops and flowers," which describe the pattern of the branches and shaft, are somewhat uncertain in meaning. Josephus speaks of them as "knops, lilies, pomegranates and bowls" and says there were 70 in all. He speaks of the seven lamps as being in imitation of the seven planets. He says the candlestick was cast and was hollow, and that it was placed obliquely so that the lamps faced to the east and south. The place where it stood was in the "holy place" on the south side, midway of the room, and opposite the table of showbread.

Every morning a priest cleaned the lamps, trimmed and filled them. Each evening they were lighted and burned till morning. Some think they burned perpetually night and day. In Revelation Christ is represented as walking amid the seven golden candlesticks, which seem to be used as symbols of the seven churches to which the messages are sent. That the golden candlestick was symbolical of some spiritual principle has been quite generally believed, but there has been great difference of opinion as to what it was intended to typify. Some have thought it represents the spirit of preaching, others the light of the law, while still others have seen in it reference to the spirit of the churches and witnesses. If the Shekinah fire on the "mercy seat" over the "ark of the covenant" behind the veil was the symbol of the divine presence; if the incense offered on the "golden altar" represented the prayers of God's people, and the "showbread" was a constant reminder that all food is given by God, then it would seem reasonable that the ever burning light was to serve as an object lesson of the presence of God with men as the "illumination," or light giver. It would then be typical of the work of the Holy Spirit, as the sacrificial lamb was a type of the divine Son.

It also suggests the duty of man as given in the words of Christ, "Let your light so shine before men that they may see your good works and glorify your Father which is in heaven."

What Became of It?

On the arch of Titus, in Rome, erected to commemorate his victories in the east, and especially that over the Jews, there is a marble sculpture in bas relief representing the triumph procession. Borne aloft upon the shoulders of men are the golden candlesticks and table of showbread from the temple in Jerusalem. Though timeworn and mutilated, the form of these articles can be made out fairly well. The base of the candlestick is probably not Jewish, as it has figures of dolphins upon it. This was not the article made under the direction of Moses, but one constructed after the return from Babylon when the temple was rebuilt. The ten made by Solomon for his temple were probably carried to Babylon and never returned. The original one made for the tabernacle in the wilderness may have been in the same building and shared the same fate, or it may have been lost before. No reference is made to it when the other furnishings of the tabernacle are gathered by David and Solomon to the central sanctuary of Zion. Perhaps its light is referred to in the story of Samuel called of God in the temple at Shiloh, but even this is uncertain. What became of it no one knows.

Lessons For the Quarter.

The subjects selected for the first quarter of 1895 have to do with the tabernacle and temple service. The general topic of "Christ In All," suggests the New Testament interpretation of Old Testament forms and rites and a present practical spiritual application of their symbolism. The whole question of the ancient Hebrew worship and its bearing on Christian faith and practice is of deepest interest, and there is no danger at the present of overestimating its importance. All Epworth Leagues should give careful study to the Scripture lessons, both in the literary and spiritual department. Never before has there been such results obtained from explorations of Biblical sites as at present, and every month adds some interesting and valuable discovery to throw new light upon the meaning of some passage of Scripture. The tabernacle and temple, as a whole, should be studied in its construction, history and modes of worship.

January to April.

General topic, "Christ In All;" subdivisions, the laver, the altar, the priest, the golden candlestick, the holy garments, the showbread, the ark of the covenant, the burnt offering, the peace offering, the sin offering, clean and unclean, the Nazarite.

Falsity.

It is more from carelessness about the truth, says Dr. Johnson, than from intentional lying, that there is so much falsehood in the world.

CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR.

Topic For the Week Beginning Feb. 3. Compent by Rev. S. H. Doyle.

TOPIC.—Advance, Endeavor!—Ex. xiv, 15-31; xv, 1, 2. (Christian Endeavor Day.)

Another anniversary of the Christian Endeavor movement! The splendid work of this God given movement has still gone forward, deepening and widening with each advancing year, and yet the end is not in sight. There is still work to be done "for Christ and the church," and the topic of "Advance, Endeavor!" is therefore appropriate just at this time. The command of God to the children of Israel at a critical moment in their march to Canaan was, "Go forward!" This is ever and always the command of God to his church and to his people, considered either as organizations or as individuals. The principle of the Christian life is advance. There is to be no standing still and no retreat until the heavenly Canaan is reached, and even then we shall advance.

Let us, then, as Endeavorers advance. Advance in Christian character, in missionary enterprise, in proportionate and systematic benevolence, in labors for good citizenship and in every good work that will advance the kingdom of Christ on the earth.

1. Advance, even in the face of difficulties. The Israelites are in a critical position. The Red sea is before them and the Egyptian army behind them, and there are murmuring and complaint within their own ranks. Yet God says unto Moses, "Speak unto the children of Israel that they go forward." Opposition within! Opposition without! This is characteristic of the advancement of almost every good work. There are always some to oppose noble movements. The Christian Endeavor movement has not been an exception, though the opposition is rapidly dying out. But no work of God is to falter because of opposition. It is to go forward against all obstacles and difficulties.

2. Advance in the way God points out. God not only commanded the people to go forward, but opened up a way for them, and they followed it. God never commands us to do an impossibility. He will point out the way if we will only seek for it and follow it. God's way of meeting opposition is always the best way. Human methods usually increase the difficulties, but all obstacles vanish before divine methods. Amid all obstacles and difficulties to personal, society or church advancement let us search out the way by which God would have us meet them. That way will always be successful. The way that guides God's people will often confound his enemies, as the cloud was a light to the Israelites and darkness to the Egyptians.

3. Advance depending upon God. Moses and Israel did this. It was the salvation of the Lord. We should always depend upon God for success and not upon ourselves. "The Lord is my strength," sang Moses. "The sword of the Lord and of Gideon" should be our battlecry.

4. Advance with praise and gratitude to God (Ex. xv, 1, 2). When the victory had been won, Moses in joyful acclaim sang praises of gratitude to God. Thus should all Christian workers advance.

Bible Readings.—Jer. vii, 24, 32-34; Acts xxviii, 15; I Cor. ix, 24-27; Gal. vi, 9; Phil. i, 9-11; ii, 12, 13; iii, 13, 14; II Tim. iv, 7, 8; Heb. vi, 1, 2; xii, 1, 2; I Pet. ii, 1, 2; II Pet. iii, 18; Rev. ii, 7, 10.

Christian Endeavor Abroad.

Rev. F. E. Clark, president of the United society, has recently returned from a four months' trip to Europe. Though his health was much broken in the summer, he reports himself as quite well and strong once more, having had a few weeks of absolute rest in Switzerland and Italy. Of late, at the request of many Christian people in Germany and Scandinavia, he has been attending meetings in Berlin, Frankfort, Leipsic, Dresden, Copenhagen, Stockholm and Christiania in the interests of the Endeavor society. In all these countries he found much interest in the movement, especially in Germany, where already some societies have been formed since his visit, with a promise of many thousands in the years to come. He also attended special meetings in Great Britain for two weeks, addressing large gatherings of young people in different parts of England and Wales, Ireland and Scotland. In London 5,000 Endeavorers assembled in the Metropolitan tabernacle. While in Bristol no building large enough to accommodate the audience could be obtained, and two simultaneous meetings were held in the American style. So in Edinburgh, Dublin, Cardiff and other centers great throngs of Christian Endeavorers came together with their pastors and older friends.

Christian Endeavor Jottings.

The Brooklyn Navy Yard society recently observed its second anniversary. Nearly 200 sailors were present.

The Admiral Foote Floating society has been organized at the naval training station at Newport, R. I.

At the meeting of the national Christian Endeavor body at Leicester, England, the badge banner was unfurled for the first time on an English platform.

Christian Endeavor is making vigorous advances in Great Britain. One thousand and sixty-seven societies are now registered.

The Methodist New Connection, England, has greatly complimented its Endeavor societies by calling upon them to raise £1,000 for foreign missions as their centenary gift, this church being 100 years old in 1897.

Active steps have been taken to secure the amalgamation of the Christian Endeavor societies and the Epworth leagues in China, with every prospect of success.

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CHAPTER VI.

BETTER THAN HE DESERVED.

Anna looked beseechingly at Frank. The time had come when, if he could render any service, he could exact a heavy price. Not that the girl was convinced of her lover's guilt. Far from it. But she was thoroughly frightened, and a frightened woman will take any help that offers.

Behind Mulligan's back Frank formed the word "wait" with his lips.

Maxwell was pale, but he showed little fear.

"Wouldn't it be a good idea to measure my rubbers, they're in the hall," he said.

"Excellent," said the detective; and he went to get them.

He measured them carefully.

"They 're not the ones," he said at last. "The others were wider. I congratulate you."

Anna had taken Maxwell's hand, and had thrown one of her arms over his shoulder. As the detective turned away to replace the rubbers in the hall, the girl drew down her lover's head, and kissed his lips.

Ames trembled with jealousy, but the next instant he recovered himself, and darted a sudden, meaning glance at Anna.

Then he took Maxwell's hand.

"I am heartily glad of this favorable turn in your affairs," he said. "It has been an awful strain upon us all. For my part I am quite worn out. I am going home. Good night. And good night to you, Mr. Mulligan."

The detective had just reentered the room. Anna accompanied Frank into the hall.

"Keep them here half an hour, at all hazards; and remember your promise," he whispered. "I tell you the man's lost unless I save him."

He left the house. Anna, terribly agitated by his last words, returned to the parlor, and tried to carry out his instructions. But for some reason which she could not understand, the detective was determined to thwart her plans. He succeeded in getting Maxwell away from the house some minutes within the time which Frank had set.

They went to the doctor's house. No one lived there but Maxwell and an old woman who acted as his housekeeper. The detective insisted upon going in. He said that he had urgent matters to discuss which he had not dared to mention before Anna.

They entered together. There was only a dim light in the hall, but it was enough to reveal to the keen eyes of the detective the form of Frank Ames, who seemed to have been descending the stairs just as they came in, and also endeavored to avoid being seen by darting into the unlighted parlor.

The detective followed him, striking a match as he did so. He lighted the lamps on the table and turned to Ames.

"Good evening again, Mr. Ames," he said, cheerfully. "I didn't expect to see you so soon."

"I came to have a talk with Robert," responded Ames; "and I'll tell you frankly that I didn't want you to know anything about it."

"Sorry to disappoint you, Mr. Ames," Mulligan replied, "and still more sorry to ask embarrassing questions. What have you got under your overcoat?"

"The remainder of my clothing and most of my body," rejoined Ames; "but I don't know that it's any of your business."

With a movement as quick as a flash, and doubly surprising because of the man's slow and somewhat indolent manner, the detective sprang upon Ames and wrested his overcoat open.

A pair of rubbers fell to the floor. Mulligan seized them and measured them with the minutest care.

"Where did you get these?" he demanded.

Ames sank into a chair. He rolled his eyes appealingly toward Maxwell, who said not a word. He seemed to be stricken dumb.

"It's all over, Bob," groaned Ames. "I did my best for you for her sake."

"Pretty shrewd work, Mr. Ames, but very dangerous," said the detective. "It's a crime, you know. You guessed he'd have the right pair of rubbers in his house and you came to get them. Very good; where are they?"

"In a closet in his bedroom upstairs."

"Well, this completes the case. I arrest you, Robert Maxwell, for the murder of Charlotte Warren."

Ten minutes later, Frank Ames paused for a moment before the house of Rev. Eliot Warren. The lower part of the house was dark, but there was a

"WHAT HAVE YOU GOT UNDER YOUR COAT?"

light in a window of the second story, and, as he looked, a shadow passed across the curtain.

"Shall I win her?" he murmured. "Is it possible that my life is to be worth something after all?"

It couldn't have been a very happy life to look back upon, for he shuddered, as he turned away.

At ten o'clock the next morning, Frank Ames received a message from Dr. Maxwell, earnestly requesting him to come to the doctor's house. He lost no time in complying. The physician and the detective sat together. Both were smoking, and both very much at their ease. There was little to indicate that they were prisoner and warden, except the extremely incongruous addition of a large revolver to the articles of luxury with which a little smoking-table at the detective's right hand was laden.

"Dr. Maxwell wished to speak to you," Mulligan said, "or rather he wishes me to do so. You have done the best you could to stave off the inevitable, and you have other claims which entitle you to be the first one to hear the extraordinary history of this crime which will now be laid before you. In the first place, your brother's body has been found again."

"Where is it?"

"In the back room of Capt. Henry Thompson's undertaking shop where it was taken by the captain at my direction last night. You see I was strictly within the facts when I said that I did not remove it.

"Here is another fact: Of course it seemed probable when the body was found in this town, that it had reached here in that coffin, but that is not true. Medical examination has shown that Edward Ames has not been dead more than forty-eight hours.

"Fact No. 3—The mysterious person who conveyed the body to the old Maxwell house has been found, and Dr. Maxwell is not the man. The man's name was Ames."

"What!"

"Edward Ames. In short, he walked there. Those rubbers were his. There is no possible question about it. The prints of nails in his shoes are to be discerned on the inside of the rubbers. Now how did this extraordinary thing happen? Why there can't be two explanations. When a dying man goes to a doctor's house why does he do it? Because he knows that he'll die if he doesn't get treatment. You see Ned Ames didn't know that Dr. Maxwell had moved. He went there to throw himself on the doctor's mercy, and ask his help. I'd like to see you find any other explanation.

"Perhaps you'll say that he might have been simply seeking shelter. That won't answer. He had shelter, and I know it. I worked Horace Riddle's tip down to that. He saw Eddie in the woods. Now, a man can't live outdoors in Maine at this season of the year. Knowing that obvious fact, I asked myself, and also several other people who were better informed, what shelter there was in those woods. And I learned about that hut of spruce logs which you and your brother built so long ago, but built so well that it's weather-proof yet.

"I went there and found traces of Eddie, but I didn't find him. Then I came back to town, and on my way—it was then evening, for I had waited some time in the hut—I happened to see you coming out of the old Maxwell house. Then I went in, and you know what I found. I found, in the first place, that you'd entered by an upstairs window, which was wholly unnecessary, for the lock of the front door had been picked. By whom? Why, a child could answer that question. Your brother was an adept at picking locks.

"Why did he do it? Because he'd rung the bell and failed to find anybody. He must have supposed that Dr. Maxwell was out. He couldn't wait out there in the snow. It was then ten o'clock of Thursday night. I know that by the condition of his footprint in the substratum which was then forming into ice. He preferred to wait for the doctor inside. He picked the lock; got into the hall; fell on the floor and died there.

"You see he'd been sick of diphtheria in Boston. He was getting a little the best of it when he had to skip. The exertion and exposure were too much for him. He was dying in that hut in the woods and he knew it.

"Now, then, if he died in the hall, as the marks in the dust show me, how did his body get into the cellar? Why you carried it there. Nobody else could have done it. Nobody else had any motive. Your motive was to throw suspicion on Dr. Maxwell. How did you know that Eddie was in that house? Why, he must have left a message in some secret cranny of that old log hut. You went there. The snow tells me that.

"Now we've cleared your brother's case all up. He didn't murder the girl because he was too sick to raise his hand against her.

"Don't you dare to move or open your mouth, Frank Ames, till I get through with you. I'm a good, quick shot, and you're fair game.

"It was a slick trick, taking his rubbers off, and slicker still to bring them here, and wait for us to catch you with them. Now, of course all this clears Dr. Maxwell, and if it does what becomes of you? Why, you're my prisoner, that's all. Now perhaps you wonder why I arrested the doctor last night. Well, I did it so that you'd keep quiet and give me a little more time.

"By the way, I've had some slight tips from Boston this morning, and I made up my mind who was the head of the thieves' gang to which your brother belonged. You were the man. I've also found out where that poor girl lived in Boston; and a man who looked very much like you used to visit her.

"Knowing all these things, it is easy enough to see what happened to her down here. But what did she come here for? That's the only point that isn't clear. Of course I can guess at it, but I'd like cold facts, and for that reason I'll make a bargain with you. You'll remember the Lynde street job in Boston. Well, they hang folks in Massachusetts and they don't in Maine. Tou tell me all about this case, and I give you my word of honor that I'll let you be tried here, instead of taking you back. Is it a bargain?"

Frank Ames' white lips moved, but no words came from them.

"Doctor," said the detective, "have you a drop of brandy? It'll do him good."

The wretch swallowed the spirits greedily and revived somewhat.

"It is a bargain," he said, "though I deny that Lynde street job. But I'm done up. There is no hope for me, and I might as well speak out, for at least I wish to deny that I meant to murder that poor girl.

"You are right in all that you have said. It was I to whom she fled. She thought it was simply a secret marriage. I deceived her by the usual stories. I had another wife living and Charlotte found it out too late. She was afraid to come home then. Let me pass over all that. Her story is too common, I suppose. Of course I wearied of her, but I would have provided for her always, and would have kept her near me, if I had not learned to love her sister. That was two years ago, and from that moment I schemed to be rid of Charlotte.

"She was wholly under my influence. I intended to use her to break Maxwell's engagement with Anna. My plan was to have Charlotte come home and refuse to tell her story. Then I would have thrown the blame on Maxwell.

"It suited my convenience to bring her here when I sprung that plot to save my brother from arrest. Charlotte came by means which I provided. She went to her father's house, and looked in upon him through the window. She could not bear to face him. She returned to me at my father's house. I ferred what she would do, and so I drugged my father lest he should see her.

"When she came I took her to the room where lay the coffin. I had removed my father in his stupor to another room. Charlotte and I quarreled. I tried to force her to carry out her intention of going to her father, and somehow—I don't know how—I let her see the real secret, that I loved Anna.

"Her wrath was terrible. In an instant she would have alarmed the house. I sprang upon her to stifle her screams—for I knew that she would scream in a second. She fell with my weight against her, and her head struck one of the heavy metal handles of the coffin. I had no idea that she was much hurt. My horror and remorse were terrible when I found that she was dead.

"Then the scheme of hiding the body came to me. I wrenched open the coffin; I took out the paper books with which it was weighted and burned them in the fire; I put her body in and closed the coffin as best I could. That is the whole story. Do you believe me?"

"I do," said Mulligan, "and I will keep my word. My curiosity, I think, has saved your neck. Is there anything more, Dr. Maxwell?"

"Nothing. May I go to Anna now? I must have her help in breaking the news to this wretched creature's parents."

"My mother is beyond knowing it, thank God," said Ames. "As for my father, he is a man of iron. He can bear anything."

He spoke so calmly that even the experienced detective was deceived, and believed that this was the confession of a despairing and beaten man.

But Frank Ames was not that kind of a man, by any means. He was watching his chance. As Maxwell turned to leave the room the detective's attention was distracted for a moment. It was time enough for the desperate criminal.

In a flash he had leaped upon Mulligan, and had got his hands upon the revolver. There was a struggle, violent, but so brief that before Maxwell could interfere it was over. Ames had secured possession of the revolver; he had pulled the trigger intending to send

HE WAS DEAD BEFORE HE TOUCHED THE FLOOR.

a bullet through his adversary's heart. But the detective's quickness saved him. He struck up the barrel of his pistol. The weapon was discharged in an almost perpendicular position, and the bullet, striking the murderer under the chin, passed entirely through his head. He was dead before his body touched the floor.

"Which was better than he deserved," observed Detective Mulligan, in relating this adventure to the present writer

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Seeing the World at the World's Expense.

Fred Casper of East Front street hospitably entertained Fred Miller and his dog Guess, Saturday. Mr. Miller started in 1893 on a walk for the world's championship of long-distance pedestrianism. His route is San Francisco to New York, to New Orleans, to New York, to Jacksonville, to New York. He has thus far covered 6,200 miles without a cent. Guess has trotted cheerily with him constantly. They reached Plainfield at 3 p. m. Saturday, over the snow-covered road, cold and wet and hungry. Mr. Casper treated them right, and Mr. Miller and Guess went on their way rejoicing, leaving a note of thanks for Mr. Casper at the office of The Daily Press.

Cyclers to Broil and Eat.

The Elizabeth Wheelmen are arranging to give a beefsteak broil next week Tuesday night at their club-house on East Broad street. The committee who have the affair in charge are hard at work, and promise to provide a pleasant entertainment to their guests as well as a delicious supper.

It is the intention of the committee to provide vocal and instrumental music, and there will be speeches and other kinds of excellent divertisement that will accompany the serving of delicious steaks.

Invitations will be sent to representatives of all Plainfield clubs.

Endeavorers Advancing.

The Christian Endeavor society of the Congregational Church held special Christian Endeavor Day exercises last evening. Miss Florence G. Hawkins, secretary of the local union, who led the meeting, made a very interesting and practical address on the topic, "Advance, Endeavor!" During the meeting a violin solo was artistically rendered by Miss Nella Whiton, accompanied by her sister, Miss Mary Whiton, on the piano. The service was much enjoyed by all.

Sheridan Gets a Month.

Philip Sheridan, who had pleaded guilty of an assault upon the Italian shoemaker on Liberty street, was sentenced Saturday in Elizabeth to the county jail for thirty days.

—J. M. Harper, the stationer, of 411 Park avenue, has a complete stock of valentines.

The experience of Geo. A. Apgar, of German Valley, N. J., is well worth remembering. He was troubled with chronic diarrhoea and doctored for five months and was treated by four different doctors without benefit. He then began using Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, of which one small bottle effected a complete cure. It is for sale at Reynolds's pharmacy, Park and North aves. T. S. Armstrong, manager.

THE BLIND HYMN WRITER.

FANNY J. CROSBY HAPPY IN HER AFFLICTION.

She Talks to Three Large Plainfield Audiences of Herself, and of Their Christian Work.

In almost every home throughout the length and breadth of this land Fanny J. Crosby, the blind hymn writer, is loved for her songs, and Plainfield was especially favored in having her present yesterday at several services.

She addressed the Sunday-school of the Congregational Church in the afternoon, and later appeared at the meeting of the Y. M. C. A., where for the first time the handsome large hall was used. The music was a feature of the occasion. A double quartette rendered several pretty selections, all by the gifted blind author. S. W. Waldron of New York and Joseph Moon sang duets, with autoharp accompaniment by Mr. Waldron. Miss Crosby was then introduced, and for nearly one hour her audience listened with deep interest to the spiritual words of this wonderful woman. Many touching incidents were related by her in connection with her work, and the large audience was deeply affected. She said that although blind from childhood she thought it no privation, as the Lord had quickened her faculties and had been so precious to her in many other ways.

After the service many present took the opportunity to meet her, and all found her to be cheerful and happy.

In the evening she was present at the Trinity Reformed Church. Long before the hour of service the edifice was thronged, and when the service began the seats were filled and many had to stand. Here, as well as at the afternoon service, the music was a feature, and the walls of the sanctuary fairly rang with the notes of the whole-souled singing of choir and congregation. All of the hymns were of Miss Crosby's composition.

President Fred Smith of the Christian Endeavor society stated the object of the service to be the celebration of Christian Endeavor Day, and spoke particularly of the home society, of its growth and work, and congratulated all on the success attending their efforts.

He spoke of the honor of having present the author of so many favorite hymns which the society loved so much. He then announced the hymn "Hide me, O my Saviour, Hide me", which was sung by the entire congregation with much spirit and feeling.

The Scripture lesson and prayer were conducted by the pastor, Rev. Cornelius Schenck, after which a very pretty duet, "Cast thy burden on the Lord", was sung by Mr. Waldron and Joseph Moon, with autoharp accompaniment.

After the offertory, "Hark, Hark, My Soul", by the choir, the pastor introduced Miss Crosby, who, he said, needed no introduction as she was known in so many homes all over the country.

She said in part: "Today has been one of the happiest for me, the Lord has been so precious and near to me, and I have enjoyed His presence so much.

"I am pleased to be present with you on this occasion, and to enjoy with you this celebration of Christian Endeavor Day.

"Fourteen years ago tonight this society was launched forth, and the good that has been done is of incalculable value. Previous to its organization something was needed between the church and the Sunday-school, and the Christian Endeavor society was just the thing.

"Dear Father Clark, as we call him, little knew of the vast amount of good this Christian Endeavor army would accomplish. We should go on in this glorious work, strive for larger results, and never be discouraged."

She told how she was led to write the hymn "All the Way My Saviour Leads Me". She was in her office in New York one warm day, and was inclined to worry and be fretful, when a person walked in and out of the goodness of his heart placed a $5 bill in her hand as a tribute to Christianity. The words which are so well known were then written, and, coming from the heart, meant so much to her.

She congratulated the Christian Endeavor societies of Plainfield, and hoped they would make the coming year a far better one than that just ended, though she knew that much good had been done in the past.

For one hour Miss Crosby held the closest attention of all. At the close of her remarks President Smith offered prayer, and after the singing of the hymn "Jesus My All" the pastor pronounced the benediction.

Many introduced themselves to Miss Crosby at the close, and were pleased with the bright and happy spirit of the hymn-writer, expressed in her cordial greetings.

—Walter Scott & Co., who have completed their twentieth year of business in the manufacture of printing machinery, issue a neat booklet containing many letters of praise from printers and publishers everywhere for their machinery. The pamphlet is illustrated with a picture of the works and designs of their various styles of presses.

AN ORCHID TEA.

Charming Event at the Home of Councilman Ginna.

About 125 of Miss Ginna's friends assembled Saturday afternoon at the spacious family home, 1107 Watchung avenue, at an orchid tea given in honor of the fair hostess's friend, Miss Hutton of Baltimore. The house was gorgeously decorated with rare and beautiful orchids from the celebrated private conservatories of Stephen A. Ginna, father of the hostess. A novel and strikingly artistic effect was produced on the banquet table by a huge pyramid of orchids in the centre, at the apex of which was a single pale-blue flower of indescribably delicate tracery, which was so rare and perfect as to be well nigh priceless, so seldom does this special variety blossom. The harmony of the exquisite table-setting was enhanced by massive lavender-trimmed candelabra.

Plainfield Toughs Done Up.

The 6:05 New York express from Philadelphia yesterday morning brought from Bound Brook a party of Plainfield toughs who had been carousing with others of their kind at a low Bound Brook resort, and had just liquor enough to be noisy when they took the train. Coming through from the West was a theatrical troupe, and the Plainfield hoodlums began to make sport by insulting several women belonging to this company.

Then followed a little one-act drama not down on the playbills, in which the male members of the company took the part of stars. Several of the Plainfield gang saw "stars" several times in the next few seconds. The gang was most beautifully "done" and would have got much more if the train had not stopped and given them a chance to sneak off. "Two lovely black eyes" and several sore faces, as well as some bloody noses, resulted for the toughs, and they deserved more than they got. Their names are known and will be used should another such disgraceful scene occur.

Yellow and Green Reception.

The Misses Bush of West Seventh street gave a reception Saturday from 4 to 7. The rooms were artistically decorated in yellow and green. Miss Bedford and Miss Rockwell of New York presided at the table, and were assisted by Miss Bowers, Miss Covert, Miss Adele Hunter, Miss Josie Petrie and Miss Woodward of New York.

In spite of the inclemency of the weather over one hundred guests filled the parlors, including some from New York, Brooklyn and New Brunswick. Max Wiertz superbly catered.

Adds to Plainfield's Chances.

Plainfield may win the championship of the Elizabeth Journal Bowling League this season without a series with the Y. M. C. L. A. They have been tied with that club, but Cranford claims a forfeit from the Y. M. C. L. A. which puts the Elizabeth boys one game behind Plainfield. The Y. M. C. L. A. did not appear to roll the scheduled game on the Cranford alleys, so the Cranford boys rolled the regulation 10 frames without opposition. The rule is: "Match games shall be called at eight o'clock. Should either club fail to produce its men thirty minutes thereafter, the captain of the team present may claim the game."

The Loss of the Elbe.

Grace M. E. Church entered on the third week of evangelistic services last night with the largest audience yet in attendance. Mr. Randolph preached a stirring sermon, taking the loss of the Elbe as his subject. He warned the unconverted not to depend on human appliances for their eternal salvation nor past experiences. He exhorted them to come to the Saviour without delay and trust simply in Him. He announced that services will be held every night this week except Saturday night.

Dr. C. S. Ryman, the presiding elder, preached yesterday morning, and the Communion was celebrated.

Dr. Morgan's Visit.

Rev. Brockholst Morgan, general agent of the New York Protestant Episcopal City Mission Society, assisted at the services of the Church of the Redeemer Sunday morning. He preached from the text found in the 9th and 10th verses of the 18th chapter of Acts, and gave an interesting account of the work of the society among the destitute, outcast and suffering population of the great city. A large congregation was present, and a generous contribution in aid of his work was taken up at the close of his address.

Perils of Mountain Travel.

Stonewall Jackson, a horse-trader of Martinsville, drove off the river bank into the Passaic river, near the home of Thos. Terrill, Wednesday night. His horse was drowned, and the wagon wrecked, but Jackson escaped.

Receiving Pasteur Treatment.

Chas. F. Carter and John Kelmeer, victims of the Scotch Plains mad dog, have been admitted to Pasteur Institute for treatment. The brain of the dog is being examined there.

GOLDEN WEDDING.

Mr. and Mrs. John Flannery Get Married Over Again as They Were 50 Years Ago.

Mr. and Mrs. John Flannery of Scotch Plains celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary Saturday evening, by inviting a number of their friends to witness their re-marriage. Rev. Dr. Parks performed the ceremony, and the answers of both were given as clear and happy as they were 50 years ago. A number of handsome presents were given to the bride and groom. Among those present were: Mr and Mrs Oliver, Mrs Riley and daughter, Mrs Dobbins and daughters of Kearney, J E Flannery, Frank Flannery and Miss Herring of Plainfield, Mr and Mrs E L Hand, Mr and Mrs Noble, Rev J H Parks, W B Noble, George Johnston, Harry Flannery, Miss Grace Robison, Miss Nellie Flannery, and others of Scotch Plains.

All left near midnight with best wishes for the happy couple, and that they might live to celebrate many more anniversaries.

Smallest Pony in the World.

One of the most gorgeously costumed and magnificently appointed street parades ever attempted was given by George Thatcher & Carroll Johnson's Minstrels today in Plainfield and Westfield. Their performance this evening in Music Hall will fulfil all promises which the parade suggested, the management laying particular stress on the strength, novelty and refinement of the performance, and the ability, merit and excellence of every individual member of the company.

The parade included, as will the performance tonight, the great pony circus, in which 10 of the most beautiful specimens of horseflesh in the world appeared. The young people took great delight in seeing "Madison Square", the smallest horse in the world, weighing only 45 pounds, and but 27 inches in height.

Y. M. C. A. Tomorrow.

The programme to be presented at the new hall of the Y. M. C. A. tomorrow evening will be one of great merit and exceeding interest. The Verdi Ladies Quartette of Brooklyn is a first-class musical organization, the members having well-trained voices and singing in perfect harmony. The quartette is received with great favor wherever it sings. Miss Addie Parker Jackson is too well known in our city to need particular mention. Suffice it to say that her readings are very delightful indeed.

Getting Ready for Wheeling.

A meeting of the wheeling clubs of the county has been called for the evening of Feb. 18, to be held in the Elizabeth Daily Journal office. The time, course and arrangements for the Journal trophy ten-mile team road race will be the subjects offered for the consideration of the clubs, and it is desired that every club in the county be represented.

Every wheeling club in the county being eligible to compete in the race is invited to send a representative to the meeting.

Excellent Scholarship.

The following pupils of the Mt. Pleasant school reached the standard of excellence during the second division of the school year:

Florence DeForeest.
Sadie Terry.
Helen DeForeest.
Hattie VanNest.
Mamie Applegate.
Edith Rouch.
Sadie McClennan.

Benefit for Wash's Widow.

A benefit game of base-ball is being arranged by Ted Coyne of Elizabeth for the widow and children of Washington Berriman. Those interested in the affair are T. H. Keller of Plainfield, President J. E. Sullivan of the N. J. A. C., and Messrs. Codding, Whalen and Mack.

The game will be played in Elizabeth, and many Brooklyn association players will give their services for the benefit.

Pigeon Shots Matched.

Articles of agreement have been signed in Elizabeth in the presence of a number of Elizabeth and Plainfield sports for a match between Neaf Apgar of this city and Aaron Woodruff of Elizabeth for $125 a side, winner to take all, best in 100 birds, match to be pulled off Tuesday, Feb. 26, at Jack Bennet's traps on the Fanwood road.

A Des Moines woman who has been troubled with frequent colds, concluded to try an old remedy in a new way, and accordingly took a tablespoonful (four times the usual dose) of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy just before going to bed. The next morning she found that her cold had almost entirely disappeared. During the day she took a few doses of the remedy (one teaspoonful at a time) and at night again took a tablespoonful before going to bed, and on the following morning awoke free from all symptoms of the cold. Since then she has, on several occasions, used this remedy in like manner with the same good results, and is much elated over her discovery of so quick a way of curing a cold. For sale at Reynolds's pharmacy, Park and North aves. T. S. Armstrong, manager.

PARTICULAR MENTION

Mrs. Lewis VanNest has recovered from the grip.

H. C. McVoy is confined to his home with a heavy cold.

Jed Smalley was able to be out yesterday after his severe illness.

John VanNest is improving from his attack of typhoid-pneumonia.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Roome have entirely recovered from the grip.

Miss Augustine Lisignolo of Westervelt avenue is ill with the grip.

D. M. Gardner, formerly of this city, spent Sunday with friends in Plainfield.

Ex-Mayor George W. Rockfellow is able to attend to business again after his illness.

Mrs. Fine of West Front street, who has been ill for some time, does not improve.

Julius Williams of Elmwood place is very ill with a severe cold. Dr. Boone is in attendance.

A party will be held at the residence of Miss Daisy Sprague, Spooner avenue, Friday evening.

Miss Edna French of Craig place will entertain some of her friends at a salmagundi party Feb. 11.

Miss T. A. Alexander of East Fifth street, who has been ill with the grip, is able to be out again.

After a six-weeks illness, Arthur Drake of Orchard place was able to resume work today at Philip Swain's.

A sociable will take place at the residence of Miss Florence Marsh, Plainfield avenue, Thursday evening.

The condition of Hiram Hornish has grown worse, and for the past few days he has been sinking steadily.

Miss Florence Dodge and Miss McClain sang acceptably at the East Third Street Mission last evening.

Miss Eleanor Roome of Sycamore avenue has recovered from the grip sufficiently to be about the house.

—The first meeting of the Socialist Labor Party in their new headquarters will be held Wednesday evening at 8.

The many friends of J. P. Laire are glad to see him at his place of business again, after a mild attack of the grip.

Mr. and Mrs Samuel Reamer have returned to their home in New York after a visit to Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Van Nest.

Miss Emily Corlell of Church street entertained a few friends at her home Saturday evening. It was a delightful affair.

Rev. Dr. Morgan, who preached at the Church of the Redeemer Sunday, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Dupee of Rockview avenue.

Miss Alice Spangenberg will deliver an address tonight at the Christian Endeavor meeting in the Westfield Presbyterian Church.

H. B. Newman of Fanwood was chosen vice-president of the New Jersey Inter-Club Whist Association, at the organization meeting last week.

Mrs. F. W. Bailey and son Pierson returned Saturday from Bridgeton, where they have been visiting at the home of her late brother, Rev. J. Judson Pierson.

Engineer F. A. Dunham has offered to supervise the Westfield sewer construction for 5 per cent. of its cost. The Town Committee tabled his application for future action.

H. P. Reynolds contributes a valuable paper on "Physicians, Pharmacists, and the Common Foe", to the current issue of the New York journal of the trade, Merck's Market Reports.

Miss Anna Titsworth, the efficient bookkeeper for Grocer Fred W. Dunn, returned to the store this morning after a long illness with typhoid fever at her home in Dunellen.

T. Skinner and daughter, Mrs. Dr. C. P. Bunson of New York, were the guests of Mr. Skinner's sister, Mrs George VanNest of Monroe avenue, Sunday. They will leave for Colorado Springs, Wednesday.

Mrs. B. T. Barnes, organist of the Congregational Church, is still confined to her home with the grip. Her place was acceptably filled yesterday morning by Louis Newman.

May Moffett of Mercer avenue and Duer street, who fell down the back steps at her home about a week ago, and fractured one of her ribs, is getting along very nicely under the care of Dr. Jenkins.

Col. Chas. K. Moore, Deputy Street-Cleaning Commissioner of New York, made a flying trip to Fanwood, Saturday night, in response to a despatch that his son was ill. The doctor says Jimmy's better.

Patrick Moran of 631 South Second street, long a resident of Plainfield, and many years employed by J. W. Johnson, died yesterday, aged 75 years. The funeral will take place tomorrow morning at 8:30 at the house, and at 9 at St. Mary's Church.

Miss Fannie J. Crosby during her stay in Plainfield was the guest of A. C. LaBoyteaux of East Sixth street. She came here Saturday afternoon and remained till this morning. She expressed a great attachment for Plainfield, and delight at her reception here.

EARLY INTELLIGENCE

—Harry Jenkins left Edsall's employ Saturday evening.

—Valentines to suit every taste are supplied at Rand's.

—Westfield is still considering its branch of the trolley trunk line franchise.

—A not uncommon sight yesterday was an occasional cycler spinning over the snow.

—This is pension day, and this morning Justice Nash was very busy making out papers.

—The Ladies Aid Society of Hope Chapel hold their weekly meeting Wednesday afternoon at 2:30.

—The thermometer registered 4 degrees below zero at 6 a. m. Sunday, the coldest thus far this season.

—Mrs. T. J. Gillies has rented her store on Madison avenue to the West Front street Chinese laundryman.

—VanBuren & Timpson's handsome new sign was put in position on top of their building Saturday night.

—The attendance at the Communion service in the First Baptist Church yesterday morning was very large.

—Grand Dictator Schierf and staff will install the recently-elected officers of Senate Lodge next Thursday evening.

—F. E. Richards and a friend went Saturday night to New Brunswick on a pleasure trip behind Frank Hedden's highstepper, "Dandy."

—A meeting of the Young Ladies Missionary Society of the First Baptist Church will be held tomorrow afternoon at 2, in the lecture room.

—Ivanhoe Council, A. L. of H., will have an important meeting and supper tomorrow night at 8:15. Members are urged to bring fair company.

—Woolston & Buckle are to have elegant gold, silver and pearl signs on the windows of their North avenue stores. The two Ikies are doing the work.

—The 2:08 west bound passenger train, in charge of Conductor Annese and Engineer Hartsell, came in yesterday minus her pilot and head light, having lost them in a collision with a freight.

—A few of the suits ordered by members of the Sons of Veterans arrived Saturday, and the wearers are very well pleased with them. There will probably be another order sent off this week.

—The business men's class at the Y. M. C. A. is now fairly started, and good work is being done. The baths will be finished this week, and better satisfaction will then be given in the work.

—The Christian Endeavor Society of the Congregational Church will hold a sociable next Friday evening in the church parlors, to which the congregation is invited. An interesting programme is in preparation.

—The sociable which was to have been held tonight in the East Third Street Mission has been postponed to Feb. 12, when P. Ludwig Conde and orchestra will be present. There will be several other features.

—The Local Branch of the New Jersey Building Loan and Investment Company will meet for the election of officers and other business tomorrow evening, Feb. 5, at 8, in Republican Association Hall, 120 East Front street.

—Grocer Rockfellow finds his business growing so greatly that he is trying to secure the rear portion of the adjoining store to give him more space. He purposes cutting an archway in the partition, and making his store L-shaped.

—The Plainfield Common Council meets tonight. The liquor-license applications will be received, the Mayor's police nominations submitted, and the trolley-road extensions considered, in addition to much other business.

—Saturday evening at 6:30 a cutter struck the dangerous ridge in the centre of West Ninth street left by the sewer company near Prospect avenue, and the driver was spilled out on the frozen ground while the horse started at a lively pace down Ninth street chased by the former occupant of the cutter. He was caught without accident several blocks down the street.

Up in the World.

The cat which Telephone Inspector Herbert Chamberlain rescued from the top of an electric-light pole some weeks ago, has again taken refuge at the top of a pole on South Second street near Plainfield avenue. A dog chased it there Friday night, and up to this afternoon it was still huddled on one of the crossbars. The cat is owned by Peter Linzer.

Four Big Successes.

Having the needed merit to more than make good all the advertising claimed for them, the following four remedies have reached a phenomenal sale. Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption, coughs and colds, each bottle guaranteed—Electric Bitters, the great remedy for liver, stomach and kidneys. Bucklen's Arnica Salve, the best in the world, and Dr. King's New Life Pills, which are a perfect pill. All these remedies are guaranteed to do just what is claimed for them and the dealer whose name is attached herewith will be glad to tell you more of them. Sold at L. W. Randolph's drug store.

BANKERS HOARD GOLD.

Omaha Banks Have $3,000,000 To Be Paid on Specific Demand.

Omaha, Neb., Feb. 4.—It has developed that Omaha banks are hoarding gold closer than ever. The local banks hve nearly $3,000,000 and paying it out only on specific demand. Henry W. Yates, president of the Nebraska National bank, when asked about it, said: "I do not know of any organized intention of Omaha bankers thus to force a premium on gold. In fact, the people seem to prefer currency to coin when checks are honored.

"There is more gold now in the west than in the east. The agitation for free silver will certainly have a tendency to increase the value of gold and put it at a premium."

Another rumor is to the effect that the Omaha banks are hoarding their gold in order to get a good-sized pile of it to send to the treasury in exchange for currency and thus protect the gold reserve in a manner similar to that performed by the Denver bankers two years ago.

A SQUIRE IN DANGER.

Left His Children To Starve—A Dead Rat Their Only Food.

Lawrenceburg, Ind., Feb. 4.—Squire Robbins, justice of the peace in Union township, is in danger of white-capping for almost incredible cruelty to his children. A few days ago he left his two little children alone without food or fuel, telling them he was going to Cole's Corners and would soon return.

He did not, and Albert Brush, a farmer, has just found the children in a pitiable condition. They were nearly dead from starvation and cold, and only prompt medical attention saved them. The youngsters told a horrible story of their suffering.

The only food they had in four days, says the oldest, a boy of 6, was a dead rat that the cat brought into the house. They tore the rat to pieces and ate the fragments raw.

The indignation in the neighborhood is very bitter, and white-capping is the best the squire may expect if he returns.

THE CZAR ABSOLUTE.

His Speech Creates a Bad Impression in Liberal Circles.

London, Feb. 4.—The Berlin correspondent of the Daily News says:

"Advices from St. Petersburg show that the czar's peech declaring himself absolute has made a bad impression and has caused great excitement in liberal circles. Eleven arrests were made yesterday. Copies of hand bills were found in St. Petersburg university recalling the fact that March 1 will be the anniversary of the murder of Alexander II."

The Daily News correspondent in Vienna learns that the students of St. Petersburg university were about to send a petition to the czar, but were warned not to do so. The promoters of the plan, he says, are the eleven men under arrest.

THE WHITEWAY CABINET.

Sir William Unable To Satisfy Those Clamoring for Office.

St. Johns, N. F., Feb. 4.—The new Whiteway cabinet has not yet been formed, the premier being unable to arrange the positions to satisfy those clamoring for office. The difficulties have been increased by the knowledge among these that they must face reelection within the next few months. The confederation question is also a stumbling block. St. Johns is emphatically against any union and will defeat any confederate nominees. It is reported on good authority that the Whitewayites are willing to enact a bill recognizing the rights of the French fishermen along the treaty coast if in return they are guaranteed a loan from the imperial government.

Sanitary Manufacturers Dissolve.

Trenton, N. J., Feb. 4.—The announcement is made that the Sanitary Ware Manufacturers' association of the United States has been dissolved. The association was composed of all the leading producers of sanitary earthenware and was organized five years ago to fix and maintain a scale of prices for sanitary ware; to limit the sale of goods to jobbers, and to control the trade generally.

Buried the Marshal of France.

Paris, Feb. 4.—All military and official Paris attended the funeral of Francois Certain Canrobert, the last marshal of France. The ceremonies were the same as at the state funeral of Marshal McMahon, almost a year and a half ago, but the crowds in the streets were smaller and the signs of mourning less numerous among the people.

Drowned with Their Plunder.

London, Feb. 4.—The Daily News correspondent in Vienna says that the three Guttman brothers of Kaschau, Hungary, who absconded with 300,000 florins, obtained false passports and sailed on the steamer Elbe as Moritz, Franz and Eduard Moscowitz. Their sister, who fled with them, he says, gave her name as Esther Goldner.

Played in Confidence.

Norwalk, Conn., Feb. 4.—George E. Hawkins, of Setauket, L. I., played a confidence game on Theodore Olsen, a shoe dealer, J. P. Frances, a clothing merchant, and A. Dicerman & Son, dry-goods dealers. Hawkins secured nearly $100 in cash and goods. He was captured by Sheriff Toner and will be arraigned to-day.

Lost a Life and Fortune.

Berlin, Feb. 4.—The German American Hahn, who went down with the steamship Elbe, had come to Berlin to secure a fortune recently bequeathed him. The amount is said to be 500,000 marks. He had taken most of the necessary legal steps and was returning to America to obtain the final affidavit.

Sanford's Deficit $14,972.

Concord, Mass., Feb. 4.—The selectmen of Concord, the town auditor, a representative of Sanford's bondsmen and Prescott Keyes held a meeting yesterday and announced Sanford's deficit, as shown on the tax books, as $14,972.42.

Secretary of War Visiting.

Niagara Fall, N. Y., Feb. 4.—Secretary of War Daniel S. Lamont accompanied by his family and private secretary, John Seager and Mrs. Seager, spent yesterday here visiting friends.

KEEP WATCH ON ALBANY

Morton Rejects Bills for Typographical Errors.

Will Give Hearing to the New York City Tenement House Bill—May Regulate the Price of Electric Light in New York and Brooklyn. Lexow Committee and the Seventy.

Albany, Feb. 4.—Much important legislation will be up for consideration in the legislature this week. Most of the work, however, will be done in the committees. More care is taken in the preperation of bills than at any other session, as Gov. Morton insists on returning bills, even for slight typographical errors.

The New York city power of removal bill, which has passed the assembly will come up for final passage in the senate this week. The bill, as it stands, gives the mayor six months in which to make removals, and confines the power of removal to an elected mayor.

May Pass Bills.

Bills providing free passes for state and municipal officials will come up in both houses. It is not expected they will receive favorable action. It is not unlikely that a bill will be introduced in the senate prohibiting railroads issuing passes to any persons other than their employes.

The anti-sparring bill will come up on third reading in the assembly.

Hearings will be given before the assembly cities committee to-morrow afternoon on Mr. Miles' bill, incorporating the New York Zoological society; Mr. Brush's, providing for eight local inferior courts in Brooklyn and Mr. Lawson's, New York city dock department re-organization bill.

The senate cities committee will give hearings to-morrow afternoon on the New York tenement house bills, and on Senator Owens' bill, regulating the price of electric light in New York and Brooklyn.

The ways and means committee will give a hearing to-morrow afternoon on the capitol appropriation bill.

On Wednesday afternoon the Lexow committee will give a further hearing to the committee of seventy and other reform organizations of New York city on the New York city police bills. On the same afternoon there will be a joint hearing before the judiciary committees of the two houses on the ballot reform bills.

Mr. Friday's bill, providing for the licensing of motormen and the appointment of electrical examiners, will have committee Thursday.

a hearing before the assembly cities

Will Govern the Speed.

On Wednesday there will be a hearing before the assembly railroads committee, on Assemblyman Wieman's bill, prohibiting cars on electric railroads in New York, Brooklyn and Buffalo, from being operated at a speed greater than six miles an hour.

Senator Coffey's bill fixing the price of gas in Brooklyn at $1 per 1,000 feet will have a hearing before the senate committee of miscellaneous corporations some day during the week.

There will be a hearing before the committee of the two houses to-morrow afternoon on telephone bills.

On Thursday afternoon there will be a hearing before the senate railroad committee on the Buffalo grade crossing law amendments of Senator Persons.

Jail Birds Captured.

Harrisburg, Pa., Feb. 4.—In response to a telegram from Chief of Police Anderson, Captain Freeburger and Detectives Hussey and Ward, came here from Baltimore with warrants for William Hall and Charles Johnson, who after terrorizing part of Cumberland county and throwing this city into excitement, were landed in prison, for robbing the house of Mr. Watts, at Pikeville, Mr., of jewelry on December 22. Hall is also said to be wanted for breaking out of the Westminster jail and for shooting a policeman near that town when under arrest for vagrancy. The men are also charged with a number of robberies committed in Baltimore and Carroll counties, Maryland. They will likely be taken to Baltimore to-day.

A Deserter Wanted.

Buffalo, Feb. 4.—George W. Fane, a private in Company A, Thirteenth United States infantry, recently transferred from Fort Reno to Fort Porter, this city, has deserted. He was an important witness for the prosecution at the recent trial of Sergeant Marriott, at Albany, for the murder of Sergeant Schuler. Fane's close connection with the case makes his capture very desirable by the government and deputy marshals are looking for him in all directions.

She Preached to the Multitude.

Atlanta, Ga., Feb. 4.—Three thousand people heard Rev. Anna Howard Shaw preach yesterday at the closing of the National American Woman's suffrage convention. Half an hour before the services began the doors were closed to the public, the crowd was so large. She spoke for an hour and a half. She said the suffragists asked nothing that was not perfectly natural.

Was It the Chicora?

Chicago, Feb. 4.—An object resembling the hull of the ill-fated Chicora, has been seen off South Chicago, hemmed in by ice. Agent Van Sickle, of the Baltimore & Ohio, at Milting, Ind., saw the hull float by, only two miles from shore. Darkness prevents any attempt being made to reach the wreck. Tugs have been sent in search.

Wreck on the Rock Island.

Topeka, Kan., Feb. 4.—Rock Island train No. 2, east bound, was wrecked at Willard twenty miles west of Topeka yesterday. A broken rail was the cause. Two chair cars and four Pullmans left the track. Several were injured.

Died in Search of Gold.

Duluth, Minn., Feb. 4.—It is reported that eight men have perished in the unexplored gold regions along the Seine river. The party left here in January and according to a letter received fom a survivor, eight of them have fozen to death.

A STEAMER IN DISTRESS.

Finding a Body at Sea—Was He the Elbe's Unfortunate?

London, Feb. 4.—The crew of the fishing smack Tara, which arrived at Lowestoft last night, report that between 5 and 6 o'clock on the morning of the 30th, about fifty miles from Lowestoft, they saw rockets. They had just hauled up their trawl. They bore down on the signalling vessel, but lost sight of signals and steamer when about 700 yards distant. They saw another steamer burning blue light and then, a few minutes later, steaming east. They cruised about, but saw nothing more.

The crew of the fishing smack Industry passed the body of a foreign seaman, with a lifebelt attached to it, about thirty-five miles off Lowestoft. They did not bring it ashore because recently after landing a body they had been forced to pay the funeral expenses. Crews of other smacks report having seen wreckage and a body.

BANKERS PLEASED.

William Connell Says Cleveland Has Done the Right Thing.

Buffalo, Feb. 4.—The Bankers' association has wired New York representatives at Washington to help forward prompt action on the part of congress to avert disaster to the nations credit. "The duty of every business man in the United States," said Banker William Connell who enjoys a national reputation as an authority on finance, "is to bring to bear upon congress all possible influences that will aid the passage of the measure recommended by the president. In arranging for a $100,000,000 loan abroad, President Cleveland has again done the right thing and at the right time. But this can only be a temporary expedient. Permanent relief can come only by adopting the measures so earnestly recommended in the president's message."

OVER AN EMBANKMENT.

A Wreck on the Indiana & Illinois Southern Railroad.

Newton, Ill., Feb. 4.—By the wreck on the Indiana & Illinois Southern railroad which was caused by decayed ties and a defective joint, five cars, including a passenger coach, tumbled down a fifteen foot embankment. The Ford Dramatic company was on board. Following is a list of the injured:

C. G. Ford, arm hurt; G. M. Adams, injured internally; D. W. Seecrist, badly bruised; T. H. Hand, injured about head; C. W. Jackson, left foot crushed; Harry Fahrnes, head bruised and arm injured.

It is miraculous that nobody was killed. All of the women were badly shaken up, but none sustained injuries of a serious nature.

LOOKS DARK FOR PARE.

After Five Years in Jail Is Again Arrested—Canadians Want Him.

Concord, N. H., Feb. 4.—George Pare, alias Bowland, was discharged from state prison here September 10, after serving five years for burglary in in Cheshire county. Pare was wanted by Montreal officers to answer a charge of burglary. It was the officers intention to take him to Canada on the completion of the sentence, but for some unaccountable reason the papers did not arrive in season and Pare disappeared.

Concord officers located him in Manchester, where he was living under the name of Howard. He was arrested and brought here last night and will be held awaiting extradition papers.

THEY ARE AFTER HIM.

An Elopement with a Man of Family. Both Parties Arrested.

Halifax, N. S., Feb. 4.—Among the passengers on the steamer Mongolian from Liverpool booked to Vancouver, were John Brown, aged 50, and Gertrude Bentley, aged 18, registered as man and wife. They were arrrested here on instructions from the girl's father, a wealthy Liverpool manufacturer.

Brown, who is a graduate of Oxford and Miss Bentley's tutor, left a wife and five children behind. He was subsequently liberated and engaged counsel in an endeavor to obtain the girl's release.

Norton's Body Found.

Providence, R. I., Feb. 4.—It is believed that the body found in the small black sloop anchored in the Indian river, off South Rockledge, Fla., was that of William Norton, who came to this city from Illinois during the past year. Norton came here for the purpose of coaching the Brown university foot-ball team last fall and about Thanksgiving he announced his intention of taking a trip south during the winter.

Herr Most a Prophet.

Waterbury, Conn., Feb. 4.—Herr Most addressed 200 people at Quigley's hall yesterday. His address was temperate in tone. He condemned the Brooklyn trike and called the strikers foolish, declaring that the time was not ripe. He denounced the relations between capital and labor, and advised workingmen to organize. He predicted an industrial war at an early day.

Three Cowboys Killed.

Hermosillo, Mex., Feb. 4.—Fifty renegade Yaqui Indians who evaded the detachment of federal troops made a raid on Jose Gonzelez's ranch in the river valley west of here, killed three cowboys, robbed the ranch of a considerable sum of money, and carried off a large amount of grain. Settlers are arming themselves and organizing to go in pursuit of the Indians.

The Castine for Africa.

New York, Feb. 4.—Commander Thomas Perry started the gunboat Castine on her trip to the east coast of Africa yesterday, and the waters of New York are for the first time in many months without a representative of the new navy, except for the Vesuvias, which is supposed to go hunting for derelicts along the coast.

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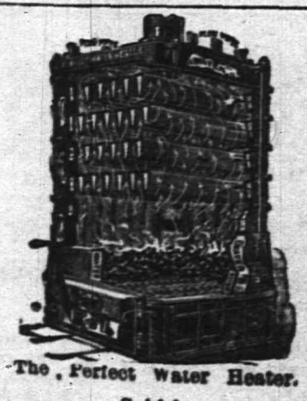

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Japan Will Exact a Cession of Territory.

Chinese Empire May Involve the Intervention of European Powers—Japanese Iron Clad Sunk—European Officers in Command—Liu-Kung-Ti Arrives at New Chwang.

Washington, Feb. 4.—The dispatch from Hiroshima stating that the Chinese peace envoys had been sent back under escort because of the insufficiency of their credentials, exactly accords with anticipatory advices by Minister Kurino, the Japanese minister to the United States. It has been the expressed opinion at the Japanese legation from the beginning, that the Chinese government was simply pursuing its customary policy of delay in this matter.

Their first attempt was to place Japan in the atttitude of suing for peace, by giving the proposition made at the suggestion of the United States by Minister Dun, at Tokio, precedence over the proposition made by Minister Denby, at Pekin. This subterfuge being rejected, and Japan insisting that China must take the initiative in asking for peace, China next requested an armistice. This being refused on the 8th of December, China appointed *Chang Hin Huan, and Shac, governor of Formosa*, as peace envoys. Japan served formal notice on China that unless these envoys came accredited with plenipotentiary powers, they would not be received, and for the time being, Japan, in the interest of a peaceful settlement, waived its objection to the personality of Shao, who had set a price on the head of every Japanese captured or slain. Although the Chinese envoys were appointed on the 8th of December, it was not until the 7th of January, that Shang Hin Huan took leave of the emperor and started on his mission.

In the meantime came the selection of ex-Secretary J. W. Foster as advisory counsel. This again was looked upon by Japan as an attempt at delay. It was apparent that Mr. Foster could not be admitted to the peace negotiations except in the capacity of a secretary to one of the Chinese envoys, and that was a position his high rank as a diplomat and an ex-secretary of tate of the United States would of necessity debar him from taking.

Two months ago Count Ito, Count Inonye and Field Marshal Yamagata were all in favor of peace upon the basis of an indemnity, and the recognition of the independence of Korea. Now it is said these terms will be impossible, and that Japan will exact a cession of territory.

Just here, as viewed by experienced diplomats of other legations than the Japanese, the element of danger comes in. There is nothing now left for the Japanese to do but to pursue their advantages until eventually Pekin falls into their hands. The inevitable results of this, it is thought, will be the fall of the present dynasty. Then there will be no one to treat with for peace and complications will occur which will threaten the total dismemberment of the Chinese empire and involve the almost certain intervention of European powers. The outcome of such a complication would be difficult to foresee and its contemplation is giving much uneasiness in diplomatic circles here.

Nothing had been received at the navy department as to the progress of the great battle between the Japanese and Chinese fleets in the harbor of Wei-Hai-Wei. The fact that some of the Chinese warships are commanded by European officers makes the outcome less certain than any previous engagement. Unofficial advices seem to confirm reports that the Japanese have sustained the loss of one iron clad and several torpedo boats in their two venturesome assaults. Naval officers believe the Chinese fleet will fight to a finish and that the most deadly naval battle of modern times is now in progress in the harbor of Wei-Hai-Wei.

Secretary Gresham up to a late hour last night had received no dispatches as to the progress of events, but it is confidently expected that Secretary Herbert will hear news from our fleet of observation to-day.

London, Feb. 4.—The Central News correspondent in Wei-Hai-Wei telegraphs under date of Feb. 1, via Talien-Wan:

"The Chinese warships were much damaged in yesterday's fight. After the Paichiyaso forts capitulated, the Japanese turned the captured guns against the Chinese warships, hitting them repeatedly and forcing them to change their position. A violent snow storm in the afternoon of Jan. 31 compelled the Japanese fleet to remain inactive and thus frustrated the Japanese plan to bring on a general naval engagement. The Japanese still hold the entrance to the harbor."

A Central News dispatch from Hai-Cheng says that Viceroy Liu-Kung-Ti has arrived at New Chwang and will assume supreme command of the Chinese operations in Manchuria. Gen. Nodzu, the Japanese commander, expects to be attacked to-day or to-morrow. His spies report that there are about 50,000 Chinese troops in the neighborhood of Yeng-Kow and New Chwang.

England's Liberal Whip.

London, Feb. 4.—An urgent liberal whip has been issued. It summons the members for 4 o'clock to-morrow afternoon when questions of privilege are likely to be raised, taking precedence over the address, and important disvisions are expected.

Hon. Joseph A. Linscott Dead.

Farmington, Me., Feb. 4.—Hon. Joseph A. Linscott is dead at his home here, aged about 83 years. He filled many important town offices, was a member of the governor's council in 1844 and several times representative to the legislature.

Sports Will Visit Europe.

Montreal, Feb. 4.—Tom Eck said last evening that he would soon start for Europe with Johnson, the skater and bicyclist, and John Neilson, of Minneapolis, who made such a good showing here Saturday.

THE STRIKERS PROTEST

Awaiting Decision of the City Fathers.

Non-Union Men Deserting—Strikers Orderly—President Lewis Satisfied with the Outlook—Commissioner Welles Will Let Norton Do the Talking—Motorman Assaulted.

Brooklyn, N. Y., Feb. 4.—It is expected that when the meeting of the board of aldermen takes place in the city hall this afternoon more than 20,000 persons will be standing on the plaza outside waiting to see what action the city fathers will take in regard to the petition and resolutions to be presented to them by the members of the executive committee of District Assembly No. 75. The petition was sent to all labor unions throughout the different parts of the city. The petition asks that the franchises be taken away from the Brooklyn Heights Railroad company, the Atlantic Avenue Railroad company, and the Queens County & Suburban Railroad company. The petition and resolutions will be presented at the aldermen's meeting by an alderman whose name will not be divulged by the members of the executive committee.

Master Workman Connelly when seen said that he was not anxious to have the strikers at the city hall but he desired to have all of the other laboring men in Brooklyn there. "We will surely have 20,000 men there," he said, "without our own 6,000. I would rather see our own men stay at home. From the reports that I have received every man, woman and child of this city is anxious to go to the city hall and stand in the plaza for one hour or a dozen hours if necessary."

When asked if he had secured a permit for the demonstration he replied that he had not.

"I don't see," he said, "that there is any occasion for getting a permit. A man has a right to walk along the street, he has a right to stand in one spot for an hour, or two hours, if he wants to do so. If one man has the right to stand so has 20,000 or 25,000 men."

He said the men would not go there in a body; they would go there in twos and threes and stand in front of the city hall. They would be a quiet and orderly crowd. When he was asked if it was true that Mr. Debs, the president of the American Railway union, was in town, he replied that he had been in town but had started back for his home again. When asked as to the reason for Mr. Debs' visit, Mr. Connelly refused to answer, other than to say that Mr. Debs came here to see how the situation stood. "After getting the information he wanted," Mr. Connelly continued, "he started back for his home again."

A number of desertions from the railroad companies were reported yesterday.

The same number of cars were run yesterday that have been running for the past few days. Collisions and small accidents were reported from various parts of the city, but nothing serious resulted. The companies claim they are getting all of their cars out on schedule time and that is all the people want them to do.

President Lewis, of the Brooklyn Heights company, when seen said that all of his cars were running on schedule time. He had all the men he wanted and was perfectly satisfied with the outlook. He said he would not make any application to Police Commissioner Welles asking him to allow his motormen and conductors to carry revolvers.

Allan Hoagland, a motorman, in charge of car 2,144 of the Greenpoint line, was held up by two men during the afternoon at Franklin and Huron streets. He was dragged from the platform, thrown into the street and beaten about the head and body. While lying on the ground he managed to pull a revolver from his pocket and fired two shots at his assailants. The bullets went wide of their mark, however, and the two men ran away on the arrival of a special officer. The latter took charge of the motorman and had Ambulance Surgeon Thall summoned from St. Catherines hospital. Hoagland's injuries consisted of bruises about the body and cuts on the face and head. After his wounds had been dressed he was sent home.

While the car from which Hoagland had been ousted stood on the tracks, a large crowd amused themselves by throwing stones at the windows. The conductor was hit in the head with a stone, receiving a slight scalp wound.

Andrew Brennan, William Cosgrove and John Mitchell were arrested yesterday, charged with cutting wires at Fifteenth street, near Third avenue.

Special Officer Quinlan reported that car 1,938, of the Flushing avenue line, in charge of Motorman Healy, was held up by a mob of 100 persons at Flushing avenue and Spencer street. The motorman was assaulted, the trolley rope cut and all the car windows were broken. In addition, Quinlan was assaulted and his club taken away by the crowd who used it on his head. He is cut in several places. Healy was also cut about the head and face. Finally a squad of police from the Thirteenth precinct arrived, and, after fifteen minutes' work, succeeded in dispersing the crowd.

Trolley car 2,506, of the Tompkins avenue line, in charge of Motorman Farrell, collided with car 1,212, of the Reed avenue line, at Roebling street and Broadway. Both cars were badly shattered and had to be laid up for repairs. No one was injured. Two cars also collided in front of the Nostrand avenue depot with such force as to break all the windows in both cars. Both motormen were thrown into the street, but escaped injury.

1,000 Pounds for His Death.

London, Feb. 4.—The Chinese government has appropriated £1,000 to the father of the Rev. James Wylie, the Scotch missionary, who was murdered by Chinese soldiers near the Liaoyang mission early in the war.

They Felt the Shock.

Rome, Feb. 4.—Earthquakes were felt yesterday in Genoa, Piacenza, Pavia and several other cities.

BISMARCK'S BIRTHDAY

Final Preparations for Its Celebration.

Count Willie Fails To Produce Proofs of His Divorce, Yet Wishes To Marry Miss Barrison—Police Raid an Anarchist House and Find a Complete Cartridge Factory.

Berlin, Feb. 4.—The final preparations for the Bismarck birthday celebration began early in the last week. The universities and high schools of the empire have been making their arrangements since November. On Wednesday the seniors of all the student corps in Germany met at Koesen to consider the subject of a permanent memorial to the old chancellor. They decided to erect a monument to him on the Rudelsburg, near Koesen, where for years has stood a shaft to the memory of the students who fell in the Franco-German war. The corner stone is to be laid on April 1. The plan of the monument has not been determined but it will be designed especially to indicate the veneration and affection felt by the academic youth for the most famous of German corps students and statesmen.

The Anhalt deputation who recently visited Bismarck report that he looked well and was in good spirits. Several times during dinner he offered choice bits to his big dog Rebecca. She ate everything greedily until she came to a piece of pork which she refused to touch. Bismarck patted her and remarked laughingly:

"You see, even dogs have, I will not say their religions, but their ritual prejudices in eating."

Freiherr von Hammerstein, minister of agriculture, caused a panic on Tuesday among Count Kanitz's Agrarian group, when he spoke in the reichstag of the government's attitude to the Kanitz grain monopoly bill. The faintness of his praise is supposed to forecast the complete rejection of the measure. The Agrarian leaders call this part of his speech a funeral sermon. Nevertheless, the Agrarian newspapers clamor still more loudly for the nationalization of the grain trade. The Landeszeitung in Lippe says:

"If the monopoly cannot be accomplished otherwise than by tearing up the commercial treaties, let them be torn up, even if war follow. A good brisk war would be a thousand times better than the stagnation of the last few years."

It is said that, with a view to gilding the bill which he presented to the Agrarians, Freiherr von Hammerstein applied on Tuesday for admission to the Berlin branch of the Farmers' union.

Count Willie Bernstorff, who ran away with a variety actress named Barrison about three weeks ago, has been unable to patch up a marriage in London as the German embassy there was warned not to give him a license. The trouble is that the proofs of his divorce from his first wife are not clear. Count Willie could not produce the proofs upon demand. He clung tightly to Miss Barrison, however, and Count Percy, his brother, found them together upon his arrival in London a week ago. The brothers and the family lawyer, who had been summoned from Berlin, had a long conference which resulted in Count Willie's promising not to marry Miss Barrison on the condition that his family indemnify with a liberal cash payment. The payment was made and although Miss Barrison has the elderly count and a snug fortune, she will not get the title of countess. The Berlin newspapers handle the scandal in a very gingerly manner as the Barnstoffs are an old court family with no end of influence and considerable wealth.

The police raided the cellar of a house in the Wallner-Theatre Strasse last evening in a search for anarchists. They found a complete factory in full working order. They confiscated more than fourteen hundred weight of powder and arrested eight laborers. It is said that similar factories are in operation in several city districts, but the police have been unable to find them. The anarchist theory was given up at once as false. It was announced at first that a German contractor fitted out these factories o fill an order from China. He had ready some 20,000 cartridges and 17 cases and 24 casks of powder. The materials that the police seized were removed to a fire-proof magazine. The police say that the contraband contractor's name is Knaak and that he had received a large order from a Hamburg exporter who wished to send war materials to Montevideo. Knaak divided the order among four workshops, the police say, and gave no notice to the authorities that he was handling explosives in such great quantities inside the city limits. The factory closed was said by Knaak to be the last of the four in operation. The police are still at work on the case.

The provincial authorities of Prussia have issued orders to local food inpectors to examine carefully for impurities all American lards.

Guns and Cartridges Seized.

Melbourne, Feb. 4.—Mail dispatches dated at Apia on Jan. 27, say that all is quiet in Samoa. A large quantity of guns and cartridges had been seized from the Savaii houses of Trings and Spatz, who were charged formally with importing arms and ammunition on the New Zealand steamship Upolu. Trings pleaded guilty and was fined $100 by the municipal magistrate. Spatz declared himself innocent, but he was fined by the German consul.

Died from Exposure.

New York, Feb. 4.—Captain Frank Roosevelt, of Company E., Twelfth regiment, N. G. S. N. Y., is dead of pneumonia in this city. The attack was the direct result of fatigue and exposure endured by the officer while doing strike service in Brooklyn.

Miles Will Case Declared a Forgery.

Doylestown, Pa., Feb. 4.—The celebrated Griffith Miles will case, which has occupied the attention of Bucks county courts since last Monday, was brought to a close, when the jury declared the will a forgery.

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Ante-bellum Heroes.

On Feb. 4, 1847, 400 regulars and border volunteers dashed into Pueblo de Taos, N. M., to punish the insurrectionary Mexican and Indians for the massacre of Governor Brent and party three weeks before. In the old mission church and several five story pueblos near it 600 "greasers" and redskin allies received the onslaught of the whites. Their citadel had been loopholed for defense; besides a strong wall inclosing it, served as a rampart.

The Americans belonged to Colonel Doniphan's famous expedition. Their leader was Colonel Sterling Price.

Two hours' steady battering with four cannon proved simply a waste of good powder and shot. Then five companies of the First dragoons charged up to the wall with ladders and axes. Through holes cut in the church firebrands were thrown in, and in the confusion resulting a party of stormers got up to the door. Although every assault failed, the valor in Price's ranks knew no limit. Captain Burgwin headed the attacks until he was killed, and many other officers as well as intrepid dragoons fell under Mexican bullets. At last a six pounder, rushed by valiant hands to within 30 yards of the wall, knocked a hole through large enough to admit four soldiers abreast, and in that way the stormers entered.

The melee inside admits of no description. It was a combat for revenge, a double revenge at that, and for every one of the 54 white soldiers cut down in the assault three of the turbulent, tawny Mexicans paid with their blood.

GEORGE L. KILMER.

"The Postman", a lively song sure to be popular, is published in this issue of The Daily Press. The music printed in The Press from time to time, if preserved makes a valuable portfolio.

In its campaign against the Mayor, Council and Police Department, the Republican organ got into such an entanglement of misrepresentations that on Saturday it was forced to begin to explain, and among other acknowledgments of its errors its issue contained the following humiliating admission:

The Courier-News was in error the other day when it said that the Mayor had asked the advice, by letter, of local business men regarding whom he should appoint to the police force for the position of captain. We hear that the Mayor says he has written no letters on the subject. The Courier-News was misinformed on this point and desires to correct the statement.

David Wechsler, who has entertained readers of The Daily Press with several stories in the copyrighted short serial series, today contributes the first instalment of a new tale, "The Two Highwaymen". This clever bit of fiction will be concluded tomorrow, and followed by a three-day serial from the same fascinating pen, entitled "The Ocean Graveyard: A Mystery of the Atlantic". Following so closely the lamentable loss of the Elbe, the story is particularly interesting. It takes the reader on a thrilling exploration of a submarine valley of death, and he participates in the destruction of the rock which sunk so many stanch vessels.

Chimney Fire.

The alarm from Box 43 at 6:28 Saturday evening called the department to a chimney at Third street and Plainfield avenue which was subdued by extinguishers, no water being turned on although Alerts had their hose laid. Little damage was done, though the colored family who occupied the house were thoroughly frightened.

—David McAdams, whose trial for robbery came up at Elizabeth last Saturday, was given 5 months and fined $500. He appealed and was granted a new trial. The robbery occurred last Summer in Elizabeth, and McAdams's accomplices received five years each at the first trial.

O. W. O. Hardman, sheriff of Tyler Co., W. Va., appreciates a good thing and does not hesitate to say so. He was almost prostrated with a cold when he procured a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. He says: "It gave me prompt relief. I find it to be an invaluable remedy for coughs and colds." For sale at Reynolds's pharmacy, Park and North aves. T. S. Armstrong, manager.

HELD THE TRAIN FIVE MINUTES.

Conductor Phillips Searched for a Policeman to Eject Two Passengers All That Time.

Elizabeth, Feb. 4—J. E. Stricker and B. A. Peltier, two well-dressed business men of Perth Amboy, purchased tickets last night at New Brunswick on the Pennsylvania Railroad for Amboy. The train did not stop at Amboy Junction. The men were carried to Elizabeth and refused to pay fare between the two latter places.

A scene occurred on the train. Conductor Phillips held the train at Elizabeth to find a policeman, who arrested the men, and they were locked up. This morning Police Justice O'Neill, after rebuking the conductor, ruled that he should have stopped the train at Rahway. He discharged the men, who declare they will at once commence a suit for damages.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

Mrs. Burr of Kensington avenue is seriously ill.

Miss Addie Weaver is ill at her home on Grove street with the grip.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Zeller of Jackson avenue this morning.

The death of Dr. P. J. Zeglio's aged mother is announced just as this issue goes to press.

Mrs. Stead of Washington Valley, who is in her ninety-seventh year, is very low, and her death is hourly expected.

Mrs. L. J. Denton of Hillside avenue is confined to her bed with the grip. Mr. Denton is slightly improved of his severe illness.

Miss Laura Emmons of Jackson avenue entertained a number of her friends at her home Saturday evening. The evening was pleasantly passed with cards and dancing.

Mrs. S. P. Craig of College place went Saturday to Hartwick, New York to spend a few days. When she returns tomorrow she will escort her daughter, Miss Beatrice.

Nathan A. Scribner, brother of the late Isaac Scribner, died at his home near Evons this morning of the grip. Decedent was an old resident of Plainfield, and for many years was connected with his brother in the brick manufacturing business on Maple avenue.

The case of appendicitis from which Andrew G. Slevin suffered, terminated fatally early Sunday morning. The death of Mr. Slevin is particularly sad, coming as it does so soon after his brilliant wedding, and bereaving not only the young wife but a family of whom he was a most worthy son. The entire circle of friends is deeply grieved over his untimely end. The funeral arrangements are announced in another column.

Good Horsemanship Saved Him

Mr. Dryden of West Seventh street had a narrow escape from an accident while driving in his cutter down Front street yesterday afternoon. In turning the corner of Sandford avenue the horse slipped, and, regaining his feet, started at a lively gait toward the bridge. Mr. Dryden's good horsemanship was the only thing that saved him from taking an involuntary ice-water bath in the brook, as the horse was not under control until the brook was reached.

Another Defeat for China.

A colored man whose name is not known went after his laundry Saturday night at the Chinese laundry on North avenue. He laid down a $5 bill and the Chinaman counted out his change which was $4 66. The customer very quickly grasped his money, also the $5, and made a hasty exit. The Chinaman ran after him, but his peculiarly made shoes prevented him from making much headway on the ice, and the colored fellow got away with the money.

Games, Music and Song.

Miss Laura Emmons of Jackson avenue gave a party Saturday evening to which many young friends of the fair hostess were invited. The evening was passed with games, music and song.

A dainty repast was discussed during the evening and the pleasant party did not disperse until a late hour, at which time the parting friends did not fail to congratulate the fair hostess on the pleasure attending the occasion.

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TEXAS LAW FOR TEXANS.

How Judge Culberson Once Won a Case That Seemed Hopeless.

Congressman Dave Culberson, as he is familiarly known in Texas from the Rio Grande to the Red river, is one of the most entertaining members of the house. He is always ready with a witty reply to any law or political question propounded to him by his associates and is the subject of more stories than any member of congress except Thomas B. Reed.

"In 1860, just after Lincoln had been elected president," said an old friend of Judge Culberson the other day, "there was a neighborhood quarrel between two citizens in Upshur county, Tex. The southern question was at fever heat, and the feeling was very strong on both sides. Each side of the case, of course, was anxious to get the verdict. The defendant went to Jefferson and engaged Culberson, who was then rising to distinction as a bright lawyer. Dave's client didn't have any case, the evidence being all against him; but, true to his trust, as he always is, Culberson determined to make the best fight he could for him. When the trial came off, it turned out that the other fellow had employed a smart young saddlebag lawyer from Maryland, just located in Texas.

"Culberson had the opening speech and made a good defense for his client under the circumstances. When the Marylander replied in behalf of his client, he produced a vast array of authorities, from which he read in support of his case. When the young man closed, Culberson picked up one of the books from which the opposing counsel had been reading and said: 'If your honor please, this young brother of the profession has been reading for your instruction Massachusetts law. This book is printed in Boston. It is "Greenleaf on Evidence." We don't want Massachusetts law to govern us in Texas. I have been giving you genuine Texas law, made by our own people.'

"'What's that?' asked the judge sharply, 'been imposing on the court with Yankee law?'

"'Yes, sir, your honor,' said Culberson; 'he has been reading from this book, which was printed in Boston, Mass.'

"'Pass it over this way,' said the surprised court, looking at the fly leaf. Then he said:

"'Mr. Culberson, the court finds that you are correct. It is a Boston print, and we don't want any of it here. No abolition law for Upshur county, and the court will be d——d if we will have it.'

"To the supreme disgust of the young lawyer the court continued as follows: 'Sir, upon the evidence of the case I dismiss the suit against Dave Culberson's friend and fine the plaintiff $1 and costs and his lawyer $5 for contempt of court. Now, young man, let that serve as a warning to you how you try to practice abolition law in this state!'

"Culberson's client set up the dinner, and the young Maryland lawyer was one of the first men to enlist in the war. He wanted to whip Massachusetts for the loss of his first case."—Washington Post.

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From a sense of duty I desire to call public attention to the almost miraculous cure which Dr. Lighthill effected in the case of my wife. For eleven years she had been afflicted with piles of an unusual severe and distressing character. She suffered every day of her life the most intense pain, attended with frequent and profuse hemorrhage. This state of things debilitated her entire system until she became a perfect wreck of her former self.

We made every effort to obtain a cure but they all resulted in bitter disappointment, although a number of physicians of excellent reputations for skill in that direction had treated her case. She grew worse and worse all the time, the pain became perfectly unbearable and I felt she could not bear the strain of her condition much longer. In this extremity, a friend of mine, Mr. W. E. Dilts, a resident of Roselle, N. J., a passenger conductor on the New Jersey Central told me that he had been similarly affected, and had been permanently cured by Dr. Lighthill, after other medical skill had failed. He assured me that the doctor would cure my wife, no matter how severe her case may be, and his prediction proved perfectly correct. In spite of her desperate condition, Dr. Lighthill, I am glad to say, has effected a complete and perfect cure in her case, and has given her new life.

Since the cure has been effected she has gained in health and strength and is so improved in appearance that her friends scarcely recognize her. They all consider her cure as almost miraculous, and Dr. Lighthill's praise is heard on every side. Our gratitude to Dr. Lighthill is unbounded and we only hope that other sufferers may be benefited by this publication.

EDWARD TEEL, JR.

A Flattering Testimonial from Colonel John Dietrich, One of Plainfield's Oldest and Best Known Residents.

16 ARLINGTON PLACE,
Plainfield, N. J., July 17, 1894.

I am profoundly grateful to Dr. Lighthill for his speedy and radical cure of a most painful malady of over ten years standing with which I was afflicted.

I deem it proper to say to all afflicted to place themselves under the care of this skilful physician and be permanently cured.

I will cheerfully impart any information I possess when called upon.

JOHN DIETRICH.

Mr. Thomas Callahan of No. 214 Richmond street Cured of a Very Distressing Trouble by Dr. Lighthill.

PLAINFIELD, N. J., June 1, 1894.

TO THE PUBLIC:

For some time past I have been greatly distressed with noises in the head. They were all over my head and troubled me constantly: they were loudest at night when everything was quiet and at such times would often keep me from sleep and disturb my rest. In fact they got to be so bad and distressing that they affected my whole nervous system as well as my health. I did not obtain the least relief until I placed myself under the care of Dr. Lighthill, of No. 132 Crescent avenue, who effected a complete cure in my case in a short time and made me a very happy man.

THOMAS CALLAHAN,
214 Richmond street.

A Card From Mr. T. R. VanZandt,
of Nos. 304 and 306 Park ave.,
Plainfield, N. J

I certify with pleasure that Dr. Lighthill has effectually cured me of a most painful case of piles. For some time past I had been subject to its attacks, but the last attack was so exceedingly painful that it completely upset my whole system. The pain extended to my legs and in many other directions, and made me so nervous that I could neither sleep, sit down, lie down or move about without serious discomfort and distress. Such was my condition when I applied to Dr. Lighthill for relief, and I am glad to say that as soon as he took hold of my case, I began to improve, and in a short time found myself completely cured. Dr. Lighthill has also effected a radical and permanent cure in a most terrible case of piles on my cousin, Mr. E. V. E. Griggs, of Rocky Hill, N. J., whose flattering testimonial is in Dr. Lighthill's possession.

T. R. VAN ZANDT,
304 and 306 Park avenue.

Dr. Lighthill
can be consulted daily (except Thursdays) on all CHRONIC, OBSTINATE AND COMPLICATED diseases of the human system of whatever name and nature, at his office and residence,

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Children's overcoats and school suits at cost.

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Town Talk soap powder.....3c box
Clothes pins, all perfect.....7c hundred
Clothes line.....½c yard
Sad irons, all sizes.....3c lb
Wash boards.....12c each
Wash tubs, clear cedar, small 43c; medium 53c; large 63c.
Wash boilers, round, tin bottom.....19c each
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Grand Opening Week!

FOR THE WEEK.

Irish point embroidery, 5 inches wide, from 21c up.

One lot of Ribbons from 1 to 3½ inches wide, all at the uniform price of 5c yard. Some sold as high as 20 cents a yard.

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A good shield for 6c a pair.

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A full line of wash silks at 35c a yard.

60 inch black Cravenette, special value $1.25.

A full line of ginghams, newest styles, 12c.

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Dimities from 10c to 25c; a full assortment.

40-inch all-linen damask towels, knotted fringe, 24c.

Wash Goods
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For All Day.

FOR MONDAY—
Extra value Victoria lawn 7c.

FOR TUESDAY—
56 in. half bleached table linen 31c

FOR WEDNESDAY—
A good unbleached Canton flannel 6½c yd.

FOR THURSDAY—
A fine quality crochet counterpane 59 cents.

FOR FRIDAY—
One lot Hamburg edging 4c.

☞We guarantee these goods to be first class and as represented.

Cork Filled

During this month we will offer all of our Burt & Packard

Double Sole Cork Filled Men's

$5 Shoes for $3.98 per Pair.

Just the shoe for you to wear without rubbers up to the first of May. Sizes 5 to 11; widths B to E; styles, narrow, round and Common Sense toes.

☞See our window Saturday for specials.

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VOWELS AND CONSONANTS.

A Close Look Into the Way They Are Formed and Used.

A. Mellville Bell of Washington, in his note on "Syllabic Consonants," read at the second session of the American Oriental society in this city, said:

"What is a vowel? What is a consonant? What is a syllable?

"A vowel is defined as a nonfrictional emission of the voice or of unvocalized breath through an oral channel, with momentarily fixed configuration. Vowels therefore run smoothly into one another by merely altering the shape of the oral passage without interrupting it.

"A consonant is defined as an interception of the breath or voice by oral stoppage, or by emission through side channels or through narrow chinks. The change from one consonant to another thus involves a motion of the articulating organs, producing, with more or less audibility, a puff, a flap or a sibiliation.

"The two classes of elements meet in ee, y, oo, w. A syllable is any vocal element uttered with a single impulse of voice. All the vocal elements in a syllable must be clustered together without admixture with nonvocals, but any number of nonvocals may precede or follow the vocal cluster without affecting the syllabic unity.

"The consonants l, m, n, when they are final after consonants, frequently form syllables without vowels, as in bottle.

"The test of good pronunciation is to give each syllable its own distinct sound, so that in the most rapid utterance the ear can trace the boundaries of every syllable. But the syllable sounds must be true to customary pronunciation.

"The name consonant, if held to imply an element that cannot be pronounced without a sonant or vowel, would be a misnomer, and its use should in that case be discontinued in scientific menology. Vowels are the soft and plastic substance of speech. Consonants are the articulations or joints on which vowels and syllables turn. Their proper name is, therefore, 'articulations,' not consonants.

"Phonetic elements make syllables. Syllables make words. Words are to be considered as the syllables of clauses. Clauses must be carefully individualized, for they are the syllables of sentences. Divide your sentences into their logical units or clauses, and indicate within the clauses all their phonetic units or syllables, and you will fulfill the grand fundamental precepts of delivery."—Philadelphia Record.

KIPLING'S KIND ACT.

A Story About the Famous Author That Is Not Unpleasant.

It has become the fashion of literary paragraphers to print whatever stories of a disagreeble nature concerning Rudyard Kipling they can hear or find. Incidents showing the other side of the man—the true side, in fact—are rare, but that this wonderful author is not quite the literary barbarian which he is so generally made out to be finds but stronger evidence in a little story which I heard quite recently.

Not long ago an ambitious young writer composed his first story. He was rather skeptical of its merit, and being a great reader and admirer of Kipling's work determined to send his literary firstborn to Kipling for criticism. His friends tried to dissuade him from the idea, telling him that he would never see his story again. But his faith in his favorite author was strong, and the story went to Kipling. A week passed by, and finally nearly a month had elapsed. The young writer suffered keenly from the ridicule of his friends in the meantime, and, truth to tell, his faith began to waver. During the fifth week, however, a letter came postmarked "Brattleboro, Vt.," and the young writer opened it with feverish haste.

There was his manuscript, true enough, but scarcely could he recognize it. Kipling had evidently put days of work upon it, making corrections, suggestions and interlineations until the story contained more of Kipling than of its original author. With the manuscript came a letter, in which Kipling said that he was not "in the habit of doing this sort of thing, because it took so much time." But in this case he saw a good chance to make $5 for a particular fresh air fund in which he was interested, and if Mr. —— thought the work he had put on this manuscript was worth that sum he would be glad to receive it for his fund and would send a receipted bill!

The $5 was sent.—Philadelphia Times.

No Doubt About It.

"Do you play by note?" inquired one of the summer residents of Blueville of the violinist of the "Berry Corners' orchestra," which had been discoursing ear piercing strains at a lawn party.

"Nivver a note do Oi play by, sorr," replied Mr. Flaherty, mopping his heated brow with a handkerchief of sanguinary hue.

"Ah, by ear, then?" said the summer resident, with a smile of gracious interest.

"Nivver an ear hilps me, yer honor," responded Mr. Flaherty, returning his handkerchief to his capacious pocket.

"Indeed! May I ask how you—what you do play by, then?" persisted the inquirer.

"By main strin'th, be jabbers," said Mr. Flaherty, with a weary air, as he plunged his ancient instrument into its green bag. "An it's moighty dry wurrk, an that's thruth, sorr."—Youth's Companion.

A Real Saving.

The Lady Shopper—What? Pay $5 for a lamp like that? It's outrageous, and I won't pay it.

The Astute Salesman—You forget, madam, that the price has been reduced to $4.99.

The Lady Shopper (reaching for her purse)—Oh, very well then. I'll take it.—Chicago Record.

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BODIES FROM THE ELBE.

Lowestoft, Eng., Feb. 4.—The fishing-smack Verena has landed here today the body of Friedrich Ernst of Magdeburg, Prussia, one of the drowned passengers of the Elbe, and some mail-bags, one of which was marked "Stockholm". The body of Ernst presented a shocking appearance, with its hands clenched across the chest and the mouth wide opened. It was found forty-five miles southeast of this place.

London, February 4.—The Dunkirk correspondent of the Standard says that the master of a Danish steamer that has arrived at that port reports that he saw a number of bodies with life-belts on them floating off the Dutch Banks.

TROLLEY PASSENGERS DROWNED.

Milwaukee, Wis., Feb. 4.—A trolley car loaded with passengers ran into an open draw on the Russell avenue line of the Milwaukee Street Railway line this morning at the Kinnickinnic bridge. The passengers were all dumped into the icy water.

Thousands of persons were on the spot at once, and the people in the water were fished out as fast as they appeared on the surface.

One woman, the motorman, and one passenger were taken out drowned so far.

Four passengers are still missing, and it is supposed they were fastened in the car at the bottom of the river.

Want to Work for Uncle Sam.

Twelve applicants appeared before Geo. C. Godown of the Board of Examiners Saturday afternoon to take the Civil Service examination as provided by the Post-office Commissioners at Washington, to take place on that day.

The examinations were for the grades of clerk and carrier and were open for all citizens between 25 and 40, without regard to their politics.

The papers were forwarded to Washington, and an announcement of the successful contestants will be published in The Press.

Memorials for the Dead.

During all the Winter L. L. Manning, the dealer in marble and granite, has kept his men at work, and has a large and elegant assortment for purchasers of monuments and headstones to select from. Prices were never so low as now, and those thinking of ordering should take advantage of the bargains Mr. Manning offers in high-grade and artistic work. A lasting memorial to departed friends is thus within the means of all.

Death of Edwin H. Mead.

Edwin H. Mead, a well-known and prominent citizen of South Orange, died last night at his home after a short illness. He was president of the Pennsylvania Coal Company, a leading member of the South Orange Field Club, and a member of other clubs in the Oranges. He was sixty years of age, and leaves a widow and three children, two sons and a daughter.

BY THE WAY.

—Queen City Lodge, No 226, I.O.O F., will work the initiatory degree on one candidate this evening.

—George Thatcher's forty-pound pony is exhibited in Doane & Edsall's show window this afternoon and evening.

Her Reward.

A well known character in Paris is an old woman whose breast is literally covered with crosses and decorations, and who is now peacefully engaged as a flower seller. Her name is Jane Bonmere, and her honors were gained in the Crimea, at Rome, Gravelotte and at Orleans. On one occasion she rendered valuable service to her country by swallowing a military dispatch of great importance and so prevented its falling into the hands of the enemy. A woman who has swallowed so much for her country with dispatch should not be allowed to sup sorrow in her old age.—Chicago Herald.

Karl's Clover Root will purify your blood, clear your complexion, regulate your bowels and make your head clear as a bell; 25c., 50c, and $1. Sold by all druggists.

Captain Sweeney, U. S. A., San Diego, Cal., says: "Shiloh's Catarrh Remedy is the first medicine I have ever found that would do me any good." Price 50c Sold by all druggists.

Shiloh's Cure, the great cough and croup cure, is in great demand. Pocket size contains 25 doses, only 25c. Children love it. Sold by all druggists.

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THE WEATHER.

Fair Tomorrow; Colder with a Cold Wave Tuesday night; Northwest winds.

AN ECCENTRIC PAINTER.

Turner's Studio and Methods a Curiosity to Visitors.

Broderip and Sir Richard Owen, says the latter in his "Reminiscences," walked together to Turner's residence, which was slightly dingy in outward appearance. When they arrived at the door, they waited some time before their ring at the bell was answered. At last an elderly person opened the door a few inches and asked them suspiciously what they wanted. They replied that they wished to see Mr. Turner. The door was immediately shut in their faces, but after a time the person came back to say that they might enter. When they got into the hall, she showed them into a room and forthwith shut the door upon them. They then discovered, with some dismay, that this apartment was in total darkness, with the blinds down and the shutters up. After a prolonged interval they were told they might go up stairs. Upon arriving at the topmost story they perceived Turner standing before several easels and taking his colors from a circular table which he swung around to get at the paints he required. He was painting several pictures at once, passing on from one to the other and applying to each in its turn the particular color he was using till it was exhausted.

After showing them all that there was to be seen Turner vouchsafed the explanation of the treatment which they experienced upon entering the house. He said that the bright light outside would have spoiled their eyes for properly appreciating the pictures, and that to see them to advantage an interval of darkness was necessary. At this stage of the interview Broderip had to leave for some engagement, and then an event took place which Owen declares that none of his artist friends would ever believe. Turner offered him a glass of wine. It was while they were coming down stairs that he first discovered the symptoms of an inward struggle going on in Turner's bosom. When they were passing a little cupboard on the landing, this struggle reached a climax. Finally Turner said, "Will you—will you have a glass of wine?" This offer having been accepted, after a good deal of groping in the cupboard a decanter was produced, of which the original stopper had been replaced by the cork, with the remains of some sherry at the bottom. This Owen duly consumed and shortly afterward took his leave, with many expressions of the pleasure this visit had afforded him and a disturbing conviction that the sherry might lurk indefinitely in his system.

DEATHS.

MORAN—In this city Feb. 3, 1895, Patrick Moran, aged 75 years.
Funeral from his late residence, 631 South 2d street, Tuesday morning Feb 5, 8:30 at house and 9 o'clock at St. Mary's Church. Friends and relatives are respectfully invited to attend.

SLEVIN—In this city Sunday morning, Feb. 3, 1895, Andrew Gross Slevin, aged 27 years, eldest son of James L. and Emma G. Slevin
Funeral from St. Mary's Church, Tuesday, Feb 5 at 10 a. m. Train leaves New York at 9:10, Jersey Central railroad.

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Saturday, February 9.

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one flight up. See sign up stairs. Ladies 50c. to $1.00. Gentlemen $1.00. Office hours from 9 a. m. to 9 p. m.

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FOR IMMEDIATE DELIVERY.

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GRAND OPENING OF THE PLAINFIELD TEA & GROCERY CO

Saturday, February 9.

106 East Front St. H. T. WILLIAMS, Manager.

—The Kappa Delta Phi of the High School is planning a straw ride for the latter part of the week if the good sleighing continues.

NOTICE.

All members of Ivanhoe Council. A. L. of H., are requested to meet at their rooms at 8:15 Tuesday evening and bring their ladies.

WANTS AND OFFERS.

BOARD—To let, pleasant room, good neigborhood, central location, home comforts; a few table boarders also taken. 303 West 4th street, near Central avenue. 1 10 tf

FOR SALE—A house in North Plainfield; excellent location. Address Owner, Box 236, Dunellen, N. J. 2 4 2

WANTED—Small quantity second-hand stair and hall carpet and matting. B., care Press.

YOUNG woman wants office work. Address Capable, care Press. 2 4 tf

LOST—Pocketbook containing sum of money, between depot and Salvation Army. Will finder please leave at this office?

HORSE wanted; gentle, sound and kind; one that has been used for private family driving preferred; price must be low. Address, giving age, size and price, Horse, care Press.

WANTED—Board, 3 rooms, private family preferred; centrally located; moderate terms; 3 ladies, 2 gentlemen. C. F., care Press. 2 4 tf

OFFICES and flats to rent in Babcock Building. Inquire of J. A. Hubbard or W. M. Stillman. 1 30 tf

LADY wishes to place her two children in good family; must have a piano. Address Mother, care Daily Press. 2 2 tf

TO LET—House, 10 rooms; good location; rent $20; also whole or part of store, with steam heat, 326 Park avenue. Apply to C. B. Cliffton, Park avenue, opp. North. 2 2 2

WANTED—By April 1, a small house in North Plainfield containing 6 or 7 rooms; reasonable rent; 10 minutes from station; with privilege of buying on easy terms. Address J. J., care Press. 2 2 4

CASH buyer can get first-class upright piano at bargain. Address Starr, care Press. 2 2 tf

WOULD like to take in washing; best of references; 50c a dozen. Call 87 Somerset st. 2 2 2

YOUNG traveling man spending about one-half of each month in Plainfield, would like room in private family. In reply please state location and terms per month, which must be moderate. Address W. F., care Press. 1 30 tf

MONEY to loan. Mulford, broker. 2 1 tf

FOR SALE, cheap, for want of use, horse, wagon, harness. Sharkey's blacksmith shop Emily street. 1 29 6

FOR SALE or to let, a house and barn with about one acre of ground, situated on Grove street, Dunellen, adjoining residence of C. Schepflin; house contains 11 rooms and attic and all modern improvements, including gas. Address or call on Eugene Runyon, Dunellen, N. J. 1 29 4 oaw

WANTED—House 5 or 6 rooms; centrally located; reasonable rent; possession April 1. Address "Ed", care Press. 1 17 tf

WANTED—Position at book-keeping, collecting or general office work. Address Experienced, care Press. 1 12 tf

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Dress Goods

Two-thirds of the dresses bought in Plainfield are bought of us. The ladies cannot resist the temptations we offer in first-class goods at low prices. We must close out our stock of dress goods; we need the room for our Spring stock. We quote only a few of the many specials that we offer you in this department.

For 25c you buy a 35c cashmere 1 yd wide
For 15c you buy a 25c mixed worsted 38 in wide
For 12½c you buy a 20c fancy plaid 27 in wide
For 25c you buy a 40c flannel 38 in wide
For 45c you buy a 65c serge 45 in wide
For 50c you buy a 75c blue broad cloth

Underwear

Under our roof is where we carry the largest stock of underwear in the city, others can afford to carry their stock over, we cannot.

A 75c undervest for 50c, camel hair
A $1 undervest for 70c, gray flannel
A 75c undervest for 50c gray flannel
A 40c undervest for 25c gray flannel

You can save 25 to 30 per cent if you buy underwear of us for men women and children.

Domestic Specials

10x4 sheeting unbleached 12½c worth 18
Palms 36 in bleached muslin 5c worth 7
36 in unbleached muslin 5c worth 7
Fruit of the Loom muslin 6½c worth 8

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A 9c flannel for 7c
A 10c flannel for 8c
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We are selling Clothing suited to the weather and suited to the times—This week we offer men's all-wool Cheviot Suits in blue or black and cut in the latest style sacks—single or double breasted and worth from $15 to $18—our price now

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Youths long trouser suits (size 13 to 19 years) that were $8, $10, and $12, now

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Men's storm ulsters $6 and up; Men's English Kersey overcoats $8 up. If you want the best for the least money, come here; if not, anywhere else will do.

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WILD ANIMALS IN CAPTIVITY ARE NOT DANGEROUS.

James A. Bailey Says Any One Can Safely Enter and Leave a Cage Full of Lions and Tigers, and Any Man Who Knows the Cues Can Put Them Through Their Acts.

Said Mr. James A. Bailey recently: "It is the general belief all over the world that a man who goes into a den of wild carnivorous beasts takes his life in his hands, and that each time he does so and escapes unharmed he has won by a lucky chance. Some persons believe that if the trainer who handles the animals in their acts were to turn his back upon them for a single instant they would leap upon and devour him. Others again believe that the lions and tigers only wait an opportunity for concerted action to destroy their keeper, while there are still others who declare that it is only through the power of the human eye that the beasts are held in subjection. To all of these opinions and beliefs and as a final answer to all questions on the subject I wish to state here and now that there is no danger whatever to any person entering a cage of wild beasts. Such a statement, however, will scarce be believed without some further explanation and proof.

"It is a fact that many men have been maimed and some killed by lions and tigers in menageries and zoological gardens throughout the world, but in every case, I venture to say, the causes leading to such accidents and deaths were of their own making. Unmerited or too severe punishment is the most frequent cause. Nearly all animals, no matter how small and insignificant, will turn and fight when cornered and in fear of their lives. A cat will make a desperate and determined fight if so placed that it cannot escape from what it believes is a dangerous enemy. Just so with larger cat animals. And nearly all of the accidents that have occurred have been brought about by the brutality of trainers who, having lost temper, have pursued to extremes an animal that did not understand what was wanted of it. Trainers of the present day, however, have come to realize this, and accidents are of rare occurrence. And I maintain that any man or woman, an entire stranger to the animals, can go in with them and in perfect safety.

"A case in point comes to my mind. A few years ago I employed an innocent sort of German to work in the menagerie, and one of the first tasks assigned to him was cleaning the lions' den. Instead of taking an iron scraper and working through the bars as customary, he took a broom, opened the iron door, went in the cage and began to sweep the floor. When a lion got in his way, he would punch it with the broom and tell it in German to got away, and it did so. The man repeated his experience every day and was never harmed. I now make this positive statement—that in both the handling and training of these animals there is no more danger than attends the training of a domestic animal. The snarling and growling of the beasts are no more indicative of a desire to claw and devour than is expressed in the bark or snarl of a canine house pet or the hiss of a sleek tabby when its tail is stepped upon. The big brutes may growl and crouch about their cages, look dangerous and act ferociously and all that, but I contend, and experience has taught me that my belief is correct, that it is only through a desire to escape from the man rather than to attack him.

"It takes time and patience, more than any one not in the business can imagine, to perfect the training of these animals, and every trainer has a method of his own. I would further explain that trained animals will not perform the tricks taught them until the cue is given them. Even trained horses, which are supposed to have great intelligence, will only go through their performances when the ringmaster supplies the cue, whatever it may be. Sometimes it is a motion of the whip, at others a step backward or forward, when instantly the animal will respond. Now, all that is necessary for any one to put through his performances any kind of trained animal or number of them is for him to know when to give the proper cue.

"I do not believe the animals know one trainer from another unless one has been with them for a long time, for when some of my trainers have been taken sick, been discharged or for other causes have left my service the trained animal part of my show has not been interrupted, but has gone on just the same, a new man having been substituted, and it is safe to say that the animals never knew the difference between the men. I have changed the men as often as five times in a season, and one man has put the beasts through their tricks quite as well as another. Any person who will enter the arena fearlessly and confidently can take the trainer's whip and make the animals perform as well as a person who has handled them for months, provided always he knows what tricks the beasts are required to do and can supply the cues.

"I am aware that this statement may appear to most people extraordinary, because it is at variance with their preconceived notions concerning the brutal nature of all wild beasts, but I am firm in my belief and have no hesitation in making it public."—New York Sun.

A Judicial Reproof.

A Warrington justice once reproved a would be suicide thus: "Young man, you have been found guilty of attempting to drown yourself in the river. Only consider what your felings would have been had you succeeded."—Green Bag.

There is no rigid line between duties to self and duties to others. They melt into one another; they act and react upon each other, and when the right balance between them is destroyed neither can be perfectly fulfilled.

HER MIRROR.

A Japanese Story of Its Influence on a Motherless Girl.

At Y. M. C. A. hall Yeataso Okano, a Japanese, told the following story to a large audience:

"Once upon a time there lived in a little hamlet in Japan a young couple. They had one child—a beautiful little girl whom both loved very dearly. It came to pass while the child was still a baby girl that the father was obliged to take a long journey to the far distant city. It was too far for him to take his wife and child, so he left them at home and traveled alone.

"In that great city he saw many new things which, having lived in the peaceful little hamlet up among the mountains all his life, he had never seen before. He desired to take home to his wife some of these new things which seemed to him so wonderful. And the most wonderful gift he could take, it seemed to him, was a mirror. He wished to take home to his wife the pleasure and surprise he had experienced when he first looked into a mirror. So he took one home to his wife.

"When he arrived home he gave the present to his wife, and for the first time she looked into a mirror. 'What do you see?' her husband asked. She replied: 'I declare! I see a very pretty woman. She wears her hair just as I do mine, and she smiles and moves her lips as if she were talking to me.' Her husband told her that the mirror was a present for her, and he hoped she would use it every day. But the wife thought it far too beautiful and rare and costly a gift to use every day, so she put it carefully away and never spoke about it to the little daughter, who grew more beautiful and more like her mother every day.

"By and by a great misfortune fell upon that little household. The wife and mother fell sick, and it was soon evident that she must die. As she lay upon her deathbed she called her little daughter to her and told her that she was going to lose her mother forever. She could point to no future life after death in which they should be reunited, but in the love and simplicity of her heart she did the best she could. She told her little daughter about the wonderful mirror. 'After I am dead,' she said, 'take down that box and look into the mirror that it contains. There you will see my face. And I want you to look into the mirror every day, that you may never forget your mother, and that you may grow like me more and more every day.'

"So the mother died. The little girl did as she had been told, and in the wonderful mirror she thought she saw her mother's face, young and beautiful—not as she had seen her, pale and ill as she lay dying, but fair and fresh as she had looked before the fatal illness. And the little girl looked into the mirror every day and thought of her mother and her many lovely ways, and so it came about that she grew to be more and more like her mother as the years went by."—Rochester Post-Express.

PICTURESQUE ECONOMY.

A Style of Laundry Work Said to Prevail In Boarding Houses.

A peculiar appearance in the front windows of an aristocratic boarding house on one of the leading avenues caused a discussion among passersby. In each pane was a square of white muslin, with embroidered edges, which was apparently glued to the pane.

"That's a queer way of keeping out the light," observed one citizen to another.

"Must be some new method of decoration," remarked another.

"Don't you know what that is?" said a young woman to her husband. "That's a window laundry."

"And what may that be?"

"It's the way ladies who board wash their fine handkerchiefs. You see, it dries and irons them at the same time."

"I see," answered the young man, "that they adhere like postage stamps. How do they do it?"

"Oh, you first catch your window; then you wash the panes and place the handkerchief against them, wringing wet. They stick like a plaster, and when they come off are as smooth as satin. In that way every woman can be her own laundress."

"I see," said her husband thoughtfully, "why so many families board."—Detroit Free Press.

Women Can't Hold Office In Washington.

Judge McClinton of the superior court of Clallam county has virtually decided that under law women cannot hold office in this state. The case which came before him was that of Charles Russell, relator, against Ella Guptill. Miss Guptill was in November elected superintendent of schools in this county, and received the largest majority of any of the successful candidates, but on the strength of an opinion received from the attorney general it was decided to contest her election, with the result that Judge McClinton overruled the demurrer of the complaint, which decides the case as far as the superior court is concerned. Miss Guptill's attorneys say that they will appeal the case to the supreme court.—Seattle Post-Intelligencer.

Knew His Business.

"That's the seventh time this morning," said the shoe merchant as a customer left the store, "that you told me in a tone of voice that couldn't escape being overheard that a woman reminded you of 'Trilby.'"

"Yes," replied the new clerk, "and that's the seventh woman that I've sold a pair of shoes to."—Washington Star.

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Leave New York from foot of Liberty street 4 30, 6 00, 7 15, 8, 8 40, 9 10, 10.15 45, A. M., 1 10, 1 30, 2 30, 3 30, 3 45, 4, 4 30, 5, 5 15, except Saturday, 5 30 5 45, 6, 6 15, 6 30, 7, 7 30, 8, 8 30, 9 15, 10 15, 11 30 P. M. 2 15, 1, night. Sunday—4 30, 7 15, 9 00, 9 15, A. M., 12 M., 1.30, 2 30, 4, 5 30, 7, 9 00, 10 00 P. M., 12 15 night, 1 A. M.

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Leave Newark 6 10, 7 15, 7 55, 8 30, 9 00, 10 05, 11 35 A. M., 1 15, 1 35, 2 30 Saturday only, 3 05, 3 35, 4 05, 4 40, 5 04, 5 34, 5 50, 6 20, 7 15, 7 35, 8 45, 10 05, 11 35 P. M. Sunday—7 30, 9 45, 9 35, 11 35, A. M., 1 10, 2 35, 4 10, 5 40, 7 20, 9 35, 10 20 P. M.

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Leave Plainfield 5 45, 7 10, 8 16, 9 54, 11 a.m. 12 46 2 08, 3 32, 3 45, 4 30, 5 05, 5 14, 5 34, 6 04, 6 15, 6 32, 7 13, 7 56 8 21, 10 26, 11 23, P. M. 12 38 night Sunday—5 45, 10 20 9 54, A. M., 2 03, 5 32, 5 14, 6 35, 10 13, 11 14 P. M.

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Leave Plainfield 5 45, 8 16, 9 54, A. M., 12 46, 2 08, 5 05, 5 14, 6 32, 8 21 P. M. Sunday—5 45, 9 20 A. M. 2 03, 6 35, P. M.

Leave Easton 6 05, 7 00, 8 52, A. M., 12 52, 4 04, 7 00 P. M. Sundays—7 15, 10 52, A. M. 6 40, 7 30, P. M.

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5 45 A. M. for Flemington, Easton, Allentown Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Mauch Chunk Williamsport and Tamaqua.

7 10 a. m. for stations to High Bridge, connecting for stations on High Bridge Branch.

8 16 A. M. for Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R. Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9 54 A. M. for Flemington, High Bridge branch D L & W R R, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Pottsville, Nanticoke, Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c. Through coach to Williamsport.

12 46 p. m. way for Easton, connecting at Junction for stations on D. L. & W. R. R.

2 08 P. M. for Flemington, Easton Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Sunbury and Williamsport, Wilkes-Barre and Scranton. Buffet parlor car to Mauch Chunk.

5 05 p. m., way for Easton, connecting at High Bridge for stations on High Bridge branch

5 14 P. M. for Flemington, Easton, Bethlehem, Bangor Allentown, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, Mauch Chunk Shamokin and Tamaqua. Buffet parlor car to Scranton.

6 19 P. M. for Flemington.

6 32 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading and Harrisburg.

8 21 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

5 45 A. M. Sunday for Easton, Bethlehem Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Wilkesbarre and Scranton. 8 28 a.m. Sundays for Easton, 2 03 p. m. Sundays for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Reading and Harrisburg, 6.35 p. m. Sundays for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, &c. and at Junction for D. L. & W. R. R.

For Atlantic City, 3 37 a. m. 1 18 p. m.

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Leave Plainfield 3 37, 8, 10 27, a. m. 1.18, 3 51, 5 54, p. m. Sundays—(except Ocean Grove) 8 52, a. m., 3 30 p. m.

For Perth Amboy, 3 37, 5 58, 8 10 27 a. m., 1 18, 3 51, 4 50, 5.54, 7 08 p.m. Sunday—8 52, a. m., 3 30 p. m.

For Freehold, 3 37, 8, 10 27 a.m., 1 18, 3 51, 4 50, 5 p.m.

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For Trenton 5 45, 8 44, 9 46*, 10 45, a. m., 12 46, 2 08*, 5 14*, 6 30*, 8 21, 9 37* p. m., 1 12 night, Sunday—5 45, 9 34, a. m., 2 09*, 5 14* 6 35 p. m., 1 12 night.

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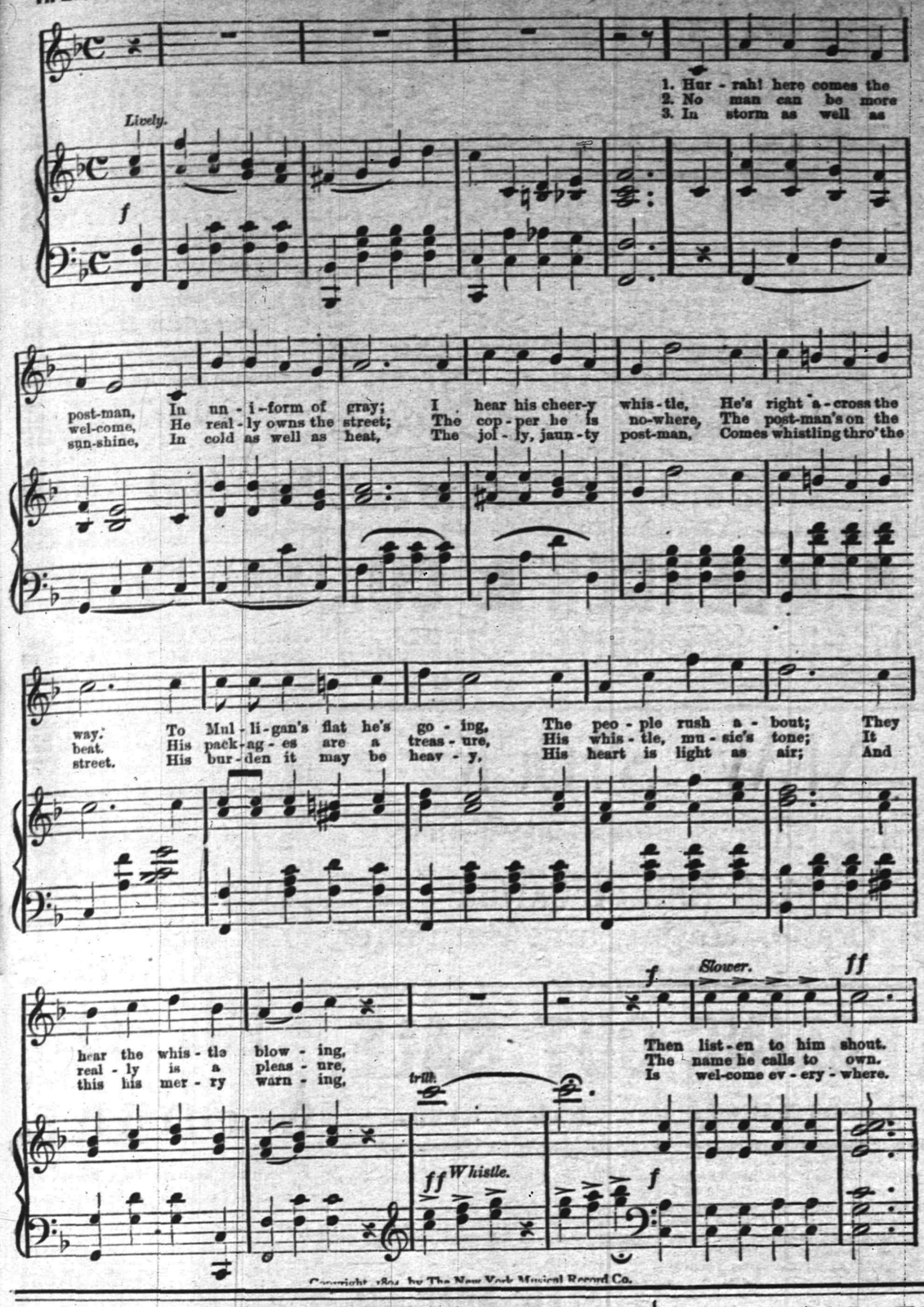

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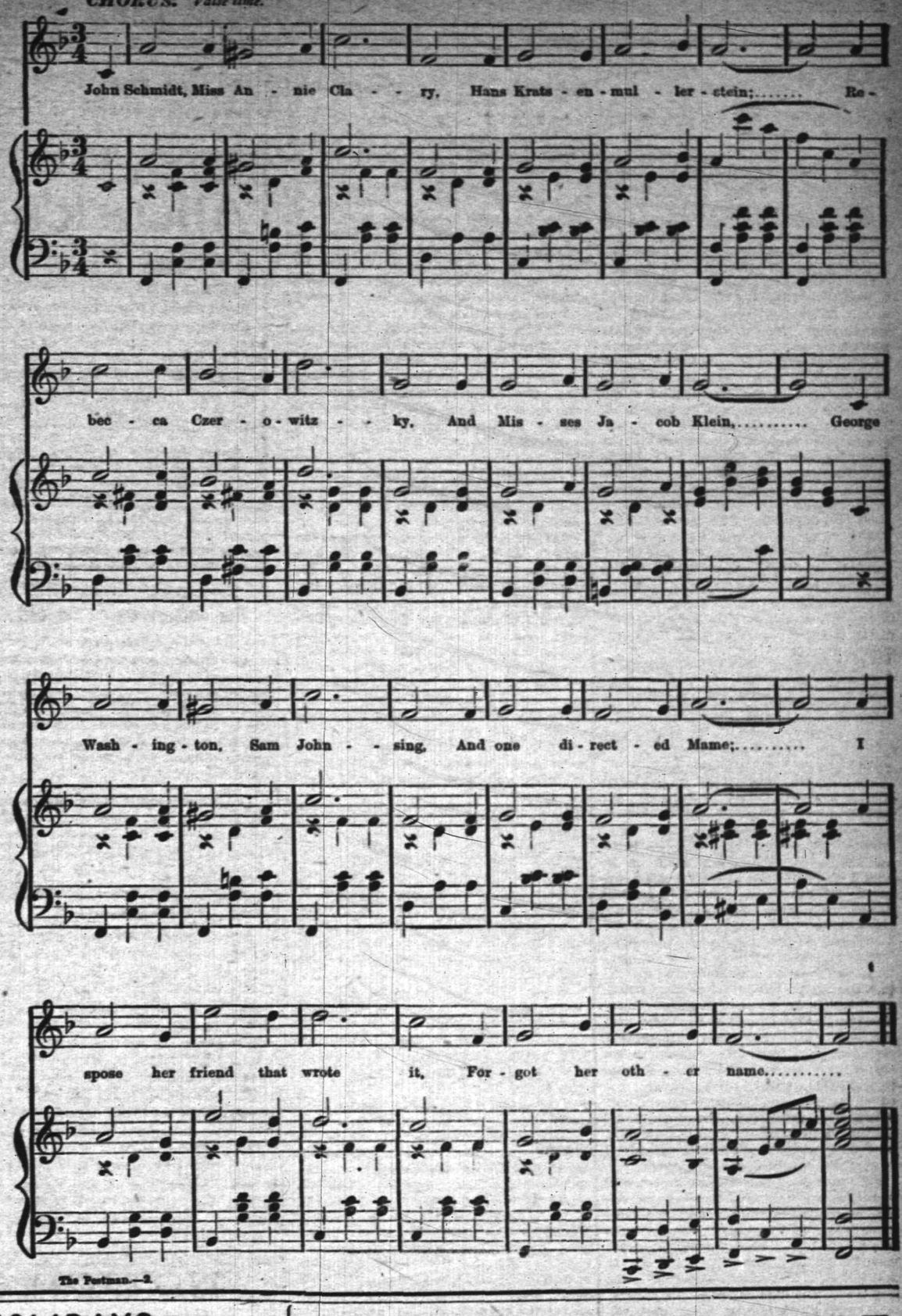

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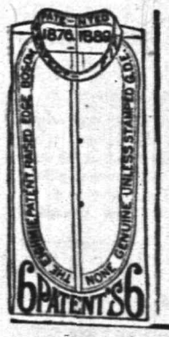

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CHAPTER I.

I began at last to think that the ball would never come to an end. I had looked forward to it with absolute dread, for I was well aware of the plan which my uncle and Madam Trelawney had devised between them. I had already recognized that the lady's son was charming in his boyish frankness, but I had seen from the first that it was intended he should propose to me before the night was ended—this night of all nights in the year!—and I was resolved on my part that he should do nothing of the sort.

Truly, he was a gallant boy; I can fancy (for an old woman may surely tell her grandchildren she once was beautiful) that we made a pretty couple as we danced together; I know that madam treated me with quite unusual consideration, and once I caught her watching us with an altogether delightful air of satisfaction. Frank, too, did his dutiful best to offer me such attentions as are proper in a lover; and though I was resolved to thwart his mother, and to keep him from courting rejection, I could not but enjoy the little play in which I was acting. I pictured the surprise of all the good folks who were now watching me, when the news of the morrow should reach them. And, though I longed for the end of the ball, and the more serious adventure which was destined to follow, I found the situation vastly amusing.

Perhaps it was this fact which chiefly helped me to keep poor Frank at a distance.

"You are always laughing at a man," he said, reproachfully, during an interval between two dances; and upon my soul I was hard put to it to find an answer. I could scarcely say that for him I had only pity; and yet this would have been the truth, even though I was well aware that his disappointment would be only for a week or two.

At any rate, when the hour of our departure had come, his devotion was still undeclared, and madam looked upon me a shade less kindly, I thought, when I went to take farewell of her. But, in truth, I was by this time too completely overcome by excitement to notice little details in the comportment of these people. They were all conspirators against my happiness and Dick's. I knew they would be checkmated within the hour, and already I could have laughed in their faces.

My uncle was a great gamester, and never known to lose his coolness. On this night he had gained a large sum at

I CAUGHT HER WATCHING US.

the cards. But, for all that, I fancy he had taken a goodly quantity of liquor during the evening. I noticed that his voice was a little thick. No sooner were we seated in his coach than he lay back in a corner and slept peacefully. Soon he was snoring.

I was thus left alone. Indeed, I could not have talked with him had it been otherwise; yet I now wished I were compelled to try, for the excitement I was in came near to being unendurable. I could see nothing through the windows of the coach; nothing but the dim reflection of my own pale face against a background of utter darkness. Had I been able to take note of the landmarks as we passed them, I might have been calmer; as it was, we had hardly been gone from the house five minutes when I began and continued to feel passionately assured that the very next moment would be productive of the event to which I looked forward so eagerly.

The drive appeared interminable. I began to think that Dick must have come early and grown tired of waiting, and I knew that if he did not keep tryst, my heart would simply break. And then, frightening me despite my eager anticipation of it, came the first sign.

I saw a sudden blackness move past the window. A pistol cracked, and as the carriage ceased to move I heard a man's voice speaking sternly to the coachman and his companion on the box. It struck me the sternness was singularly well acted; for the coachman had been in the plot from the first. He happened to have a fancy for my maid Genefer, and Dick's bride was a superfluity once she had undertaken to make sure of him.

My uncle stirred in his corner, muttering incoherently, but he was still more than half asleep when the door of the coach was opened, and a tall, graceful figure (how well I knew it!) stood dimly outlined against the darkness. The newcomer was masked, and put a pistol to my uncle's head.

"You ride late, sir," he said; and I wondered at the skill with which he disguised his voice. "I presume you carry firearms, and must ask that you will trust them to my keeping."

I can hardly report my uncle's words. Indeed, they were not coherent, so great was his indignation. But he gave up his pistols and the highwayman straightway flung them far into the darkness.

"Your purse," he continued, politely. Then which he had received this also. "Sir Richard Courtney's luck at the cards has passed into a proverb. Tell your friends, sir, that you have given their I. O. U's to one who will never ask for payment, for I have no doubt I shall find them here."

He put the purse into his pocket. "There is a diamond ring, too," he said, "and a watch," and these things he also received and pocketed.

All this time my uncle had been cursing him for a thief, and swearing he would see him hanged within a month upon the highest point of the moorland. As for me, I had enjoyed the proceedings to begin with, but now I began to be afraid. Precious time was being wasted. There were others who must use this road in returning from the ball, and there was the risk of their coming to the rescue of my dear uncle, and spoiling the plans on which so much depended. Moreover, I conceived that my uncle would be hugely angry when he discovered how prettily he had been deceived; it was possible he might be

HOW WELL I KNEW IT.

carried by his resentment as to make it appear that this mock robbery was real, and so bring Dick to serious trouble. It was with great relief I saw that it was ended.

The highwayman spoke again. "You have a lady in your company," he said. "I must trouble her—"

"Scoundrel!" said my uncle, angrier than he had been at all. "Do you rob helpless women also? Oh, but you shall hang high!"

"'Beauty,' quoted the highwayman—'and I am sure the lady is beautiful—'Beauty unadorned is best adorned.' I must ask the lady to step from her carriage a moment and give me the jewels of which she surely has no need."

My uncle would have hindered me, but I was past him in a moment, and stepped out of the carriage.

"Your necklet," said the highwayman, holding forth his hand.

I took the pearls from my neck, and pressed his hand in passing it to him. "Be quick!" I said, in a whisper. "Where is your horse?"

He paused a moment. "I saw the gleam of a bracelet," he said. "I must relieve you of that, also."

Again I obeyed him, but the fear that others would come while he still stopped fooling became more urgent. "I'm ready," I whispered, so eagerly that I wonder my uncle did not hear. "Why do you wait?"

Again there was a pause. He appeared a little disconcerted. "And I think you are wearing a ring," he went on.

I took the ring from my finger; as I gave it to him I clutched his hand, secure in the protecting darkness. "Take me!" I said. "Take me!"

Again he was silent for a moment. When he spoke it was in a curiously altered voice, and with a little delighted laugh.

"Dost mean it, sweet?" he cried. "Come, then!"

I gave a scream of alarm (a portion of the play we had arranged together) as he caught me round the waist and landed me upon his horse. A moment later I was clinging to him for dear life as we dashed headlong into the black night and went forward across the moorland. I heard him chuckle as my uncle roared his indignation after us.

[TO BE CONCLUDED.]

More Publications.

The new periodicals to which the Free Public Library will subscribe for 1895 are The Art Journal, Chambers' Journal, The Chautauquan, The London Quarterly, The Athenæum, The Cosmopolitan, and The Arena. These will be kept with the other periodicals in the reading room.

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Beginning at the intersection of Park avenue and Mountain avenue in the township of Fanwood, and running thence southeasterly along Park avenue to its intersection with Midway avenue.
Beginning again at the intersection of Forrest avenue or road with Midway avenue and running thence southeasterly along said Forrest avenue or road, to its intersection with North avenue, near the Fanwood station of the Central Railroad of New Jersey.
And for that purpose prays that the permission of your honorable body may be granted to it, to construct, operate and maintain such railway, to be operated by electricity or other motive power, except steam, upon and along the above named streets, avenues, lanes, roads, highways and public places within the said township of Fanwood.
Attest: FRANK A. MAGOWAN, Pres.
J. H. Darrah, Secy. 2 2 4

NOTICE.

Whereas, It is reported that a rabid dog has been running at large through the village of Scotch Plains and other parts of Fanwood township, and
Whereas, It is common rumor that a number of dogs owned by various residents within the limits of said township have come in contact with and been bitten by said rabid dog, therefore, be it
Resolved, That all owners of dogs within said township of Fanwood be and are hereby urged strenuously to keep such dogs as may be owned by them tied, muzzled or in some safe manner confined for the space of 30 days and all dogs known to be bitten be killed forthwith.
Fanwood, N. J., Feb. 1, 1895.
226 E. L. HAND, Township Clerk.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given to the creditors of Sidney E. Flower, of the city of Plainfield, Union county, New Jersey, carrying on the business of dealer in pictures and stationery at No. 123 East Front street, in the city of Plainfield aforesaid, that all claims against his estate must be exhibited to the subscriber, his assignee, at his store, No 151 West Front street, Plainfield, New Jersey, under oath or affirmation, on or before the 12th day of March next, being the time fixed by order of the Orphans' Court of Union county within which such claims must be presented, or be forever barred from coming in for a dividend of the said estate; and said creditors are further notified that a list of the claims against said Sidney E. Flower will be filed with the Clerk of the Court of Common Pleas of the County of Union at the expiration of said time when exceptions thereto may be filed by any person interested.
V. L. FRAZEE,
Dated Plainfield, Jan. 17, 1895. Assignee.
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REMOVAL.

I have removed my watchmaking and jewelry business from Park ave. to
142 North Avenue
Next to Walker's bakery, and shall be pleased to have my friends call.
CALEB DICKINSON

L. PAOLI & CO.,
Fruits, Confectionery, Temperance Drinks, Cigars, Etc.
138 NORTH AVENUE.
FRESH ROASTED PEANUTS EVERY DAY,
10 CENTS A QUART.
I take this method of informing my friends and the public in general that I am again in business at the old stand. I solicit your patronage. Store will close at sundown on Friday and open at sundown on Saturday.

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"THE ALWAYS BUSY STORE"
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Linens, Towels and Toweling.

The following and many other great inducements are offered to induce you to make, at this early date, your purchases of Linens and Linen Goods for the coming spring season.

ALL LINEN TOWELING twilled and very heavy, bleached and unbleached, 18 in. wide, 12½c. value, at..... 8½c yd

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GOODS MARKED LOWER THAN EVER.
Special discount of 10 per cent on all Fall and Winter Goods.
Are you looking for an Overcoat or Ulster? Remember we have them and are closing them out at slaughter prices.
Our Men's, Boys' and Children's Goods are all put in at the same cut rates.
Schepflin, Schultz & Co.,
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Yes, and a good hit
Randolph's Beef Iron and Wine
Acts Quickly,
Has Made a Great Hit,
A true tonic.
Pint bottles 50c For sale only by
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Prescription Druggist,
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We will sell ladies black cashmere gloves 50c quality, for 40c; do 39c quality for 30c; children's fast black hose, all sizes 25c quality for 18c; children's printed border handkerchiefs 5 and 8c quality for 4c; bleached table linen 50c quality for 43c; do 65c quality for 50c; do 85c quality for 70c; unbleached table linen 40c quality for 32c; do 50c quality for 40c; do 55c quality for 45c.
MUSLINS Fruit, Lonsdale, Anchor and Hill 6¼c yd; Lonsdale cambric 8¼c; Berkley cambric 7¼c.
210 West Front Street.

Extra--Groceries--Extra.

Fresh roll butter	18c lb
Best creamery butter	23c lb
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" corn	7½c can
" peas	7½c can
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Beat California figs	7½c lb
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Wash Fabrics
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MUSLIN UNDERWEAR,
Comprising Drawers, Skirts, Chemise, Night Gowns and Corset Covers.
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50c per garment, formerly 85c
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Everything must be sold. Counters cases, millinery goods at half price, ladies' underwear, infant's wear, velvet ribbons, la ge double heater, large mahogany desk and bookcase combined, claw feet, and a number of books. Everything selling low. MRS T. J. GILLIES,
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A. E. LINCOLN,
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has just received an elegant assortment of rare ferns and other plants, also bulbs of all kinds, for Fall planting. She has a large supply of cut flowers daily.

Call and see the new
SPALDING
FOR '95.
Any one placing their order for a Spalding before January 1, 1895, will receive a new
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FREE.
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Prospect Hill For Sale,
26 acres, or in plots to suit.
Also trees, shrubs, hedge plants, palms, Bermuda lilies, Indian azaleas, india rubber trees, etc.
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Sulphur and Vapor Baths,
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ESTABLISHED MAY 10, 1887. PLAINFIELD, N. J., TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 5, 1895. TWO CENTS A COPY. $5 A YEAR.

AWARDING THE PLUMS.

Councilmen Distribute the City's Official Patronage.

SOME OF THE SALARIES RAISED.

City Clerk Particularly Favored by an Increase of $300—Corporation Counsel to Be Paid for Extra Work—Complete Refutation of the Republican Organ's Libel on Councilman Frost—It Is Shown that the Editor of that Organ Himself Audited the Bill Which He Denounced as Irregular—Council Determined to Investigate the Water-Supply Rights—Liquor-License Applications—Capt. Grant Still on Top—Much Other Important Business.

Every member attended the session of the Plainfield Common Council last night, and much important business was transacted. A protest was received from property-owners against the pond-hole on Clinton avenue, and that matter was referred to the Board of Health with a request for immediate action. A petition for electric light on West Fifth street between Central avenue and New street was referred to the Committee on Police and Public Lights; one for electric light at the westerly corner of Watchung and North avenues was referred to the same committee with power. Varian & Sohl applied for reduction of the Music Hall license; their plea was referred to the Committee on License. The Central New Jersey Land Improvement Company and Samuel P. Dunn asked for the return of the assessments they had paid on the abandoned project to open Peace street to the brook; on investigation the Clerk was directed to refund the amounts they had paid. A petition for more light at the far end of Arlington avenue was referred to the proper committee.

LIQUOR LICENSES.

The following applications for liquor licenses were received and referred to the License Committee:

Saloon—Charles Smith, Alexander D. Findley, John Rafferty, James Conecily, James Day, John Sullivan.
Wholesale—Frank Linke.
Hotel—John Beerbower, Fred Caspar, John Goff, Jacob Blimm, Wallace Miller.

PLAINFIELD'S HEALTH.

The annual report of the Board of Health was received and filed, showing the following record of deaths:

Feb., 1894, 10; March, 8; April, 13; May, 17; June, 25; July, 24; Aug., 21; Sept., 17; Oct., 17; Nov., 14; Dec., 22; Jan., 1895, 22; total, 210, of which 8 were from accident.

Thirty-six of the deaths had been of persons 70 years old and upwards. Sixty-five had been of persons 5 years old and under. One hundred and nine had been of persons between 5 and 70. Eleven deaths were caused by scarlet fever and diphtheria. From Oct. 1, 1893, to Oct. 1, 1894, Plainfield recorded 90 marriages and 307 births; the births were 155 male and 152 female.

The Board reported that the matter of dumping was restricted to one locality, and that none but licensed scavengers was permitted to operate. The number of deaths was less than for the year before, and the death rate compared favorably with that of other cities.

A STRING TO THIS APPROPRIATION

The Council of 1893 having appropriated $2 000 for a quarantine station, which money was never used by the Board, the Board declared its intention of making use of it during the year in establishing a pest-house; and $1 250 was asked for as this year's appropriation for operating expenses.

Messrs. Fisk and Dumont declared that the pest-house appropriation was for one year only, and that its privilege expired at the close of '93. The Clerk was on their motion directed to notify the Board to that effect, and the report of the Board was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Reports of the Collector, Treasurer, and City Physician were received and filed.

NOMINATIONS BY THE MAYOR.

The following appointments made by Mayor Gilbert were unanimously confirmed:

Corporation Counsel—Craig A. Marsh.
Street Commissioner—Robert A. Meeker.
Overseer of the Poor—Andrew Vanderbeek.
City Physician—M. S. Simpson, M. D.
Chief Engineer of the Fire Department—Thaddeus O. Doane.
First Assistant Engineer—James A. Martin.
Second Assistant Engineer—J. W. Murray, Jr.
Members of the Board of Health—George W. Rockfellow, H. Otis Newman.
Pound Keeper—Fred Wenzel.
Regular Police—George W. Grant, Christian Frederickson, Thomas McCue, Joseph Cooney, Patrick Kiely, Patrick Flanagan, William J. Mattox, James Saunders.
Special Police—S. R. Hope, Taos. Clarkson, Wm. Mundy, John Flynn, Geo. R. Rockafellow, Jacob Kriney, Wm. Dagnall, Chas. Laing, Cadwallader Jones, Morris Higgins, Vincent W. Nash, David F Stewart, Andrew Muir, Edward Maynard, Dennis Carney, William W. Robinson, Joseph Galbraith, Edward Martin, Wm. H. Hillman, Henry P. Pugh, Nathan Pollard, Piney Yetman, Chas. Post, Edwin H. Dobbs, Chas. Giese, James E. Totten.

The nominations of John Hartpence and Nicholas Meyers to be regular policemen and Martin Vanderweg to be special policeman were rererred to the Committee on Police and Public Lights for investigation, their names not having been considered by the Police Board. No special comment was made except in the case of Vanderweg, who was reported by Mr. Fisk as having been expelled from the Fire Department for insubordination.

NEW POLICY AGAINST TAX ADJUSTMENTS

Chairman Dumont of the Committee on Finance reported that the committee advised against granting the application of James E. Martine and others for the apportionment of taxes on the Martine estate. He said that taxes were 12 years delinquent, and that the lands which had been taxed on $175 and $250 an acre as farm lands were now being offered for sale as building lots at $4 000 an acre. He felt that this sort of apportionment was bad policy, and his recommendation that the petition be not granted was adopted. The Committee on Finance was on his motion authorized to confer with the Assessor concerning similar matters, with a view to securing to the city without evasion full payment of taxes of farm lands turned into building lots.

Mr. Westphal of the Committee on Laws and Ordinances reported that in the matter of the encroachment of the Edison Electric Light Company's poles on Plainfield streets the company had been consulted and had asked for a few days grace; this had been granted, and the committee would report later developments.

STREET RAILWAY EXTENSIONS NEXT SESSION

Mr. Fisk of the Committee on Streets reported progress in the matter of street-railway extensions. Several conferences had been had with the company, and the negotiations had been favorable. He would be prepared to report definitely and in full Monday night, Feb. 18, and he therefore moved that when the Council adjourn it be to meet again on that date. This was carried. A meeting is likely to be held also Feb. 25, for the consideration of the liquor-license applications.

A resolution was adopted for the advertising for bids for crushed stone and similar supplies.

The rules of order were adopted as by-laws.

A new ordinance to govern the cleaning of snow and ice from sidewalks was adopted on second reading and ordered engrossed and advertised preparatory to final passage. It is the intention of the Council to have the sidewalks within the prescribed limits kept paved substantially and maintained in perfect passable condition.

It was stated that the commissioners were about ready to report on the Madison avenue opening, and that at the next meeting that matter would be taken up.

LEAVE YOUR RAZZOR TO HOME.

Mr. Westphal introduced an ordinance designed to prohibit the carrying of concealed weapons and to prevent the discharge of firearms in public. Its provisions included that no one could carry razor, butcher knife or other deadly weapon concealed, and it was pointed out that this would prohibit a man from carrying his razor to the barber's to get it sharpened, or his carving knife to the grinder's. Nevertheless the ordinance was adopted on its second reading, and ordered engrossed and advertised, Messrs. Dumont, See and Stockton voting No.

Mr. Dumont reported that Landlord Coward had agreed to add a story to the fireproof vault for the use of the city, at an additional annual rent of $50 The Committee on Finance was instructed to have this improvement accomplished.

MR. FROST VINDICATED.

Mr. Dumont called attention to the publication in The Courier-News of an editorial attacking Mr. Frost. The article said:

There is one very interesting bill on file for printing done by the Engineering News Company of which Mr. Frost is Treasurer. The bill was sworn to as correct by Mr. Frost as Treasurer of the company, and a little later at a Council meeting Mr. Frost as a committee member passed judgment upon it and affixed his name in approval to it. This particular sort of proceeding is specified as irregular by the laws of the State in no ambiguous terms. Would the Plainfield public like further details of this particular transaction? The Courier-News can furnish them.

Mr. Dumont said that it was due to Mr. Frost to explain that this particular piece of work was the publication of the sewer maps, a matter which his house had taken charge of as an accomodation to the Council. He submitted the original bills, showing the actual expense attached to every part of the work, and those bills were from workmen merely employed under the management of Mr. Frost's company, the aggregate bill being just what those workmen had charged for the actual labor and supplies. Mr. Frost's company had no interest in the work whatever, and had not profited thereby. The bill had been endorsed by Messrs. Frost, Erickson and See of the proper committee, and audited by Frank Willetts Runyon, City Clerk and City Auditor. Mr. Dumont moved that in justice to Mr. Frost the copy of the attack be filed with the City Clerk with the original bills attached completely refuting its insinuations. This was adopted.

Six cuspidors and a water cooler were ordered for the city offices.

SALARIES.

The salaries of the city officials were fixed for the year as follows:

Corporation Counsel, $1,000, and in addition such amount as the Council should decide for extra work on the sewer matter, such extra pay to come from the sewer fund. City Clerk, as such, $800, and as City Auditor $400. Treasurer, $700. Assessor, $1,000. Collector, $1,500. Judge, $800. Street Commissioner, $1,700. Captain of Police, $90 a month. Regular police, $60 a month. Special police, 25 cents an hour while on duty. Overseer of the Poor, $500. City Physician, $365. Chief Engineer, $700. 1st Asst., $300. 2d Asst., $100. Drivers, $55 a month to the two who have been in the service more than three years, and $50 to the others.

These salaries are the same as before, with the following exceptions:

Corporation Counsel, hitherto $1,000 without extra. No opposition to the extra allowance.

City Clerk, hitherto $700 for the clerkship and $200 for auditing. Increase advocated strongly by Mr. Fisk, and voted against by Messrs. Dumont, Erickson, Frost and Ginna as too great a raise.

Overseer of the Poor, hitherto $400. Mr. Ginna highly commended the work of Mr. Vanderbeek, and said that that officer by his careful services saved the city each year more than double his salary. The extra $100 should be considered as his due for office rent.

Two three-year drivers, hitherto $50 a month. Mr. Dumont protested that $50 ought to be the top figure for all drivers, as plenty would be glad to get the job for that money. Mr. Erickson said the drivers were on duty all the time, 24 hours a day, and Mr. Frazee said they ought to be paid fully $55.

STILL AFTER THE WATER SUPPLY COMPANY

On resolution of Mr. Fisk, and without debate, the Corporation Counsel was directed to prepare an opinion and submit it to the Council, stating what territory was covered by the charter of the Plainfield Water Supply Company in the language "the township of Plainfield and adjoining towns", what right the Plainfield Water Supply Company has to sell to other companies water from the Netherwood wells, and what right the Plainfield Company has to obtain from the Plainfield watershed water to be delivered to the Union Water Company and the Elizabeth Water Company for consumption in Elizabeth. These, held Mr. Fisk, were important questions which ought to be settled now, once for all.

PURITY OF THE SUPPLY UNQUESTIONED

Mr. Fisk requested that Mr. Frost explain the portion of the Water Committee's recent report on the water-supply investigation referring to the possibility of contamination from surface water.

Mr. Frost said that the Plainfield water was as pure as any on earth, and that the committee had only pointed out the possibility which would result if the pumping were forced in an effort to supply too large a population. The point was that the Plainfield water should be kept for home consumption, and that if a strain were kept up on the wells in the endeavor to send water to the whole county or more the natural filter of the earth contributing to the wells would be damaged and open waterways would be established, admitting water and its impurities without the saving intervention of natural filtration. It was a remote possibility, not a present actuality. No alarm need be felt, and the water could safely and happily be used so long as the capacity of the wells was not overtaxed, which overtaxing was not likely to produce results for years to come.

The ordinances for the regulation of the construction of buildings and for the establishment of the office and duties of the inspector of buildings, were taken from the table and referred back as on second reading for further consideration.

After paying its monthly batch of bills, the Council adjourned.

Euchre Prizes and a Supper.

A delightful progressive euchre party was given by Mr. and Mrs. C. Arthur Baynon of La Grande avenue, Saturday evening. Those present were: Mr and and Mrs Kleinecke, Mr and Mrs John Drayton, Mr and Mrs William Pelletier, Mr and Mrs Louis Ross, Mr and Mrs Joseph Sandford, Jr., Mr and Mrs James Hallock, Mr and Mrs L W Sertell, Jr.

Mrs. Kleinecke won first prize, and Mrs. Hallock second, while Mrs. Drayton secured the consolation.

Of the men, Louis Ross captured first, Mr. Sandford second, and Mr. Pelletier consolation.

A bountiful supper was served by Plainfield's own caterer, the incomparable Max Wiertz.

Teachers Want the Spring Vacation.

Superintendent Maxson of the Public Schools called a meeting recently of all the teachers, to get their views concerning the Spring vacation. Forty were in favor of having the week off, and two were not.

One teacher remarked that the Board ought to pay the doctors' bills if the time was not allowed.

—The meeting of John Hand Camp, No. 28, S. of V., will be called at 7:30 sharp this evening, and every member is urged to be present at that time.

Mrs. Emily Thorne, who resides at Toledo, Washington, says she has never been able to procure any medicine for rheumatism that relieves the pain so quickly and effectually as Chamberlain's Pain Balm and that she has also used it for lame back with great success. For sale at Reynolds's pharmacy, Park and North aves. T. S. Armstrong, manager.

AGAINST THE TROLLEY.

School Trustees Afraid for the Children's Lives.

CAR NOISE ALSO OBJECTIONABLE.

Supt. Maxson Says He's Overworked, and Is Granted an Assistant at 12½ Cents a Day—Only Progress in Fire Escapes—A Schedule of Terms Adopted.

President Probasco called the February meeting of the Board of Education to order last evening at 8, Messrs. Lovell and Finch being present.

Superintendent Maxson, in the absence of Mr. Clark, acted as clerk.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved. In that connection resolutions on the death of the late L. E. Clark were read and ordered spread on the minutes and a copy sent to the family.

The budget of monthly bills was presented, approved and ordered paid.

The six-months interest on the notes falling due March 1, was ordered paid.

City Treasurer Illsworth's and Collector Johnson's reports were received and filed. The usual appropriation from State Superintendent Holmes was reported received.

Principal Maxson stated that his time was very much occupied, and that he needed an assistant. He could get a young woman from the High School, and the cost would not be over fifteen cents a day, she to work about an hour a day.

The Board gave him the power to secure the assistant.

Mr. Maxson also stated that efforts were making to secure a passage of the trolley near the school, and that enough signers had been secured for the extension.

The Board thought it advisable to put themselves on record as being opposed to it. The danger to the children should, they held, be considered paramount, though the noise from the cars also would be objectionable.

A motion was made by Mr. Lovell, and adopted, that the Common Council be acquainted with the opposition of the Board, and their objections.

A communication was received from Dr. Whitford of Dunellen in regard to the arrangement of primary scholars attending the schools in Dunellen and Plainfield. It was moved by Mr. Lovell and carried, that the matter be spread on the minutes for reference.

The following schedule as presented by Mr. Maxson was adopted:

Winter term ends March 22, Spring term begins April 8, Spring term ends June 21, Fall term begins Sept. 9, Fall term ends Dec. 20.

Mr. Lovell reported as chairman of the text-book committee, that thus far $2 850 had been expended for books.

Progress was reported by Mr. Lovell for the by-laws committee.

Mr. Finch reported progress for the committee on fire escapes.

The Board adjourned at 8:40.

Euchre in the Park.

Mr. and Mrs. William O. Worth gave a delightful progressive euchre party last evening at their home in Park place in honor of their guest, Miss Pollion of Brooklyn. The first prizes fell to Miss Griffin and Mr. Hebert and the progressive prizes to Miss Murphy and Mr. Griffin. Among the players were: Mrs George F Brown, and the Misses Grace Brown, Lydia Colton, Margaret Long, Sarah Long, Kate Miller, Blanche Miller, Anne Murphy, Jeanette Bryan, Catherine Vail, Edith Harold, Miss Griffin, and Miss French; Messrs Charles E Faber, William Faber, George C Worth, Clarence L Murphy, Frederick Hebert, George Taggart, Eli Long, George Brown, William E MacClymont and Gerald Griffin.

Death of Mrs. Zeglio.

Mrs. Josephine Zeglio of Mt. Bethel, mother of Dr. Zeglio, passed away Monday morning at 2:40, in her seventy-fourth year, as briefly recorded in The Press of yesterday. She had been ailing two years, and last Saturday was taken severely ill.

Mrs. Zeglio was born in Switzerland, and had been many years a resident of Mt. Bethel. Her husband, John Zeglio, died 29 years ago.

Dr. Zeglio has the sympathy of a large circle of friends in his sad bereavment.

The funeral services will be held Thursday afternoon at 2:30, from the Mt. Betnel church.

Four Big Successes.

Having the needed merit to more than make good all the advertising claimed for them, the following four remedies have reached a phenomenal sale. Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption, coughs and colds, each bottle guaranteed—Electric Bitters, the great remedy for liver, stomach and kidneys. Bucklen's Arnica Salve, the best in the world, and Dr. King's New Life Pills, which are a perfect pill. All these remedies are guaranteed to do just what is claimed for them and the dealer whose name is attached herewith will be glad to tell you more of them. Sold at L. W. Randolph's drug store.

KILLED AT THE TANKS.

EDWARD MURPHY DID N'T LOOK FOR THE FAST-FLYING TRAIN.

And When He Stepped from Behind the Freight He Was Hurled to Death Against a Box Car.

Edward Murphy, a ditcher and general laborer, for the past eight years a resident of Dunellen, was struck and instantly killed at the Greenbrook water tanks, a mile and a quarter west of Dunellen station, yesterday afternoon at 2:40.

A standing freight train which was taking water at the Tanks shut off his view of Conductor Dodwell's train No. 33, the westbound local for Bound Brook; and, starting to cross the tracks, Murphy stepped directly in front of the pilot, which picked him up and hurled him through the air until his body struck a car on the sidetrack.

So great was the concussion that death must have been instantaneous.

The remains were taken on board the train, and carried to Bound Brook, being brought back to Dunellen on No. 56 (Conductor Dodwell's east-bound train) which reaches there at 4:40.

The body was fearfully mangled, the head being cut badly, and the left leg almost severed from the body.

John McFadden, with whom decedent had boarded for some time, identified the body; and Middlesex County Physician Carroll of Dayton was notified. Murphy owned a horse and several wagons, but as far as known no other property. He was unmarried, and had but two living relatives, a brother and sister, whose places of residence are unknown. Though no fault attaches to Conductor Dodwell or his crew, yet he seems all unnerved by the sad event.

An Excellent Preacher.

(From The New Brunswick Home News.)

Rev. Mr. Braker of Scotch Plains preached in the Livingston Avenue Baptist Church yesterday to large congregations. The text for his morning sermon was from Psalm 42:5, "Why art thou cast down, O my soul, and why art thou disquieted within me? Hope thou in God." The sermon was replete with comforting thoughts, beautiful illustrations, and earnest solicitations for a closer walk with God. Mr. Braker has a fine pulpit presence and is a most pleasing speaker.

The evening service was in charge of the Christian Endeavor society with special singing and address by Mr. Braker. Miss Addie Kent, the president of the society, led the meeting.

Ex-Congressman Horr to Toast.

The banquet of the Lincoln Association of this county will be held Tuesday evening, Feb. 12, in Lyceum Hall, Elizabeth. The programme that has been arranged assures an occasion of unusual interest. The toasts will be responded to as follows: "Abraham Lincoln", ex-Congressman Roswell G. Horr; "Lincoln and the People", Dr. William Lloyd; "Republicanism of Lincoln", Congressman Fowler; "Democracy of Lincoln", R. V. Lindabury, Esq.

The dinner is for all patriotic citizens who desire thus to honor the memory of Lincoln, and those who desire to participate should remit immediately their name and $6 to M. W. Halsey, 81 Broad street. The list closes tonight.

Studying Other Worlds.

The Astronomy class of the High School went to Bound Brook last evening to examine the moon and stars through a large telescope, the use of which was kindly given by O. P. Loomis, the electrician at the American Engine Works, who resides in Bound Brook. The party that braved the cold to study the heavens consisted of Miss Mabel Force, Miss Etta Raybert, Frederick Corlell, Edgar I Serrell and H. Oscar Nightingale.

Death of John Collins.

John Collins, age 27, died in St. Joseph's Hospital, New York, Monday morning. His father was for years engineer at the Scott Printing Machine Works, and this is the sixth death in that family in three years. The body will be brought to Fanwood by Undertaker Casey tonight, and the funeral will be from St. Mary's Church at a time to be announced in The Press tomorrow.

To Tell of Their Youth.

Mrs. Elizabeth Powell Bond, Dean of Swarthmore College, will give the third lecture of the Friends entertainment course in the old meeting-house, Watchung avenue and Third street, Wednesday evening, Feb. 6, at 8, on "The Youth of Some Eminent Americans." All are cordially invited.

Crushed His Fingers.

John Kriney, a machinist in the Potter Press Works, had a hand badly bruised in the shop, and had to have the crushed fingers dressed at the Muhlenberg Hospital. Amputation was not necessary.

They Sing Here Tonight.

One of the most delightful features of the Pouch Mansion last evening was the singing of the Verdi Ladies Quartette, the audience demanding a recall of each number.—Standard-Union, Brooklyn.

GREENGOODS GANG.

The Swindlers Operating in This Vicinity.

A VICTIM FROM THE SOUTH.

Julius Olfred, a Practitioner from Louisiana, Is Relieved of $300 at the Fanwood Clubhouse—Was Promised $3,000, and Got a Wad of Paper.

The Plainfield police were visited by a stranger yesterday afternoon who complained that he had been robbed by greengoods men.

His name he gave as Julius Olfred, and his home Redwine, La., where he said he was a medical practitioner.

In response to greengoods circulars and letters he had journeyed thither to receive $3 000 for $300. He was met at South Bethlehem yesterday by a heavy-set, dark complexioned young fellow of about 21 years. This chap took a seat behind him in the train to Plainfield, and they were met at the Plainfield station by a Fanwood hackman.

Driven to the Van, or Fanwood clubhouse, on the county road, they were, he says, met at the door and admitted by the proprietor. He says that he was shown into a room where were two elderly men, and that the proprietor locked them all in there, laughing as he turned the key.

$3,000 was counted out to Olfred by the two old men, and he was given a box into which he thought he had seen them place the pile of bills. He paid over his $300, and was escorted to the Fanwood station by the young man from Bethlehem. A ticket was bought for him to Bound Brook, and he was cautioned not to open the box till he got well away from the neighborhood. As soon as he was aboard the train, however, he went to a toilet room, and found the box contained nothing but a pile of paper with a dollar bill on top. He left the train at Plainfield, and Captain Grant and Sergeant Kiely promptly investigated his story.

The strangers had gone on a train to New York, and the proprietor of the Van disowned all knowledge of them and their game. He said they had merely used his place as a meeting place just as any of the traveling public might use it.

Detective Charles W. Dodd of the Jersey Central took the fleeced stranger in hand this morning, because there have been several other just such cases at the Van during the past month or more, and gleaned what information he could in addition to that which he has been carefully gathering for weeks back.

Olfred left for home at 5 this afternoon.

THE CAT SAVED AGAIN.

Kind-Hearted Inspector Chamberlain Rescues Fussy from the Icy Pole-Top.

The cat which was rescued from its lofty perch at the top of a telegraph pole several months ago by Telephone Inspector Herbert Chamberlain, is still alive, thanks to Mr. Chamberlain's kindness of heart. E. H. Clevely, who probably knows more about cats than any other man in town, noticed the cat shivering at the top of a pole on South Second street near the Potter Press Works, and mentioned it to his friend Chamberlain, who went without his dinner to save the animal. A dog had frightened the cat, and as before she had gone to the top of the pole, working her way up through the wires but being unable to come down.

Mr. Chamberlain accomplished the humane feat of rescuing her last night.

Calliope Fire Attachments.

Chief Doane has had designs submitted for a whistle attachment for the fire apparatus, to take the place of gongs on the rolling stock of the department. A set of three chime whistles will be sent for his trial, and they will be tested in use on the Plainfield streets. The idea is to obviate confusion of the fire gongs with those on the trolley cars.

From Hawaii.

The regular meeting of the McAll Auxiliary will be held in the Public Library tomorrow morning at 11. Rev. Thomas L. Gulick, Representative Secretary of the McAll Association, will address the meeting. Mr. Gulick is a native of Honolulu, was a missionary in Hawaii and also in Spain. A large attendance is desired.

Y. M. C. A. Notes.

Mayor Gilbert is to preside and deliver the opening address at the opening of the new Y. M. C. A. Building Feb. 12.

There were 46 in the gymnasium class last night. Three of the Directors of the Association were among the number who exercised in the afternoon class.

A Fit at the Show.

Lot Marshall had a fit in his box at Music Hall last evening, during the first part of Thatcher and Johnson's performance, and had to be carried to the street, where the fresh air revived him quickly, yet left him so weak that he was taken home in a hack.

THE NEW BOND ISSUE

Foreign Gold, It Is Said, Will Take One-Half.

Negotiations Practically Concluded. No Extra Session of Congress—Mr. Cleveland Says, with the Issue of Bonds, "Confidence" Will at Once Be Restored.

Washington, Feb. 5.—The amount of bonds which the administration contemplates issuing and may give notice of at any time now is $100,000,000 of 4 per cent. to run thirty years. Arrangements, it is believed, have been practically concluded, assuring the government that these bonds will be paid for with foreign gold. It is said that a London syndicate has agreed to take $50,000,000.

The officials are extremely reticent on the subject and decline to either affirm or deny any of the rumors brought to their attention. One rumor which had an apparently good basis was that the bonds for the new issue were already being printed at the bureau of engraving and printing, but like the others, it could not be confirmed.

Bankers Complain.

It is stated that there is much complaint among the New York bankers, who say they have not been fairly treated, especially in view of the way in which they have stood by the treasury in past emergencies. There has been a suggestion that the issue be made $150,000,000, or even $200,000,000, to give them a chance, but according to the very best authority the issue will be that originally contemplated, $100,000,000.

The president has practically decided not to call an extra session of congress. He has said several times in his talks with visitors that the present congress has done more to destroy confidence than anything else. Besides, with the silver men in control of the senate, the president says that nothing could be accomplished. If there should be an extra session the silver men would immediately destroy confidence again and injure our credit abroad.

Will Restore Confidence.

He believes that with the issue of more bonds, which it is expected will be disposed of this week or next, public confidence will be restored, and then when congress adjourns there will be a general revival of business. It is understood that Senator Sherman agress with this view.

Congressmen Disappointed.

Several congressmen-elect who have called on the president naturally asked him about the chances of an extra session, so that they could make their arrangements. The president was very candid in saying that he did not expect to call one.

A PITIABLE SCENE.

Strikers Sent to Jail—Mothers Weep, While Children Cling to Papa.

Newark, N. J., Feb. 5.—The court of special sessions was crowded with hatters from the "Hill," all anxious to learn the fate of four men who were convicted of assault and battery on so called "scabs," who took their places during a recent strike. They heard Judge Kirkpatrick lecture the prisoners in scathing terms and then saw the latter locked up.

The judge said that sooner or later strikers would learn that they could not assault men who wanted to make their living in a lawful manner. Every man had the right to stop work and starve to death if he wished to, but no one might assault another with impunity. The judge then called Victor Sorcossi to the bar and sentenced him to two months. Benjamin Hyman and James Ball each got six months, and Samuel Jacco was also sent up for six months.

The wives of the convicted men, with their children, gathered in one of the jury rooms and a pitiable scene followed. The women screamed and cried, while the forlorn-looking children added their voices to the uproar. Through the kindness of the officers the women were permitted to see their "lords and masters," and then there was another scene of grief. The women are poor and have no means of support, while one of them who seemed to be almost overcome had several small children hanging to her skirts.

Blighted Hopes.

Chicago, Feb. 5.—All hope has been abandoned that the object sighted off South Chicago yesterday morning will prove to be the hull of the lost steamship Chicora. There was little interest shown in South Chicago during the day and only a few persons braved the extremely cold weather to visit the lake shore. Those who did go were unable to see anything on the lake which resembled a disabled boat.

St. Patrick's Alliance.

Elizabeth, N. J., Feb. 5.—The national convention of St. Patrick's Alliance of America began a two days session here, John P. Lee, of Orange, N. J., presiding. A banquet was held last night at which the city and county officials were guests.

Earnings Decreasing.

Montreal, Feb. 5.—Canadian Pacific railway earnings for the week ending January 31, were $332,000 against $384,000 for the same period last year, a decrease of $52,000.

NEW YORK MARKETS.

WHEAT—Dull. No. 2 red, 57⅞c.

CORN—Slow. No. 2, 47c.; steamer, 48c.

OATS—Quiet. No. 2 white, 36c.; No. 2 mixed, 33½@34c.

PORK—Quiet. Extra prime, 13.00@15.50; mess, 11.50@12.50.

LARD—Quiet. May, 6.90.

BUTTER—Steady. Creamery, state, fall made, 14@21c.; creamery, western extras, 24c.

CHEESE—Firm. State, full cream, fancy, 11@11¼c.; common to fair, 9@9¾c.

EGGS—Firm. Western, 25½@26c.

BEEVES—Steady. Inferior to choice, 4.10@4.85; dressed naNve sides, 7@9c.

SHEEP—Active. Common to prime, 3.00@4.25; dressed mutton, 5½@7½c.

LAMBS—Steady. Ordinary to choice, 4.50@5.70; dressed lambs, 7@9c.

DELAY SAVES LIFE.

Could Not Sail on the Steamer Elbe. A Father's Joy.

Newark, N. J., Feb. 5.—Edmund Nebeling, a jeweler of this city, has learned that his wife and three-year-old child, who were to have sailed on the ill-fated Elbe, did not do so on account of a delay in the money order department. They sailed on Saturday in the steamship Scandia, from Hamburg.

Nebeling has been in this country about six months. Almost as soon as he arrived he secured work, and had saved enough money to send for his wife and child and provide a home for them here. Nebeling wrote to his wife about three weeks ago enclosing a foreign money order for the amount of passage money, telling her if she hurried, he supposed she might catch the Elbe.

Having heard nothing from her, he supposed she had received his letter and money and had sailed as suggested. Accordingly, when he heard that the Elbe was lost, he was frantic. He could not find his wife's name in the Elbe's sailing list, but could not be persuaded that she was not among the missing. Finally he cabled to friends in Hamburg, and to his great joy the dispatch has been answered by his wife, explaining why she could not sail on the Elbe. There had been delay in forwarding the duplicate money order, and the postal authorities had refused to pay the order till they received the duplicate. When they got it it was too late to catch the Elbe, and Mrs. Nibeling had to stay in Hamburg till last Saturday.

Nebeling's fellow-employes say that from the time he knew the Elbe was lost, until he received his wife's cablegram, he behaved like one bereft of reason. This morning, however, when interviewed, through an interpreter, Nebeling was all smiles. He expects his wife and child early next week.

CHEERS FOR PRESIDENT DIAZ.

Workingmen Satisfied with Their Government.

City of Mexico, Feb. 5.—About 4,000 workingmen marched through the streets of the city yesterday and eventually gathered in front of the National palace. They greeted President Diaz with loud cheers and presented to him an address praising the government's attitude in the boundary dispute with Guatemala. In his reply the president said that the diplomatic controversy presented no new features as would render war inevitable. The enthusiasm with which he was received gratified the president greatly and in private conversations he told the workingmen's committee that he should always feel bound to them for their demonstration of loyalty.

It is stated semi-officially that the outlook for peace is more hopeful than ever, Guatemala having in the main agreed to Mexico's demands. The general opinion now is that there will be no war. The reports in several papers that war would be declared were mere guesses. Moreover, war can be declared only by congress, and that body has not even been convoked. Stories of Central American alliances against Mexico are discredited here, although it is probable that Honduras, Costa Rica and Nicaragua agreed to lend moral support to Guatemala.

WHOLESALE ARREST.

Non-Union Men in Trouble Charged with Riot—Attempted Murder.

Wheeling, W. Va., Feb. 5.—All of the non-union employes of the Buckeye Glass works were arrested on warrants sworn out by union men, charging riot as a result of the shooting several days ago. An attempt to assassinate Manager Humphreys, of the works, was made by an unknown man, two shots whizzing by Humphrey's head. There is great excitement and fears of serious trouble at the hearing of non-unionists, which is set for this evening.

A Cold Day for Chicago.

Chicago, Feb. 5.—The official thermometer registered 13 degrees below zero yesterday—the coldest day of the winter by four degrees. The cold wave froze many ears, hands and feet, and the police found M. Carmody frozen to death at 132 West 18th street during the morning. Prof. Moore, the chief of the weather bureau here said the wave covered almost the entire country, the northwestern states and Canada getting the worst of it. Fifty-two degrees below zero was reported from across the border.

Presented with a Gold Watch.

Ansonia, Conn., Feb. 5.—Through Supt. Beach, of the Naugatuck division, N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R., the latter road presented a handsome gold watch to Robert Dover, night watchman, at Wallace & Sons' factory. The latter gentleman, on the morning of Nov. 2 last discovered the canal washout on the tracks, and notified the railroad officials. The watch is inscribed to Mr. Dover, for "his thoughtful kindness and his word of warning in the hour of peril."

C. B. L.'s Elect Officers.

Baltimore, Feb. 5.—The Catholic Benevolent Legion of Maryland held its twelfth annual session yesterday and elected officers for the ensuing year. Delegates were prsent from all parts of the state and an interesting contest developed over the presidency. Joseph S. Hevisler was the successful candidate. Annual reports were read and the new officers installed.

Carpenters Organize.

Newark, N. J., Feb. 5.—A new union of contractors has been formed in this city in opposition to the Amalgamated branch, an English organization. The latter body refuses to join the trades council of this city and trouble is caused thereby. Labor men of this city watch with interest bills in the legislature to amend the mechanics lien law.

Glass Factories To Shut Down.

Patterson, N. J., Feb. 5.—It is said that all the window glass factories are preparing to shut down for six weeks, in order to raise prices. Not a thought is given about those who are thrown out of employment for this time in midwinter or how they can raise food—Give us this day our daily bread.

General Manson Dead.

Frankfort, Ind., Feb. 5.—Gen. Manson died here yesterday. He was a veteran of the Mexican war.

DOINGS OF CONGRESS

The Omnibus Claim Bill Before the House.

Agricultural Measure Passed with a Total Appropriation of $3,277,150—The District of Columbia Bill Occupies the Senate's Attention But Did Not Reach a Final Vote.

Washington, Feb. 5.—The week opened with a refusal on the part of the house to accept the programme of business outlined for it by the rules committee. The conference report on the army appropriation bill as agreed to and bills were passed granting the right of way through the Indian territory to the Arkansas & Northwestern Railroad company and providing justices of the peace for the territory of Alaska.

Mr. Catchings (dem., Miss.) reported an order from the rules committee alloting the day to the consideration of an omnibus claim bill providing for the settlement of claims amounting to $718,863. The claims were for certain stores and supplies by the court of claims under the act of 1883 known as the "Bowman act."

The opponents of the bill characterized the attempt to bring before the house as a gross violation of all rules and precedents, holding that if the rules committee had power to do so the various committees of the house might just as well be abolished.

The previous question on the rule was ordered, and it was defeated by a vote of 145 to 95.

The Agricultural Bill.

The agricultural bill was taken up and passed. It carries a total appropriation of $3,277,150.

Speaker Crisp laid before the house the correspondence regarding the recent revolt in Honolulu, called for by the resolution, adopted last Friday.

The 26th instant was set apart for the delivery of eulogies upon the life and services of the late Representative Post of Illinois.

It was agreed, at the request of Mr. Springer, that the house should meet at 11 o'clock to-day, Wednesday and Thursday, the days on which the currency bill is to be considered.

In the Senate.

The expected debate in the senate on the financial question did not materialize, as Mr. Gorman (dem., Md.) desired all the time that could be spared to be given to the consideration of the District of Columbia appropriation bill. That bill did occupy the whole of the session up to 6 o'clock, but it did not reach a final vote. In the last moments, just before adjournment, there was an angry altercation between Senators Butler (dem., S. C.) and Chandler (rep., N. H.); but it went no farther than an interchange of disagreeable remarks, they having been cut off by a declaration by the presiding officer (Mr. Blanchard, Dem., La.), that a pending motion for adjournment had been carried. The district appropriation bill went over without action till 1 o'clock to-day.

The status of the other general appropriation bills in the senate is as follows:

In conference—Pensions, fortifications, army. In committee on appropriations—Indian, sundry civil. Reported to the senate and awaiting action—Diplomatic and consular service postoffice. Passed by both houses and became law—Military academy bill.

REBELS CAUSE TROUBLE.

The Capture of Honda—Many Soldiers Killed.

Panama, Feb. 5.—The Star and Herald says: "The rebels attacked the government encampment at Papayo and after hard fighting were defeated and dispersed, leaving many of their number dead on the field. General Reyes, commander of the government forces, has captured Honda, in the state of Tolima. The hebel General Aldana and ninety of his soldiers were killed."

Chief Arthur's Advice.

San Francisco, Feb. 5.—Chief Arthur and the executive committee of the engineers held several conferences with Southern Pacific officials yesterday, but as far as can be learned no adjustment was reached. Chief Arthur's advice now is to accept whatever compromise the men can get, but this is not agreeable to many of the men who favor striking unless the company returns to the old wage schedule.

Ice Obstructs Navigation.

Baltimore, Feb. 5.—Not in years has the ice in the harbor, river and bay been so troublesome as at present and the cold wave which reached here yesterday is likely to increase the obstruction to navigation. Ice, all the way from one to six inches thick, is plentiful from Fort Carroll to Sandy Point and Magothy river, and a number of vessels ready for sea are still in port unable to get out.

Meeting of Creditors.

Buffalo, Feb. 5.—A meeting of the creditors of D. F. Morgan, Son & Allen, who failed last week, was held in the store when a statement of assets and liabilities was submitted. The assets amount to $240,000 and the liabilities to $192,000. A committee was then appointed to compare the stock with the inventory and an adjournment was taken until late this afternoon.

A Clew Obtained.

New Haven, Conn., Feb. 5.—A clew has been obtained regarding the identity of the mail robber who stole the Hartford mail pouch at the railroad station in this city on the evening of Dec. 24 last. Postoffice Inspector O'Brien is in town and is running down the clew.

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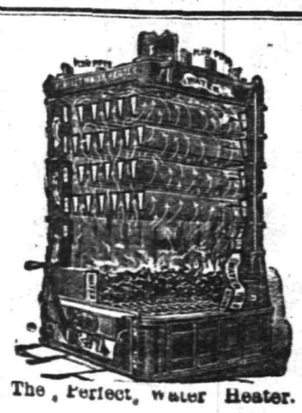

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MAY CAUSE A BLOCKADE

Japs Pressing Forward in the Gulf of Pechili.

Serious Matter for China—Anxiety for Peiyang's Squadron—Tobacco Famine at Port Arthur—Chinese Kill Their Leader—Reconciled to the Situation.

London, Feb. 5.—Since the capture of Wei-Hai-Wei by the Japs it is reported that it is their intention to blockade the gulf of Pechili. The distance across the mouth of the gulf from Port Arthur on the east to Wei-Hai-Wei on the west, is only 110 miles. Twenty ships can easily close it, and they need not be ships of war. Good, swift steamers with a couple of guns on board will amply serve the purpose.

To China the blocking of the gulf would be a very serious matter. Before the days of steamers, Pekin used to procure its supplies of rice and salt by the Grand canal, an inland route, secure against interruption by a foreign enemy. But for the past twenty-five years the capital has depended upon communication by sea and by the Peiho river, and its plight would be emphatically embarrassing were the gulf of Pechili blocked.

Where Is Their Squadron.

All sorts of contradictory rumors are circulated as to the whereabouts of the Peiyang squadron. At one time it is said to be at Snanhaikwan; at another, it is alleged to have escaped from the gulf of Pechili and taken refuge in the Yangtsze river under the guns of the Woosung forts; and then again it is represented as anchored off the Taku fortifications at the mouth of the Reiho river.

But there seems to be no doubt that it is lying in Wei-Hai-Wei. Japanese men-of-war have reconnoitered that formidable fortress at very close quarters, and all report the presence of Admiral Ting's ships.

May Make a Blow at Transports.

Thus varying the painful monotony of his previous inaction. The Japanese hope to be able to intercept him if he seeks to fly from Wei-Hai-Wei, and to force him to stand to his guns once more. But the possibility of accomplishing that is doubtful. It is not easy to imprison ships in a harbor protected by fortresses mounting guns dangerous to an enemy at five miles' range, especially when, as in the case at Wei-Hai-Wei, the entrance to the port is masked by an island. It will be most interesting to observe the manoeuvering of the Japanese fleet to entrap their enemy. They have to work in midwinter among the snow storms and fogs of a proverbially tempestuous sea. Until the Peiyang squadron is wiped out of fighting existence, China will feel that her coasts are not completely at the mercy of the foe.

Tobacco Famine.

Something very like a tobacco famine prevails in Port Arthur, Talien and Autung. The cheapest grade of Japanese leaf purchaseable in Tokio for 10 sen (5 gold cents) a pound, sells in those places for twenty-five times that price. Coolies of the land transport corps recently arrived from Japan, are able to sell whatever tobacco they have brought with them at 2 sen per pipe, which is something like a sen a whiff, the Japanese pipe being a most miniature affair.

The Japanese have found an immense stock of coal at Port Arthur; enough, it is said, to supply the wants of the army and navy for six months. The greater part of the coal is Japanese from which fact it appears that the coal must have been transhipped at Shanghai before hostilities commenced, since the export of Japanese coal to Chinese ports was prohibited.

Latest intelligence from the disturbed district says that the people themselves have killed the Tonghak leader, that his head has been identified by the Japanese sent to quell the insurrection, and that the rebels have dispersed.

Chinese Reconciled.

From Port Arthur, Chincow and Talien comes news that the Chinese civilian inhabitants have become perfectly reconciled to the situation, and are carrying on their usual avocations in peace and contentment. In fact, they are said to have already discovered that Japanese rule, with its freedom from all extortion and its complete guarantees for the security of life and property, is far preferable to Chinese.

The diet resumed its sittings in Tokio on the 8th of January after the New Year's recess. It is plain that all political parties in the diet are agreed as to the expediency of avoiding any semblance of dissension at the present crisis. The diet's session will pass quietly and uneventfully, for the first time in the history of Japanese parliamentary institutions.

His Solemn Oath.

At the instance of Count Inouye, Japanese representative in Seoul, the king of Korea has made solemn oath before the toombs of his ancestors to observe fourteen pledges. His majesty promises to abandon all reliance upon China and hold firmly by the independence of his kingdom; to enact a law of royal succession clearly distinguishable between the sovereign house and its branches.

Will Sell Under Foreclosure.

Philadelphia, Feb. 5.—The home office of the Western New York & Pennsylvania railroad, which will be sold under foreclosure at Pittsburg to-day, is in this city. R. G. Decoursey, the receiver of the road, was formerly president and was appointed to his present position when the road went into a receiver's hands in 1893. The foreclosure sale was not unexpected as it is a part of the plan of reorganization and the reorganization committee will buy the road in for the present stockholders.

Military School Destroyed by Fire.

Terre Haute, Ind., Feb. 5.—The Culver academy, a military school on the shore of Lake Maxincukee in Marshall county, was destroyed by fire yesterday. No lives were lost.

CHARGES UNFOUNDED.

Statement of the Lloyd Company Regarding the Elbe's Officers.

New York, Feb. 5.—The agents of the North German Lloyd sent the following statement to the press regarding charges made against the officers and crew of the Elbe, and the London agents of the company by three of the passengers who survived the disaster:

"The charges that have been made are unfounded according to our investigations. Nobody saw Hofman's child in boat No. 2. When the port side boat No. 6, which contained Miss Boecker, besides other passengers, was filled by the waves in lowering, the orders were heard that women and children should be taken to boats on the starboard side where they found protection against the strong wind, the starboard being the lee side. The assistant purser, the steward Kobe and Third Officer Stollberg drew Miss Boecker into the boat No. 2.

"Miss Boecker writes as follows:

"'Kobe is one of the men who saved me. Order prevailed on deck. There were very few cries heard. I had hold of a piece of lumber and cried for help when the lifeboat was in my neighborhood. I was observed and an oar was stretched out to me. My dress was so heavy from the water that the men did not succeed until after considerable time in drawing me into the boat. Capable seamen were in the boat who fought courageously against storm and waves.'

"Vevara's statement is apparently correct. His niece was not a cabin passenger but a steerage passenger and was in the forward steerage in the compartment for single women.

"Keller, Wallis & Co., agents of North German Lloyd in London, telegraph:

"'Three passengers received from us three pounds each to pay their fares, London to Liverpool and little extras. All their expenses up to leaving London for Liverpool being also paid by us and clothing supplied them at Lowestoft. They were second class on the Elbe but we forwarded them in first cabin on the Umbria. The United States consul general tells us that passengers applied to him for advice as to accepting our offer of passage on the Umbria. He says they expressed no desire to make any official statement nor made none nor any complaints.'"

THE QUEEN'S SPEECH.

Wishes To Promote Peace Between China and Japan.

London, Feb. 5.—The queen's speech on the occasion of the opening of parliament to-day was read at the ministerial banquets last night. The document refers to the continued efforts to promote peace between China and Japan, the conclusion of the treaty with France in regard to the African Hinterland, and the prospect of an early settlement of the question of the Russia nboundary line in Central Asia.

The speech also expresses regret at the Armenian outrages, asks for an increase of the financial provision for strengthening the navy. The bill programme makes no reference to the question of the veto power of the house of lords. The Irish land bill is placed before the Welsh church disestablishment bill.

LEHIGH VALLEY EMPLOYES.

Discontented Men May Cause a Sympathetic Strike.

Wilkesbarre, Pa., Feb. 5.—The Lehigh Valley officials make no secret of the fact that they fear discontented employes at the prospect shaft will gradually induce the men of the company's other mines hereabouts to quit work. Committees from the Prospect company men have been secretly visiting the Harry E. and Forty Foot collieries with this purpose in view.

Their efforts, however, show no success but it would not be a surprise if the miners visited should suddenly go out on a sympathetic strike. Such action on the part of Lehigh Valley miners would probably affect other workings. The Prospect men quit work without assigning any cause of grievance and thus far they have not sought a conference with the officials.

Had McAllister a Will?

New York, Feb. 5.—According to court proceedings there is doubt whether Ward McAllister left a will. Lawyer Henry H. Anderson appeared in the surrogate's court and got an order allowing him to open the private safe of Mr. McAllister in the presence of the secretary or president of the Mercantile Safe Deposit company, where the safe is. Lawyer Anderson made affidavit that Mrs. McAllister and the children did not know whether Ward McAllister left a will or not. Mrs. McAllister has given Lawyer Anderson the key and combination to the safe.

Receiver Appointed.

Riverhead, L. I., Feb. 5.—There has been a voluntary dissolution of the Long Island Steamboat company. Captain Samuel Griffin is made temporary receiver. The company is owner of the steel steamer Long Island, which runs between Sag Harbor, Greenpoint and New London. The Long Island was built two years ago, at a cost of $60,000.

The Debs Trial.

Chicago, Feb. 5.—Several out-of-town witnesses were examined at the session of the Deb's trial. They testified to scenes of violence. The defense objected to this whole line of testimony on the ground that the acts were committed outside of the jurisdiction of the court trying the case. The objection was overruled.

Kittanning in Peril.

Kittanning, Pa., Feb. 5.—Arthur Kirk, of Pittsburg, who superintended the dynamiting of the ice gorge for the Ford City company, believes Kittanning will be swept away by the unexpected flood.

Will Resume Work.

Warren, O., Feb. 5.—An agreement has been reached between the Niles Tin Plate manufacturers and their employes and the plant will be started to-day after a long idleness.

Hamilton Bank Is Solvent.

New York, Feb. 5.—President Clark, of the American Exchange bank, says that the Hamilton bank of Brooklyn is solvent and its finances sound in every respect.

LABOR MEN DISPERSED

No Demonstration Allowed at Brooklyn's City Hall.

Crowds Forced To Move on—Thousands Assemble on the Streets of the City—Heads Cracked by the Police—Wires Cut—Large Numbers Sign the Petition.

Brooklyn, N. Y., Feb. 5.—It was 1:20 p. m., when word was given the strikers who were assembled at their headquarters, Mugge's hall, to march upon the city hall. There were 300 people in the building and as many more in the street in front. They swung into Fulton street and started down toward the seat of municipal government. The men marched by twos, threes or by the half dozen. People on the sidewalks cheered them, and the men cheered back except when a trolley car manned by non-union men dashed through their ranks. Then they shouted "scab!" and shook their fists at motormen and conductors.

Several hundred men who were hanging about the saloons and street corners in the vicinity of the city hall joined the procession, so when the crowd entered city hall square, it was about 1,000 strong. Scattered about the triangular opening in which the city hall stands were nearly 1,000 people attracted out of curiosity and who were kept moving along the sidewalks by 200 policemen, under Captains Campbell, Short, Brennan and Leavey. Inspector McKeller was in charge of the police arrangements. He had a squad of twenty-five mounted police in reserve in the yard back of the municipal building, and 100 patrolmen in the First precinct station house about three blocks away.

It was 1:45 p. m., when the procession reached the city hall. It passed down Fulton street to its junction with Court street and turning the sharp angle passed up Court street until the procession was lapped about the little three-cornered plaza in the centre of which the bronze statue of Henry Ward Beecher stands. Then the men halted. They stood in the street facing the city hall, and pressed forward as if to overcome the few policemen on the plaza. For a moment there was something like a crowd in front of the city hall.

Probably two thousand people faced the main entrance. Then one hundred bluecoats held in reserve at the station house marched upon the plaza, and deploying to the right and left with night sticks drawn, pushed the crowd back to the opposite curb. The mounted police in two detachments rode through Fulton and Court streets and helped drive the people from in front of the city hall.

The Crowd Melted Away.

There was only one case of actual clubbing. One of the mounted officers not satisfied with the slow movements of the men on Court street near Montague, swung his club and struck Peter McDonald, laying open his scalp. The man was taken to the station house and his wound was dressed by an ambulance surgeon. Daniel Linden was arrested at Fulton street and Boerum Place for refusing to move on.

The crowd was forced into the side streets off the square and at 2 o'clock the space around the city hall was clear. Martin J. Connelly did not march to the city hall with his followers. He waited until 2:30 when he entered the city hall by the rear door. Under his arm, wrapped in a newspaper, was a bundle of petitions which he said numbered 3,000 and contained over 50,000 names, secured yesterday. He found two or three labor leaders in the lobby of the city hall. Accompanied by Collins and Holbrook, of the executive committee, Connelly entered the common council chamber and handed his petitions and the resolution he desired passed to Alderman Walsh. The committee then withdrew.

The council chamber was filled with strikers and their friends, on hand to see what disposition the city fathers would make of the resolution to revoke the licenses and franchises of the Brooklyn City and Atlantic Avenue Railroad companies.

Three Thousand Petition.

After considerable routine business had been transacted, Alderman A. T. Walsh sent up to the desk a preamble and resolution, accompanied by 3,000 petitions praying for its passage, demanding the revocation of the franchises and licenses of the Brooklyn City and Atlantic Avenue railroads. The preamble recited that the common council of the city of Brooklyn had granted to the Brooklyn City Railroad company and the Atlantic Avenue Railroad company leave to construct, maintain and operate certain surface car lines, by means of animal power, through various streets and avenues of Brooklyn, for the accommodation and benefit of the citizens and taxpayers of the city, and had, by resolution of Jan. 11, 1892, granted the companies leave to change their motive power from animal to electricity; and that since Jan. 15, 1895, the companies have failed to operate their lines, and have placed whatever cars have been operated in the control of unskilled, inexperienced and incapable motormen.

Received a Scalp Wound.

Aside from the gathering at the city hall, there was no change in the strike situation. Two or three assaults upon motormen and conductors were reported and several collisions between trolley cars and trucks occurred. One motorman was sent to the hospital with a scalp wound, inflicted by strikers and the police furnished the surgeons with two cases for scalp treatment.

The February grand jury was sworn in and charged to see to it that whoever trampled upon the law be brought to justice. Justice Gaynor granted a writ of alternative mandamus against the Atlantic Avenue Railroad company.

Shot His Sister-in-Law.

Peoria, Ill., Feb. 5.—Family troubles caused Frank Atkinson, a railroad brakeman, to shoot his sister-in-law, Lena Sitter, killing her instantly. Then he shot himself three times, twice in the breast and once in the head, inflicting fatal wounds.

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The editor of the Republican organ was revealed in no pleasant light by the Finance Committee of the Council last night, when it was shown that the bill which he had pronounced irregular had been paid on the strength of his official signature as city auditor. In his abuse of the Mayor, Council and Police Department, the ring-organ editor has involved himself in a tangle which recalls the old saying, 'Give him rope enough"—

PARTICULAR MENTION.

Clarence Sutphen," who has been ill with the grip, is able to be about again.

Miss Lulu Patton entertained the Elizabeth Social Club at her home last evening.

Joseph E. Morse of Franklin place is out again after a severe attack of the grip.

"Doc", the horse belonging to Alert Hose Company, is quite sick with cold and colic.

Mr. and Mrs. Fredicks of LaGrande avenue have moved to their old home in Montclair.

T. H. Keller went South today on a business tour of Charleston, Lynchburg and Savannah.

Harold Armstrong of LaGrande avenue is able to be out again after a severe attack of the grip.

Miss Jessamy Harte of Putnam avenue is able to be out again after a severe attack of the grip.

William H. Brower of Watchung avenue, who has been ill for several weeks, has had a relapse.

Mrs. Whitney of Central avenue and Fourth street is able to be out again after a severe attack of the grip.

The many friends of William DeLong of Sandford avenue will be glad to know that he is somewhat improved.

The funeral of Nathan A. Scribner will take place at his late residence, on Rock road, tomorrow afternoon at 2:30.

Mr. and Mrs. Alonzo T. Ayers have the sympathy of the community in the loss of their little son Arthur, from diphtheria.

E. Frank Vail of Franklin place, assistant of his father, J. T. Vail, real estate broker, is out again after an attack of the grip.

J. B. Mills and family of Watchung avenue have returned to their home after a short visit with friends in the mountains.

Mrs. Moore of Westervelt avenue was pleasantly surprised by a party of young people last evening, and she hospitably entertained them.

Miss Lucie P. Davis has returned to her home on East Fifth street after a short visit with her friend Miss Pearl Edgerton of Brooklyn.

Miss Jennie Wyckoff of Clinton, who has been spending a few days with her friend Miss Addie Lewis of Grove street, returned home this morning.

Miss Grace Miller of Park avenue has returned to her studies in the High School after being confined to her home several days on account of illness.

Miss Maud Lowrie of Park avenue has gone to Bayonne, where she will spend the coming week with her sister, Mrs. Searles, formerly of East Front street.

Henry Perrine and family, and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Sneider have moved from 220 West Second street, to Fourth street between Church street and Watchung avenue.

Walter Masterson of the New York Sun called on his friend F. L. C. Martin today. He was called to Plainfield to attend the funeral services of his departed friend, A. G. Slevin.

Mr. and Mrs. Wright, who have been staying with their kinsmen, Col. and Mrs. Mason W. Tyler of West Seventh street, are about to occupy their new home on West Eighth street, next to the handsome residence of Ernest Ackerman.

Mrs. J. E. Townsend has received the sad news of the death of her mother, which occurred Thursday evening in Poughkeepsie. She was attending a social gathering, was taken ill, and died in less than half an hour. The funeral services were held Sunday.

PLAINFIELD HEARS "FAUST".

Reader Riddle and Organist Taft Give a Finished and Artistic Rendition.

The Seventh-Day Baptist Church was crowded to its utmost capacity yesterday afternoon by the members of the Monday Afternoon Club and their guests who had come from the remotest parts of town to hear George Riddle read from Goethe's "Faust". By 3, the time set for the reading, there was not a seat to be had in any part of the body of the church, and people were obliged to content themselves with chairs in the church parlors, where it was impossible even to see the reading desk, but Mr. Riddle's voice made even such seats far preferable to absence, as it carried to the farthest corners with great ease and perfect clearness. The audience consisted of about 900 women and 9 men, the latter being fully repaid for their temerity by Mr. Riddle's delightful performance and the excellent music by Mr. Taft which accompanied it.

George Riddle is too-well known among cultivated people to need any introduction here, and any criticism of his reading would be presumptuous; suffice it to say that his selections from the poem were most fortunate. He read all the more dramatic portions, and succeeded in keeping the thread of the story, although of course but very little of the poem could be read in the limited time at his disposal. Among the scenes that he read were: Faust's Soliloquy, the first scene of the play as of the opera; Faust and the Poodle, The Invocation, Faust and Mephistopheles; The vision of Margaret; Mephistopheles and the Witches; The rejuvenation of Faust; The Garden scene, and the presentation of the casket in Margaret's room; Mephistopheles' Serenade and the duel between Faust and Valentine; Margaret's repentance; The Cathedral scene; The scene in the Dungeon, and the final deliverance of Margaret by the Heavenly Hosts and the worsting of Mephistopheles.

Mr. Riddle's control of voice and variety of gesture were shown to best advantage in the scene with the witches, which was a truly remarkable performance. His Mephistophelian laugh together with a most sinister expression which he assumed while reading the devil's lines provoked many rounds of applause. Taken altogether his reading was a most finished and artistic preformance.

The music by Frank Taft of New York was a pleasant feature of the afternoon, and the new organ of the Seventh-Day Baptist Church was heard to great advantage. His selections were chiefly from Gounod's Faust, but he also played some of the music from Berlioz's "Damnation of Faust", and one of Schubert's songs. Many people were inconsiderate enough to talk through the music numbers so that the pianissimo passages were completely drowned out several times. The ballet music and the grand march received the most applause probably because they were recognized, certainly not on their merits, while the trio and finale from the fifth act, which is one of the most beautiful parts of the opera, was made entirely ineffective by the ill-timed applause when Mr. Riddle sat down for the last time.

Taken altogether, however, the afternoon was one of the most successful of the many delightful ones provided by the managers of the Monday Afternoon Club, to whom is due a vote of thanks for this campaign against unculture.

EARLY INTELLIGENCE.

—The Emerald Beneficial Association will meet tomorrow night in the Young Men's Lyceum.

—Spite of Devoe's predictions for a mild day, this is zero weather, nd coldest day of the season.

—Music Hall was crowded last night and everybody said 'twas the greatest show that even George Thatcher had ever produced.

—Kayser's pond is again the scene of pleasure and fun. The large trees have kept the snow from falling on the ice, and skating is fine.

—Three cents isn't much, but it buys a lot at the special sale in Boehm's basement. On the ground floor are many bargains, and the great coat sale attracts women who want to be warmly and stylishly clad.

—A horse belonging to Huff, the borough liveryman, fell this noon at Park avenue and Second street, and had to be unharnessed before he could regain his feet.

The Arthurs Acquitted.

Yesterday before the Criminal Court in New Brunswick David Arthur, Walter Arthur, and David Arthur, Jr., of North Plainfield, were placed on trial for the alleged stealing of doors, sashes and blinds from a building at Iselin. The State was represented by Senator Adrain and the defendants were represented by Geo. W. DeMeza. After a long and tedious trial the case was presented to the jury. The Court instructed the jury to render a verdict without leaving their seats. The jury immediately returned a verdict of not guilty.

O. W. O. Hardman, sheriff of Tyler Co., W. Va., appreciates a good thing and does not hesitate to say so. He was almost prostrated with a cold when he procured a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. He says: "It gave me prompt relief. I find it to be an invaluable remedy for coughs and colds." For sale at Reynolds's pharmacy, Park and North ends. T. S. Armstrong, manager.

AT REST

Andrew G. Slevin.

The funeral obsequies of the late A. G Slevin were held in St. Mary's Church at 10 this morning, Rev. Father Smyth being the celebrant. Surpliced acolytes were in attendance and the full choir was present. A profusion of beautiful flowers filled the atmosphere with their sweetness.

By the special request of decedent's mother, Miss May Flanagan sang Calvary, the rendition being very solemn and effective.

In the sanctuary there were present Very Rev. Father O'Connor, Vice General of the Diocese, of Seton Hall College, and Rev. Father Stafford, also of Seton Hall, both of whom have been friends of the decedent's family for years.

Rev. Father Murphy preached the funeral sermon, taking as his text John xi: 23-25. "Jesus said unto her, thy brother shall rise again, * * * I am the resurrection and the life, he that believeth in Me though he were dead, yet shall he live."

Speaking briefly of the somewhat unusual circumstance of a minister of the church delivering a funeral sermon Father Murphy alluded most feelingly to the great and almost overpowering sorrow which fills the heart on so sad an occasion, and reminded his hearers of the great consolation afforded by an unwavering faith in religion. No words of holy writ seem better calculated to console the sorrow-stricken soul than those of the text. The immortal soul awakens to true life, and death is swallowed up in victory.

The words of Holy Job should be the words of every Christian soul, "I know that my Redeemer liveth". The memory of the short but fruitful life of him to whom we here pay the last tribute of love, and who was at once a scrupulous attendant at church, a devoted son, a loving brother, a grand husband and a model citizen, cannot but be a sacred one to all who knew him, and we surely have every reason to hope that he found eternal peace with God.

—The Verdi Ladies Quartette and Miss Addie Parker Jackson will entertain the public in Y. M. C. A. Hall tonight.

—J. H. MacVey, the restaurateur, entertained two large sleighing parties late last night. One was from Greenbrook, and one from New Brunswick. The Brunswickers were a dove party of 24, and the Greenbrookers were 10 hungry pleasure-seekers. Mac gave them all a royal feast.

—The little shop around the corner. Whose? Townsend's granite works. We do not advertise to undersell all other dealers, nor to run the largest shop in the State. We would be glad to show you work and give you prices as low as is consistent with good work and material. Our motto is good work, good material, at fair prices. Townsend.

$100 Reward $100.

The reader of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly on the blood and mucous surface of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer $100 for any case that it fails to cure.

Send for list of testimonial.

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Sold by druggists, 75c.

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IN THE
NEW Y. M. C. A HALL,
TONIGHT.
Verdi Ladies Quartette
of Brooklyn.
MISS ADDIE PARKER JACKSON,
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Admission.....50 cents
Reserved seats.....75 cents

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Save your pennies, the dollars will take care of themselves.

Buy your Muslins now at the following prices:

Bleached Pillow Muslins.

1¼ yard wide.....8c yd
1¼ yard wide.....9c yd
1½ yard wide.....11c yd

Bleached Sheeting Muslins

2 yards wide.....14c yd
2¼ yards wide.....15c yd
2½ yards wide.....16c yd

One Yard Wide Bleached Muslins.

Fruit of Loom, Dwight Anchor, Hill, Lonsdale, Barker, Gold Medal, Arcade, extra heavy, all at...6½c yd

Van Emburgh,

Corner Store, Babcock Building.

REMOVAL.

Dr. Lighthill begs leave to give notice that he has removed to

NO. 132 CRESCENT AVE.

(a few doors from his former location) where he can be consulted on all chronic diseases of whatever name and nature.

Dr. Lighthill refers with pardonable pride to the success of his practice in Plainfield and submits below a few of the many testimonials which he has received from grateful patients. A mass of similar ones can be seen at his office.

AN ALMOST MIRACULOUS CURE.

The Statement of Mr. Edward Teel, Jr., of Dunellen, N. J.

TO THE PUBLIC:

From a sense of duty I desire to call public attention to the almost miraculous cure which Dr. Lighthill effected in the case of my wife. For eleven years she had been afflicted with piles of an unusual severe and distressing character. She suffered every day of her life the most intense pain, attended with frequent and profuse hemorrhage. This state of things debilitated her entire system until she became a perfect wreck of her former self.

We made every effort to obtain a cure but they all resulted in bitter disappointment, although a number of physicians of excellent reputations for skill in that direction had treated her case. She grew worse and worse all the time, the pain became perfectly unbearable and I felt she could not bear the strain of her condition much longer. In this extremity, a friend of mine, Mr. W. E. Dilts, a resident of Roselle, N. J., a passenger conductor on the New Jersey Central told me that he had been similarly affected, and had been permanently cured by Dr. Lighthill, after other medical skill had failed. He assured me that the doctor would cure my wife, no matter how severe her case may be, and his prediction proved perfectly correct. In spite of her desperate condition, Dr. Lighthill, I am glad to say, has effected a complete and perfect cure in her case, and has given her new life.

Since the cure has been effected she has gained in health and strength and is so improved in appearance that her friends scarcely recognize her. They all consider her cure as almost miraculous, and Dr. Lighthill's praise is heard on every side. Our gratitude to Dr. Lighthill is unbounded and we only hope that other sufferers may be benefited by this publication.

EDWARD TEEL, JR.

A Flattering Testimonial from Colonel John Dietrich, One of Plainfield's Oldest and Best Known Residents.

16 ARLINGTON PLACE,
Plainfield, N. J., July 17, 1894.

I am profoundly grateful to Dr. Lighthill for his speedy and radical cure of a most painful malady of over ten years standing with which I was afflicted.

I deem it proper to say to all afflicted to place themselves under the care of this skilful physician and be permanently cured.

I will cheerfully impart any information I possess when called upon.

JOHN DIETRICH.

Mr. Thomas Callahan of No. 214 Richmond street Cured of a Very Distressing Trouble by Dr. Lighthill.

PLAINFIELD, N. J., June 3, 1894.

TO THE PUBLIC:

For some time past I have been greatly distressed with noises in the head. They were all over my head and troubled me constantly; they were loudest at night when everything was quiet and at such times would often keep me from sleep and disturb my rest. In fact they got to be so bad and distressing that they affected my whole nervous system as well as my health. I did not obtain the least relief until I placed myself under the care of Dr. Lighthill, of No. 132 Crescent avenue, who effected a complete cure in my case in a short time and made me a very happy man.

THOMAS CALLAHAN,
214 Richmond street.

A Card From Mr. T. R. VanZandt,
of Nos. 304 and 306 Park ave.,
Plainfield, N. J.

I certify with pleasure that Dr. Lighthill has effectually cured me of a most painful case of piles. For some time past I had been subject to its attacks, but the last attack was so exceedingly painful that it completely upset my whole system. The pain extended to my legs and in many other directions, and made me so nervous that I could neither sleep, sit down, lie down or move about without serious discomfort and distress. Such was my condition when I applied to Dr. Lighthill for relief, and I am glad to say that as soon as he took hold of my case, I began to improve, and in a short time found myself completely cured. Dr. Lighthill has also effected a radical and permanent cure in a most terrible case of piles on my cousin, Mr. J. V. Z. Griggs, of Rocky Hill, N. J., whose flattering testimonial is in Dr. Lighthill's possession.

T. R. VAN ZANDT,
304 and 306 Park avenue.

Dr. Lighthill

can be consulted daily (except Thursdays) on all CHRONIC, OBSTINATE AND COMPLICATED diseases of the human system of whatever name and nature, at his office and residence,

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Foremost for choice styles and excellent work on fine cloth.

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Will close the balance of $12 suits for $8.

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Children's overcoats and school suits at cost.

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In Our Big Basement.

Good quality laundry soap.....3c cake
Town Talk soap powder.....3c box
Clothes pins, all perfect.....7c hundred
Clothes line.....½c yard
Sad irons, all sizes.....3c lb
Wash boards.....12c each
Wash tubs, clear cedar, small 43c; medium 53c; large 63c.
Wash boilers, round, tin bottom.....19c each
" No. 7, oval copper bottom.....59c each
" " 8, " " .....69c each

Grand Opening Week!

FOR THE WEEK.

Irish point embroidery, 5 inches wide, from 21c up.

One lot of Ribbons from 1 to 3½ inches wide, all at the uniform price of 5c yard. Some sold as high as 20 cents a yard.

Torschon lace from 3c a yard up

A good shield for 6c a pair.

A good corset 19c a pair.

A full line of wash silks at 35c a yard.

60 inch black Cravenette, special value $1.25.

A full line of ginghams, newest styles, 12c.

"Drap de Vienna"—the latest—14 cents a yard.

Dimities from 10c to 25c; a full assortment.

40-inch all-linen damask towels, knotted fringe, 24c.

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For All Day.

FOR MONDAY—
Extra value Victoria lawn 7c.

FOR TUESDAY—
56 in. half bleached table linen 31c

FOR WEDNESDAY—
A good unbleached Canton flannel 6½c yd.

FOR THURSDAY—
A fine quality crochet counterpane 59 cents.

FOR FRIDAY—
One lot Hamburg edging 4c.

☞We guarantee these goods to be first-class and as represented.

Cork Filled

During this month we will offer all of our Burt & Packard

Double Sole Cork Filled Men's

$5 Shoes for $3.98 per Pair.

Just the shoe for you to wear without rubbers up to the first of May. Sizes 5 to 11; widths B to E; styles, narrow, round and Common Sense toes.

☞See our window Saturday for specials.

DOANE & [illegible]

VILLANELLE.

Down the dear old lane where we always meet,
With its hedges tall and its grassy way,
Comes Ethel, blushing, her lover to greet.

The bracken is tall and the wild rose sweet,
And the air is scented with new mown hay,
Down the dear old lane where we always meet.

In a simple frock, so pretty and neat,
With a face as fresh and fair as the day,
Comes Ethel, blushing, her lover to greet.

There's an old gray stone makes a mossy seat,
With a bank behind, where butterflies stray,
Down the dear old lane where we always meet.

Daintily tripping on dainty, wee feet,
With an innocent haste that brooks no delay,
Comes Ethel, blushing, her lover to greet.

There's a thrill that quickens my heart's quick beat,
And I fain would think 'twill ever be May.
Down the dear old lane where we always meet
Comes Ethel, blushing, her lover to greet.
—Holt Shafto in Chambers' Journal.

DEATH'S RED LIGHT.

It Was Waved at an Engineer, Betokening His Mother's Demise.

"The most peculiar case I ever heard of," said a telegraph operator, "occurred in our family. My father was an engineer on the Chesapeake and Ohio railroad, running into Richmond. One night while quite a distance from the latter city and nearing his run he saw a bright red light on the track several hundred yards ahead. The signal was also seen by his fireman and the front brakeman. The train was at once stopped, but not a trace of the signalman or light could be found, and the track was all right. Father looked at his watch and noted that the time was 8 o'clock. The train pulled out, proceeding cautiously for some distance without meeting any obstruction. Several miles farther the light was again seen. Once more stopping, another search was made, with no more success than before. This happened at 8:28. Father was never superstitious, but this was inexplicable. Much mystified, he proceeded on the way, only to be stopped a third time by the red light at 8:51 o'clock. Another search by the crew failed to disclose the slightest trace of the mysterious signalman. Finally, giving up the search, the men returned to their posts, and the train at last pulled up into Richmond without further mishap.

"When father alighted from the cab, a telegram was handed him announcing the death of his mother. Without delay he went to her home, which was several miles out of the city, on the railroad. Soon after his arrival he learned that a telegram had been sent to him while he was out on duty, summoning him to grandmother's bedside. The time at which father had seen the mysterious red lights was indelibly impressed on his memory, and he learned upon inquiry that at precisely the minute at which the first red light was seen she had asked if he had come. She then repeated the question at the time he saw the second light, and the appearance of the third light was simultaneous with her death."—Richmond Times.

The Writers Froude Liked.

"Whom do you rank as the first of modern English prose writers?" asked Mr. Froude as we were strolling one afternoon in Chelsea. Had Lord Tennyson suddenly demanded to know whom I thought to be the greatest poet of the day I could not have been more dumfounded. Noting my hesitation and perhaps guessing its cause, Mr. Froude quickly added: "Ah! I naturally thought you would say Ruskin, who is certainly a master of descriptive writing, at his best exquisite. Newman, too (and Matthew Arnold in a lesser degree), had lucidity and the gift of irony, but lacked glow and color. To me he is always cold. My own favorite is Charles Lamb."

Seeing that I was greatly interested, he went on to point out the beauties of "Dream Children" and then quoted the lovely passage in "The New Year's Eve" beginning, "And you, my midnight darlings, my Folios." That, he said, was the high water mark of modern English prose, equal to anything of the seventeenth century, "the English as pure and beautiful as that of the liturgy itself."

Mr. Froude was a great admirer of Bret Harte. "Tennessee's Pardner" and "The Luck of Roaring Camp" he used to declare were of the immortals. When I once said I feared that Mr. Bret Harte was no longer the fashion, Froude merely replied, "So much the worse for the fashion." In this appreciation of the American story teller, as well as in his affection for Charles Lamb and his respect for Mr. Chamberlain, we see that Froude was no thrall to academic convention.—National Review.

Professional Services.

As two men were looking from an office window on Griswwold street the other morning a shriveled up old fellow passed by.

"See that party?" said one. "Well, he's the meanest man in the state."

"Who is he, and why is he so mean?"

"He's a lawyer in one of the interior towns where they have bobtail cars, and one day while he was riding up town a lame man on the car gave him a dime and asked him to pay his fare for him. He did as requested and then wanted to keep the other nickel as a fee for professional services."—Detroit Free Press.

Women's Ages.

Somebody has discovered the curious fact that the reluctance of women to tell their age is no piece of modern sensitiveness. It is as old as the hills. In the Old Testament, although great numbers of women are mentioned, there is but one—Sarah, Abraham's wife—whose age is recorded.—New York Times.

Augustus paid for a grouse 30 cents; dove, 24 cents; partridge, 48 cents; duck, 60 cents; fat goose, $3; hare, $2.20 pheasant, $1.60.

No kind of wheat now known exactly resembles that found in the coffins of the old Egyptians.

When it rains cats and dogs, it may fairly be called beastly weather.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U.S. Gov't Report

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1694--1658.

A HARD-FOUGHT BATTLE ON THE PLAINFIELD ALLEYS.

Highest Score Ever Made in Town in a League Contest.

If Plainfield's bowling enthusiasts had known what kind of champion rolling was to be exhibited at the Trade Temple alleys last evening Crescent Oval would not have been half large enough to hold the crowd. As it was, only about 150 were present.

1—6—9—4 pins by a ten-man team, and a Plainfield team at that! Not a single poor score in the lot, everyone stars. You don't know what you missed, and we can't begin to tell you, but it was on both sides as pretty an exhibit of good sound headwork, holding under almost perfect control the accurate eye and the trained muscle which is so necessary for the successful bowler, as was ever seen in Plainfield. The Kulls played what would have been winning bowls under ordinary circumstances, and had they but kept the pace they set at the start their score would have been well up in the seventeen hundreds. But they were pulling too many strokes to the minute to last throughout the race, and the spurt which they made as the pistol went off was gradually decreased by the local athletes until the turning stake was just ahead, when the Plainfield boys quickened their stroke and shot ahead, starting on the homestretch with 26 pins to the good.

The boys were bending to the oars with might and main, indeed nothing else would have done, for the Kulls were close in their wake and in the ninth their boat shot ahead to the tune of 27 pins and the finish line only one frame off and apparently within easy reach for the Elizabeth boys if they could only hold their stroke. But they reckoned without their host, as the result will show. The Plainfield bowlers don't know to this moment how they did it, but every man of them set his teeth a little firmer, took a reef in his belt, chalked his shoe a little more carefully and bowled like a fiend, just as if the entire game was on his own individual shoulders. Nothing short of a fire or the sight of a delinquent tax bill could have stopped the cyclone which buried the Elizabeth boys under sixty-three pins to the good, and resulted in a victory for Plainfield of 36 pins in the unusual total of 1694-1658. The garrison finish of both Van Alstyne and Vail, the former with two strikes and a total of 27, the latter with three strikes and a total of 30 just set the crowd crazy with enthusiasm, even their opponents joining in the yells which followed. Our boys could not be blamed for their happiness for every pin was fiercely fought for and it was anyone's game until it was over, yet it was hardly kind to the visitors who had not quite completed their frame to make them sit on the balls for fully five minutes while the crowd ran around on all sides of them yelling themselves hoarse and throwing their hats into the air in their delight. The Arthur Kulls took it all in good part, however, and after finishing their game congratulated the victors before leaving for home.

The game throughout was replete with star plays on both sides, but the most wonderful work was that of "Dark Horse" Titsworth, who made the phenomenal record of 206 pins, having 6 strikes and 2 spares, with only two breaks. Titsworth has been a "Colt", this being the first League tourney in which he has played this season, but he certainly set the pace for nineteen other good ones last night, and if he keeps on will yet hold the record score. Walters got the place with 193 and Van Alstyne and Vail were nearly neck and neck for third honors. It was a great game, if any one should drive up in a tally-ho and ask you—and you don't know what you missed.

H. H. Coward and G. W. Cooley manipulated the pencils for their respective clubs, and the score follows:

PLAINFIELD.		ARTHUR KULLS.	
VanEmburgh	142	Darling	191
Buckle	172	J. Ken	148
Titsworth	206	Good	160
Maltby	169	A. Kerr	193
Petrie	152	Cooley	154
Wilbur	142	C. Moore	164
Pope	148	Overton	115
VanAlstyne	187	Husband	157
Watters	193	G. Hand	185
Vail	183	Whittam	201
	1694		1658

BY FRAMES.

Plainfi'd	160	333	505	686	863	1017	1150	1303	1504	1694
A. K's	217	397	549	698	839	994	1135	1280	1531	1658

Scorers—H. H. Coward, G. W. Cooley.

—Everybody in town deals at Peck's—that is, everybody who wants good goods and value for the money.

Mrs. T. S. Hawkins, Chattanooga, Tenn., says: "Shiloh's Vitalizer saved my life; I consider it the best remedy for a debilitated system I ever used. For dyspepsia, liver or kidney trouble it excels; 75c. Sold by all druggists.

Shiloh's cure is sold on a guarantee. It cures incipient consumption; it is the best cough cure, only 1c a dose; 25, 50c, $1. Sold by all druggists.

Karl's Clover Root, the great blood purifier, gives freshness and clearness to the complexion and cures constipation; 25c 50c, $1. Sold by all druggists.

THE WEATHER.

Fair Tomorrow; Colder Wednesday Morning; Northwesterly Winds; Diminishing.

Christian Endeavor Day.

A large double chorus will furnish the music for the service in the chapel of the First Presbyterian Church Wednesday evening, in celebration of Christian Endeavor Day.

Rev. Thornton B. Penfield, secretary of young people's work of the Home Mission Board, will make the address.

DeMeza Wins.

The case of Jean Salzman of Perth Amboy, on trial for stealing cloth from a local dry-goods house, came up in New Brunswick last week. Robert Adrian represented the State, and the defendant was represented by George DeMeza. The jury disagreed, which is a practical victory for Mr. DeMeza's client.

The press is the best instrument for enlightening the mind of man and improving him as a rational, moral and social being.—*Thomas Jefferson.*

Busier Than the Bee.

How doth the little busy ad
Improve each shining minute,
And gather dollars, dimes and cents
For the merchant who is in it.

A man one time a good thing had
Which people would have prized,
But he never sold a single one,
For he never advertised.

Through the Draw.

Milwaukee, Feb. 5.—A trolley car on the Russell avenue and Holton street line ran through the open draw of the Kinnikinac bridge yesterday. The car struck endwise on the ice, through which it plunged into the water. The motorman and two passengers lost their lives.

A Des Moines woman who has been troubled with frequent colds, concluded to try an old remedy in a new way, and accordingly took a tablespoonful (four times the usual dose) of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy just before going to bed. The next morning she found that her cold had almost entirely disappeared. During the day she took a few doses of the remedy (one teaspoonful at a time) and at night again took a tablespoonful before going to bed, and on the following morning awoke free from all symptoms of the cold. Since then she has, on several occasions, used this remedy in like manner with the same good results, and is much elated over her discovery of so quick a way of curing a cold. For sale at Reynolds's pharmacy, Park and North aves. T. S. Armstrong, manager.

DEATHS.

SCRIBNER—On Monday, Feb. 4, 1895, Nathan A. Scribner, aged 80 years. Funeral at residence, Rock road, Wednesday, Feb. 6, at 2:30 p. m.

AYERS—In this city Feb. 5, 1895, Arthur A., son of Alonzo T. and Ella Ayers, aged 4 years, 6 months and 19 days. Funeral private.

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CLAIRVOYANT
Mrs. Dr. Edwards
Will remain one week longer until 7 a. m.,
Saturday. February 9.
Will leave positively on that date.
CITY HOTEL, ROOM 2,
one flight up. See sign up stairs. Ladies 50c. to $1.00. Gentlemen $1.00. Office hours from 9 a. m. to 9 p. m.
Can be consulted at the City Hotel, Room ... up.

NOW ON HAND,
Diphtheria Antitoxine.
FOR IMMEDIATE DELIVERY.
So limited has been the supply of GENUINE ANTITOXINE heretofore, that sales have been made only on condition of immediate actual use. But amid so large a population as ours, an urgent demand for the new treatment may arise at any hour, night or day, Sunday or week-day. And delay in obtaining it might result fatally. I have therefore, with some difficulty, and at considerable expense, provided a complete outfit of Antitoxine Serum (with injector) and am prepared to meet such demand. The cost of an outfit (Serum of two powers and Koch injector) is now about $12 being only one-fourth of the earlier price. At present sales will be made only on the order of a practicing physician.
Reynolds's Pharmacy, Park and North Avenues.

E. E. Marshall & Co.,
Painters and Decorators.
167 NORTH AVENUE. (Formerly with A. D. VanSciver)
Wall Paper,
Window Shades,
Picture Mouldings.
We have just received 10,000 rolls of Wall Paper, which we guarantee to be 1895 goods, and that is what you cannot find elsewhere in the city. Our prices are lower than ever before. People contemplating papering and painting can save money by calling on the above named firm. We do no work but what is first-class and solicit your patronage.

GRAND OPENING OF THE **PLAINFIELD TEA & GROCERY CO**
Saturday, February 9.
106 East Front St. H. T. WILLIAMS, Manager.

MUSIC HALL.
Varian & Sohl, Lessees and Managers.
Telephone call 493.
Friday, Feb. 8
First Plainfield production of Jacob Litt's elaborate electric melodrama,
SHAFT NO. 2,
The season's greatest sensation. A remarkable cast headed by FRANK LOSEE and MARION ELMORE.
New and original realistic effects. A bolt of real lightning. Prices 25, 35, 50, 75c, $1.
Coming—The Land of the Midnight Sun.

A full assortment of VALENTINES, at Harper's, 411 Park ave., Plainfield, N. J.

WANTS AND OFFERS.

BOARD—To let, pleasant room, good neighborhood, central location, home comforts; a few table boarders also taken. 303 West 4th street, near Central avenue. 1 10 tf

FOR SALE—A house in North Plainfield; excellent location. Address Owner, Box 236, Dunellen, N. J. 2 4 2

YOUNG woman wants office work. Address Capable, care Press. 2 4 tf

WANTED—A competent woman for general housework. 72 Linden ave., North Plainfield. 2 5 2

STRAYED or stolen, pug dog; answers to name D; reward. J. H. VanDeventer, 632 Woodland ave. 2 5 2

WANTED—Board, 3 rooms, private family preferred; centrally located; moderate terms; 3 ladies, 2 gentlemen. O. F., care Press. 2 4 tf

WOMAN wants work by the day, week or month; good laundress; kind to children; good city reference. 810 Richmond street.

TO LET—All or part of rooms formerly occupied by Young Men's Christian Association. A. J. Brunson, 68 Broad st., Elizabeth, N. J. 1 26 tf-t s

OFFICES and flats to rent in Babcock Building. Inquire of J. A. Hubbard or W. M. Stillman. 1 30 tf

LADY wishes to place her two children in good family; must have a piano, Address Mother, care Daily Press. 2 2 tf

WANTED—By April 1, a small house in North Plainfield containing 6 or 7 rooms; reasonable rent; 10 minutes from station; with privilege of buying on easy terms. Address J. J., care Press. 2 2 4

CASH buyer can get first-class upright piano at bargain. Address Starr, care Press. 2 2 tf

MONEY to loan. Mulford, broker. 2 1 tf

WANTED—House 5 or 6 rooms; centrally located; reasonable rent; possession April 1. Address "Ed", care Press. 1 17 tf

WANTED—Position at book-keeping, collecting or general office work. Address Experienced, care Press. 1 12 tf

WANTED—Good reliable life insurance agent to take charge of Plainfield; also agents in every town and city in New Jersey for an old and reliable company (no industrial business). Address J. W. Shallcross, Ribsam Building, Trenton, N. J. 1 4 tf

LOANS NEGOTIATED. J. T. Vail, Broker. tf

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Flowers furnished for weddings, funerals, etc., in bunches, bouquets or design.
MILES,
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Gold Dollars for Fifty Cents.
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A GHOST OF A PLACE.

THE STORY OF ASHLEY HALL AND HOSPITABLE COLONEL BULL.

How the Planter Kept His Household Goods From the Hands of the "Raiders." Pictures of a Beautiful Suburb That All Visitors to Charleston Admire.

Woodlands thick with undergrowth; tranquil country stillness, the stillness of a bit of country comparatively untilled and unpastured; roadways lined with tall and stately trees—such the scene as the clatter of horses' hoofs echoing on the hard flooring of the river bridge dies away into noiseless footfalls and the wheels turn without sound in the yielding soil of St. Andrew's. The murmured chorus of countless pines charms us into forgetfulness of the city's close proximity across the river. Ahead the way unfolds to us, broad and smooth, winding between long battalions of ancient oaks, muffled up to their chins in gray; on through miles of the century old trees, their massive trunks bound with fibrous scarfs, as if to veil the scars of successive seasons, every twig and branch and spray hung with streaming moss. Grand old oaks! Autumnal storms and April airs in turns have tossed and kissed their rugged boughs, yet the giant trunks stand firm. Scarce a gap in the uniform line shows where a grenadier has fallen out of ranks, and, elbow to elbow, they guard the ancient highway from encroachment of forest or field.

Here is an old gateway, the entrance to the grounds which once surrounded Ashley Hall, one of the proudest and most spacious of the ancestral homes in this parish. We pass through the useless massive portals into the driveway beyond. In the shaded light the avenue seems dreaming of the past, for these great oaks stand guard over the wreck of all they were intended to adorn. Of the stately home to which their beauty formed a fit approach nothing now remains but the crumbling marble steps and tall, spirelike chimneys. Little pickaninnies play hide and seek where once the flowers in "my lady's garden" grew in trim luxuriance. Only the Ashley is unchanged as it ripples by on its way to the sea, its waves as blue and sparkling as when it bore many a boating party from the mansion house.

Ashley Hall was the scene of a munificent and lavish hospitality in antebellum days. Its owner possessed immense plantations in Mississippi and Louisiana in addition to his Carolina estates, and the great halls and spacious drawing rooms of the St. Andrew's mansion were frequently thronged with a gay company of the most distinguished people of the state. The host was passionately fond of the chase and delighted to assemble about him those who shared in his love of sport. Deer hunts, participated in by famous sportsmen from all over the south, were features of every season. The same open handed generosity that dictated a hospitality so marked obtained between master and slave, and the large retinue of servants at the hall were a happy, care free set. It was traditional that no one was ever sent away empty handed who applied for aid at the doors of this plantation home.

This old hall, in which seven generations of the same family had dwelt, living almost ideal lives, met with a tragic fate. The organized struggle between the north and south was at an end, but the "raiders" were in possession of this country. They had already sacked and destroyed every house in the parish, with a single exception, and that plantation was occupied by an enemy more dreaded even than demoralized soldiers—namely, smallpox. That frightened even rough handed rapacity away, and venerable Drayton Hall, today famous for its wonderful gardens, was preserved inviolate. The knowledge of the fate that had overtaken the homes of his neighbors, and which he felt that a few hours more would precipitate upon his own, determined Colonel Bull. Calling for kindling wood, surrounded by his awestricken servants, he himself applied the pine torch to his household gods. Pictures, plate, antique furniture, valued heirlooms—all were sacrificed save the small number which could be hastily secreted by trusted slaves when they learned of his intention. It is related by an eyewitness that the stalwart planter wept tears of infinite sorrow as the sounds of falling brick and crumbling woodwork smote upon his ears. Just back of the house is an ancient monument erected to commemorate one of Carolina's colonial governors, an ancestor of the doughty colonel. It was on the base of this shaft that the master of the manor sat and watched the destruction of his home.

We retrace our way along the ranks of rare old trees, passing through the ancient gateway, fit subject for poet's theme, into the open road, where we are greeted by a procession of oaks as symmetrical as those we left behind. Miles of moss fringed trees, their somber curtains swaying far above, and again drooping so as almost to touch the earth about their feet, continue even to the cleared strip of land immediately in front of the bridge. Opposite lies the city, her cluster turrets and slender spires outlined against the evening sky.

Asked how we like the oaks, we say that they are "beautiful," but all the while we are conscious that they have a charm of their own not to be interpreted in words.—Cor. New York Post.

A Great Landowner.

A tourist was being driven over a part of the country in Ireland where his infernal majesty appeared to have given his name to all the objects of interest in the locality, for there was the Devil's bridge, the Devil's caldron, the Devil's glen, etc. Said the traveler:

"The devil seems to be the greatest landowner in these parts."

"Ah, sure, your honor," replied the jarvey, "that is so, but he lives in England. I think he's what they call an absentee landlord in Ireland."—London Gentlewoman.

'TWAS WINTER TIME.

A rose, a rose, a rich red rose
Upon my lady's breast,
Its petals large, its calyx deep,
Its stem with green leaves dressed.

'Tis rich with beauty, in color rare—
Oh, what a combination!—
The same as she whose smile on me
I see in adoration.

But the rose, the rose, the rich red rose
Which glows on her gown of gray
Is very scarce this time of year—
It cost my last week's pay.
—Minneapolis Times.

A MAN'S BEST IDEAS.

An Old Student Says They Come Into the Mind Unexpectedly.

Professor von Helmholtz, the great German scientist of imperishable fame, not long before his death gave an interesting review of his life work on the occasion of the celebration of his seventieth birthday, in which, among other things, he reveals some instructive features of his habits of study and the process by which he won his ideas as well as the time and manner in which it was his wont to commit the latter to paper: "As it has frequently been my lot to have to await in uncertainty the arrival of appropriate thoughts and conceptions, which then would break suddenly and unheralded upon me, I have just gained some experience in the management of these capricious ideas. This may be of utility to other students of like physiological temperament.

"The best ideas have often stolen silently into the current of my thoughts while the latter were not employed in seeking them. I know not by what process of unconscious cerebration they were evolved. I only knew that they were there. Nor could I at first fully estimate the importance of such unexpected but welcome visitors.

"These ideas never introduced themselves when my brain was tired and almost never at my writing table. I had first to turn my problem in all directions and envisage it from every side, and thereafter to consign it to my involuntary thoughts without even prematurely attempting to solve it within myself or committing my reflections to writing. Long and patient preliminary investigation was the unconditional prerequisite to success.

"No matter how urgent the necessity for action, I must always give my brain its time to relax from fatigue or strain and await the recurrence of a feeling of both physical and mental well being and contentment before writing for publication. My most valuable ideas have presented themselves in the morning on my awakening from a refreshing s..., but the favorite period for them has been while I was seeking relaxation by roaming slowly over picturesque hills or through wooded parks in the bright sunlight. The slightest indulgence in alcoholic beverages sufficed to banish them from my grasp."—Baltimore Sun.

Good Horse Sense In Burros.

The Mexican burros ascertain where to dig for water by closely observing the surface of the ground. We had found in an arroyo a sufficient quantity of water to make coffee when we observed three burros searching for water. They passed several damp places, examing the ground closely, when the leader halted near us and commenced to paw a hole in the dry, hot sand with his right forefoot. After awhile he used his left forefoot. Having dug a hole something over a foot in depth, he backed out and watched it intently. To our surprise, it soon commenced to fill with water. Then he advanced and took a drink and stepped aside, inviting, I think, the others to take a drink. At all events they promptly did so and then went away, when we got down and took a drink from their well. The water was cool and refreshing—much better, in fact, than we had found for many a day. There is no witchcraft about the Mexican burros, but they have good horse sense.—Pittsburg Dispatch.

Feather Superstition.

We have long been acquainted with the peacock feather superstition, but were not aware until a few days ago that it extended to all feathered creatures. A young girl admired the beautiful pigeons strutting, cooing and sunning themselves in the covert of the house where she was boarding and asked the landlady to sell her a pair to take home with her. "No, indeed, child," was the immediate response. "Not for any money would I sell you those birds. When one person gives or sells an acquaintance a feathered thing, there is sure to be trouble between them, and I do not want to fall out with you."—Philadelphia Times.

An Easy Way.

The main object of life is to derive satisfaction from it, the philosophers say. Therefore when you are what is commonly known as selfish and grasping you can silence your conscience by telling it that you are no worse than the unselfish and sacrificing. You simply have another method of enjoying life.—Exchange.

London Newsgirls.

The London Weekly Telegraph, a miscellany published in connection with the Sheffield Daily Telegraph, is now being sold in the streets of London by a corps of presentable damsels, becomingly dressed in a uniform of dark gray, with red facings, hood lined with the latter color and forage cap to match.

A fortnight after Easter the English formerly observed a festival called Hocktide. It was customary for the women to go out into the streets with cords and bind the men whom they met until the latter purchased their release with small contributions of money.

During the first century after Christ tallow was 6 cents a pound; cheese, 14 cents; butter, 18 cents; honey, 24 cents; peas, 6 cents, and beans, 10 cents.

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Leave New York from foot of Liberty street 4 30, 6 00, 7 15, 8 , 8 40, 9 10, 10.11 45, A. M., 1 10, 1 30, 2 00, 3 30, 3 45, 4, 4 30, 5, 5 15, except Saturday, 5 30 5 45, 6, 6 15, 6 30, 7, 7 30, 8, 8 30, 9 15, 10 15, 11 30 P. M., 12 15, 1, night. Sunday—4 30, 7 15, 8 30, 9 15, A. M., 12 M., 1 30 10.5, 5 30, 7, 9 00, 10 00 P. M., 12 15 night, 1 A. M.

PLAINFIELD AND NEWARK.

Leave Plainfield 5 58, 6 29, 6 59, 7 26, 7 58, 8, 8 41, 9 53, 10 04, 10 27, A. M., 12 06, 1 18, 2 07, 2 30, 3 12, 3 51, 4 30, 5 04, 5 55, 7 09, 8 30, 10 17 11 28 P. M. Sunday—8 01, 8 53, 10 08, 11 28, A. M. 12 33, 1 45, 3 30, 5 26, 7 11, 8 20, 8 33, 10 17 P. M.

Leave Newark 6 10, 7 10, 7 55, 8 33, 9 08, 10 05, 11 35 A. M., 1 15, 1 35, 2 30 Saturday only, 3 50, 3 35, 4 05, 4 40, 5 04, 5 34, 5 50, 6 20, 7 15, 7 35, 8 40, 10 05, 11 35 P. M., Sunday—7 30, 8 45, 9 35, 11 05, A. M., 1 10, 2 35, 5 10, 5 40, 7 30, 9 35, 10 20 P. M.

Passengers for Newark change cars at Elizabeth.

PLAINFIELD AND SOMERVILLE.

Leave Plainfield 5 46, 7 10, 8 15, 9 54, 11 a.m., 12 45 2 08, 2 32, 3 45, 4 36, 5 06, 5 14, 5 34, 6 04, 6 29, 6 36, 7 12, 7 34 8 21, 10 36, 11 23 P. M., 12 39 night Sunday—5 45, 9 28 9 54, A. M., 2 08, 3 36, 5 14, 6 36, 10 15, 11 14 P. M.

Leave Somerville, 6, 6 30, 7 00, 7 25, 7 55, 7 45, 8 30, 9 05, 9 45, 11 40 A. M., 12 51, 1 45, 2 05, 3 21, 4 25, 5 25, 6 25, 6 7, 9 45, 11 05, P. M. Sunday 8 45, 9 45, 10 55 A. M., 12 05, 1 20 5 05, 6 45, 8 02, 9 05, 7 40 P. M.

PLAINFIELD AND EASTON

Leave Plainfield 5 45, 8 16, 9 54, A. M., 12 45, 3 08, 5 06, 5 14, 6 39, 8 21 P. M. Sunday—5 45, 9 28 A. M. 3 06, 7 38 P. M.

Leave Easton 6 05, 7 00, 8 55, A. M., 12 52, 4 04, 7 00 P. M. Sunday—7 15, 10 52, A. M. 6 40, 7 30, P. M.

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Leave Plainfield 9 54, a. m., 5 06 p.m.

WESTWARD CONNECTIONS.

LEAVE PLAINFIELD.

5 45 A. M. for Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport and Tamaqua.

7 10 a. m. for stations to High Bridge, connecting for stations on High Bridge Branch.

8 16 A. M. for Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R. Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9 54 A. M. for Flemington, High Bridge branch D L & W R R, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Pottsville, Nanticoke, Upper Lehigh, Wilkes-barre, Scranton, &c. Through coach to Williamsport.

12 45 p. m. way for Easton, connecting at Junction for stations on D. L. & W. R. R.

2 08 P. M. for Flemington, Easton Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Sunbury and Williamsport, Wilkes-Barre and Scranton. Buffet parlor car to Mauch Chunk.

5 06 p. m., way for Easton, connecting at High Bridge for stations on High Bridge branch

5 14 P. M. for Flemington, Easton, Bethlehem, Bangor Allentown, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, Mauch Chunk Shamokin and Tamaqua, Buffet parlor car to Scranton.

6 36 P. M. for Flemington.

6 39 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading and Harrisburg.

8 21 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

5 45 A. M. Sunday for Easton, Bethlehem Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Wilkesbarre and Scranton. 9 28 a.m. Sundays for Easton, 3 08 p. m. Sundays for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Reading and Harrisburg, 6.36 p. m. Sundays for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, &c. and at Junction for D. L. & W. R. R.

For Atlantic City, 3 37 a. m. 1 18 p. m.

Long Branch, Ocean Grove, &c

Leave Plainfield 3 37, 8, 10 27, a. m. 1.18, 3 51, 5 54, p. m. Sundays—except Ocean Grove 8 52, a. m., 3 30 p. m.

For Perth Amboy, 3 37, 5 59, 8 10 27 a. m. 1 18, 3 51, 4 50, 5.54, 7 03 p.m. Sunday—8 52, a. m., 3 30 p. m.

For Freehold, 3 37, 8, 10 27 a.m., 1 18 3 51, 4 50, 5 p.m.

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For Trenton 5 45, 8 44, 9 46*, 10 45, a. m., 12 46, 2 08*, 5 14*, 6 39*, 8 21, 9 37* p. m., 1 12 night, Sunday—5 45, 9 54, a. m., 2 08*, 5 14* 6 39 p. m., 1 12 night.

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From 24th and Chestnut—3 55, 7 55, 9 21, 11 18, a. m., 3 46, 6 13, 5 10 11 45 p. m. Sunday—3 55, 7 55, 12 19 p m, 3 30, 6 12, 8 10 11 45 p. m.

Leave Trenton, Warren and Tucker sts., 1 25 4 55, 8 06, 10 25, a.m., 12 15*, 2 10, 4 29*, 5 34, 9 25 p. m. Sundays—1 00, 4 58, 9 06, 10 27 a. m. 1 16*, 4 29 p. m.

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H. A. Thorne, Reporter. 9 8 tf

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THE MAGNETIC GIRL.

An Explanation of How Her Tricks May Easily Be Duplicated.

While in Chicago I saw the announcement of an electric girl who included in her repertory a new trick, or at least one that I had not yet seen. A stick about four feet long and as thick as a broomstick was produced, and I and another gentleman were requested to hold it in a vertical position before us while grasping it firmly in both hands. The girl, standing in front of and facing us, placed the palm of her open hand against the lower portion of the stick, resting it on the side nearest to us and farthest from herself. After rubbing her hand up and down for a few moments in order "to make better electric contact," as we were informed, and after enjoining us to hold the stick perfectly vertical, we were told to press down on it as hard as we could.

This we did until the veins seemed to stand out on our foreheads; but, exert ourselves as hard as we could, we, two strong men, were unable to press down hard enough to make the stick slip past the open palm of her hand. Had the girl grasped the stick with her two hands, I am sure she could not have withstood my downward pressure alone. I would have borne her, stick and all, to the floor. But there she stood, with but one open hand bearing against the side of the stick, and both us could not by our united efforts force the stick past that wonderful hand. Surely there seemed something uncanny about this. But it is very simply explained.

The whole secret consists in insisting upon the men holding the stick in a vertical position. When the girl's open hand is first placed against the lower portion of the stick, she moves it two or three times up and down, pulling gradually more and more against it. As this tends to pull the stick away from the vertical, she insists that the men keep it straight. Thus cautioned, they will exert more and more effort until, when she feels that the pressure against her hand is sufficient, she instructs them to push down with all their might. They do so and imagine that they are exerting a tremendous vertical thrust, whereas their vertical effort is actually very slight—insufficient even to overcome the friction of the stick against her moist hand. The men are really exerting a tremendous effort, but are deceived as to its direction. With their hands tightly grasping the upper end of the stick they are really trying to force the other end of the stick against the palm of her hand.—N. W. Perry in Cassier's Magazine.

WHY WOMEN MAKE POOR DETECTIVES

A Secret Service Man Says the Opposite Sex Make Bad Spies.

"Women are not good detectives," said an experienced secret service man on being asked his opinion. "To begin with, there are many places to which a woman cannot go without exciting suspicion, and this defeats her object at the outset, but beyond this woman is unfitted by nature for detective work.

"In the first place, she jumps at a conclusion and acts on it in opposition to all human probabilities, possibilities and reason. As a rule, a woman does not reason. She looks on a thing as she wants it to be or thinks it ought to be, and will follow that theory. She is led by prejudices, favors or sympathies, regardless of facts.

"As a detective she is sometimes a success in entrapping a man, but her work generally ends in a blunder which betrays her. She is persevering only when moved by passion. She does not look at a case dispassionately. She at once decides that he or she is guilty or innocent and works on that theory.

"A woman enjoys the mysterious, and she is so elated at her position as detective that she is unable to conceal her identity or the secret investigations of a case.

"Women are even failures in running down criminals of their own sex. A woman criminal will mislead a woman detective by working on her vanity, credulity or sympathy, and, worst of all, if the detective be attractive and the man criminal handsome—well, a man is better for detective work, and besides a woman will sell out a case, and cheaply at that, relying upon her sex to escape punishment if detected."—New York Herald.

Sickrooms.

A medical journal urges, sensibly enough, that in the present extravagant expenditure in house building a little money should be laid out in arranging for a sickroom, built on the sunny side and equipped with at least the simple means for isolation and care of a sick person. Ventilation should be well considered. The walls may be of washable material—paint, tiles or covered with waterproof bath paper. The plumbing should be out of but convenient to it. A little of the time and money invested in libraries, ballrooms and oriental parlors spent on an apartment whose use in an emergency not unusual to frail humanity may insure the comfort and safety to the family that is necessary to the enjoyment of the more luxurious rooms.

English Women's Shoes.

English women are teaching American women some important facts about footgear. We know today that a touch of patent leather removes the shoe from street use, except in case of walking to and from afternoon teas and luncheons. That only seal or calf skin suits the pavements; that low shoes are to be reserved for summer wear; that spats are not good form, except for men, and that laced shoes are the smart thing for the forenoon.

Health and Morality.

He who recklessly injures his health does not prove his unselfishness—he simply curtails his powers of doing good. And he who injures his character by welcoming evil influences is thereby inflicting a still greater evil upon the community.—Exchange.

REMEMBER ALAMO.

STORY OF ONE OF THE MOST HEROIC FIGHTS IN HISTORY.

Magnificent Defense of 175 Men Against the Attacks of 4,000—Colonel Bowie, Unable to Stand, Fought With Telling Effect Until the Breath Left His Body.

It is a safe wager that nine out of every eleven boys who are proficient in the use of a bowie knife have not the slightest idea where the instrument got its name.

Colonel Bowie of Texas fame gave the knife its title.

And when one writes of the Texas hero one must needs think of the battle of Alamo—that heroic fight of which our American boys and girls seem to think so little and half of them know nothing whatever.

They read how the brave soldiers fought and held the pass of Thermopylæ, but they seldom think of how a mere handful of men defended the Alamo mission—how they dropped fighting on their knees and then died facing the foe.

If you should go to the historical city of San Antonio, in Texas, you will see the old mission building standing, with battered, bullet pierced walls, a monument to the 172 heroes of 1836. Behind these walls the most important battle in the war between Mexico and Texas was fought. That was when Santa Anna was president and the Texans were fighting for their independence. Here it was that Colonel Bowie ended his brave life, dying with his boots on and fighting under the most terrible odds. The story is this, and every American child should know it by heart, that he may tell it with pride when other nations are talking of their great deeds:

One hundred and forty-five men under Captain Travis, a young man of 28, were holding the town of San Antonio against General Santa Anna and 4,000 men. They were the only defenders of the town and were ensconced in the old mission of the Alamo. Davy Crockett was also with them and Colonel Bowie, who was wounded and stretched out on his cot. Of artillery they had only 14 pieces.

Santa Anna demanded surrender, but the little garrison held out for ten days, skirmishing secretly for food and water. Every shot sent out of the mission house told, but not one of the Alamo heroes was hurt. Patience and strength, however, were being rapidly exhausted. Some of the little band were falling sick; others were desperate. Re-enforcements had been appealed for, but none had come. Colonel Lamein, with 300 men and four pieces of artillery, had started in answer to the appeal, but had put in somewhere for fresh water and food supplies.

At last Captain Smith joined the exhausted band with 32 men. Three days after General Santa Anna ceased the bombarding, and taking advantage of this Captain Travis called his men into line and frankly owned that there was no earthly hope for them; that he had led them into this thinking that re-enforcements were on the way. He does not utter one word against Lamein for failing him. He simply gives them their choice of deaths. They can surrender and be shot down or be killed fighting out their revenge. The captain drew a line and said, "Every man who is determined to remain here and to die with me will come to me across this line." Every soldier but one crossed at once.

When they finished, Colonel Bowie looked up, with his arm in a sling, and cried: "Boys, don't leave me! Won't some of you carry me across?" And the only backward step they made was to go over the line and carry the colonel to the young captain's side. The man Rose, who was a coward, dropped over the wall into a ditch to tell the tale. And then came the terrible day.

Santa Anna brought all his forces to bear on the fortress. The scaling ladders were again and again raised, but those who placed them were shot down like grain. Four thousand men charging into 175 seemed easy enough, but it soon reduced the 4,000. At last numbers conquered, and the Mexicans climbed over into the Alamo. The little band of defenders were trampled on and beaten, but they dropped to their knees and hacked and shot and pierced until the pile of the dead was awful. Colonel Bowie, too weak to rise from his cot, leans on his elbow and marks his man every time he pulls the trigger. Cut, bleeding, he continues to kill until the pistol drops and the breath leaves his body. Davy Crockett, standing in a corner, fights like a panther, and the young captain, backed against the wall, surrenders only when run through and through.

The great battle is over. The Mexicans have won. Out of the 172 Texans are 172 dead. No Spartans were braver or more tenacious, for they killed 522 of their enemies and wounded 500 more. Texas, though, was finally freed, and whenever great deeds thrill young boys' hearts they should think of that splendid piece of American daring and say, as Houston said to his men, "Remember the Alamo."—St. Louis Republic.

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A well known and popular singing teacher recently received the following letter:

"Will you be good enough to let me know your charge for voice production? I have no singing voice, but I would be willing to pay you well if you can produce one for me, because singers earn a good deal more than I can make in the tripe trade here."—London Answers.

Drumming Up Trade.

The College Trustee—Say, we are in bad luck. Only 25 new students coming in at the next term.

The Head of the College Faculty—Never mind. I'll send the football team and two glee clubs out on the road ahead of the other colleges this year.—Chicago Record.

APOLOGIZED FOR INTRUDING.

The Bashful Student Thought the Venus of Medici Was a Living Bather.

A funny story of a modest man is told by Aubrey de Vere in The Century Magazine. After 50 years' seclusion within the walls of his college a certain venerable fellow of Cambridge university thought it was time for him to see a little of the world, and he accepted an invitation from an early pupil who was entertaining a large party in a great country house. At dinner he sat next to the young lady of the house. Their conversation fell upon baths, and she happened to mention that she took a shower bath every morning to invigorate her system, adding, when he inquired what a shower bath was, that it resembled a very small round room; that the bather took his or her stand in the center of it, and upon pulling a string was drenched by a sudden flood of water from above.

Next morning the recluse rose at his usual hour—6 o'clock—and being of an inquisitive temper thought it well to explore carefully what he had never seen before—a large country house. On pulling open a door he found himself at the entrance of a very small circular apartment, one of those in which housemaids store away old brushes and household articles past their work. In the center of it stood a plaster cast of the Venus of Medici. The venerable man recoiled, closed the door and walked in the park till summoned by the breakfast bell. He took his seat, and the host asked whether he would have tea or coffee. But he had reflected on what good manners imperatively required, and his answer was:

"My lord, I can neither partake of tea nor coffee, nor any other refection until I have first tendered my humblest apologies to the interesting young lady whom I now see dispensing the chocolate and on whose sanitary ablutions this morning as she stood in her shower bath I was so unfortunate as unwittingly to intrude."

Ancient Use of the Mace.

The ancient use of the mace introduces us to a remarkable instance of ecclesiastical casuistry. The clergy was forbidden to shed blood, and as thus the sword was inhibited this might have been thought sufficient to keep them from the battlefield. But not so; they adopted the mace. Though they could not cut a man's throat, yet might they break his head. So Bishop Otho, half brother of William, fought alongside of the conqueror at the bitter battle of Hastings with great effect, the brothers being, as you may say, "a pair of nutcrackers."—Notes and Queries.

An Apt Answer.

Rubinstein once declared to some one that he was descended from one of the crusaders who accompanied Richard Cœur de Lion to Palestine. "On the piano presumably," was the smiling response.—San Francisco Argonaut.

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CHAPTER II.

We rode on and on through the darkness. At first my excitement was so great as to render thought impossible; moreover, the riding was of the roughest, and I had all I could do to keep my seat. But gradually, as I began to grow more accustomed to my situation, I was overtaken with a most dreadful misgiving. The rider had hitherto seemed like enough to Dick, for I had known he would do his best to change his voice; and, as for his foolish robbery, it was just of a piece with his natural love of mischief. But now I began to feel certain that some impostor had taken his part; that I had eloped with another man—and him a common highwayman. Imagine my distress! I could conceive of no method of extricating myself from the position; a sense of blank helplessness came over me, and I could do no more than cling tightly to the highwayman and await the event.

We had ridden some miles, when he suddenly drew rein and dismounted, landing me lightly beside him.

"Upon my soul!" he said, "here is a pretty adventure! Heaven knows that I had always a passion for the unusual, or I should be still a humble usher in Brancaster academy. But, tell me, what am I to do with you?"

I suppose I had hoped against hope; to find my fears were justified was a disastrous blow to me, nor could I make any answer.

"I would not wish a braver sweetheart," he continued, speaking with an odd and attractive perplexity. "But what have we gentlemen of the road to do with wives? Why, sweetheart, you heard the promises of your guardian. He will surely do his utmost to fulfill them, and how should I dare go to the gallows if I know that I left you widowed and alone? I trust a score of maids would weep a little if poor Jack Arthur went the common way; but God forbid that any should remember him at a week's end. It may seem that I am ungallant, yet I protest I do not like my share in this adventure. Kiss me, sweet, and then fancy I am old and very wise, and take my

IMAGINE MY DISTRESS.

counsel, which is: that you permit me to conduct you back to some place near your home. And yet—I would not wish a braver sweetheart!"

And then, moved by the kindness of his words, and his pleasant voice, I lost command of myself and burst into foolish weeping.

"Sir," I said, "I am altogether at your mercy. I have done that which will shame me all the rest of my days. But, indeed, I thought you were another, my sweetheart, whom I should have married to-morrow."

I fancied he spoke less gayly than before: perhaps he had not hoped altogether that I would take his sage advice. "Ho, ho!" he cried, "then my good fortune is but another theft to my account? I do not understand. You were to have married your lover to-morrow, and yet you entreat a stranger, and a highwayman at that, to carry you off! This is the maddest of adventures."

"Sir!" I said, "my uncle stands to me in the place of father and mother."

The highwayman chuckled. "Poor child!" he said, and softly stroked my hand, which, it seems, he had been holding for some minutes. "Poor child!"

"He would have me marry one whom I do not love, and I began to fear that presently he would overcome me, and compel—"

"The old hunks!" cried the highwayman. "You shall marry whom you choose. Nay, I withdraw my foolish wisdom; come with me, and before the night is here again you shall be Mistress Arthur. Believe me," he added with a pretty conceit—"believe me, there are many who will envy you."

"But, sir," I interrupted, "you forget what I have told you. Of late I have been closely guarded, for my uncle had discovered that I have given my love to a yeoman of the place, and it was arranged that he should stop the coach on our return from the ball and carry me away with him."

The highwayman laughed loudly. "And that is why you did not faint or scream?" he said. "I fell in love with you because of that, and that is why I was so flattered at your suggestion of an elopement. But, what will the real lover do? Will he stop the coach a second time, and find the bird flown? I warrant he will play the part exactly. I should hardly be surprised to hear he had let himself be captured."

I could not endure his jesting. "Sir," I said, "I am in your hands, and it is small wonder you find my plight only laughable. I have made myself a show for all the country to laugh at. Never a peddler but will be selling ballads in a se'nnight about this that I have done to-night. Yet I could believe you kinder than most. I entreat that you will help me."

He was sober in a moment. "Upon my soul!" he said, "the case is one to puzzle a very Solomon. I would do much to help you, but I am not alto-

"DICK," I CRIED, "ALL'S WELL."

gether free to do so as I would. To be frank, my life hangs upon my escaping out of these regions with all the celerity I can command. And my life . . . But listen!"

He broke off, and, kneeling, placed his ear to the ground. Then he arose, with a curious, excited laugh. "The adventure grows in interest," he said. "Here comes the honest yeoman, and in hot haste."

I listened eagerly, and heard far off the sound of a horse galloping furiously along the rough track, which was then the only road across the great moorland. I saw a sudden movement on the part of my companion, and perceived that he was fingering his pistols as he stood silent in the darkness.

"Not that!" I cried, entreatingly.

"There will be need of an explanation of some kind," he said; "perhaps you will undertake it. I confess I have not a sufficient gift of words, and I am a little inclined to doubt whether your sweetheart will be in the mood for explanations. Doubtless, as a gentleman of the road, he will ride armed."

The sound of hoofs grew nearer. He was silent now, and listened most attentively to the approaching sound. Presently the rider was quite near.

"Dick!" I called. "Dick! all's well, and I am in the company of a friend of yours and mine."

A moment later he was upon us, and sure enough he held a pistol in his hand. He jumped from his horse in an instant and caught me to him; but it was the highwayman who spoke first.

"Sir," he said, "I see by the pistol you carry that you take a very proper view of the situation. And yet I believe that everything may be explained. If you will consult the lady—"

"Dick," I said, "this gentleman is a friend. He took me with him, very much against his will, because I asked that he would take me; and I did that because I thought that he was you. You know our plan. He is—"

I paused. The highwayman laughed. "I follow, day by day, the trade which it pleased you to adopt for a single night. I anticipated you by a few minutes. We are both of us tall men, and the lady took the difference of voice and manner as a clever disguise. I was engaged about my ordinary business when she appeared to suggest that I should elope with her. I will confess my good luck amazed me at first, but I was quick to embrace it; nor did I discover how far astray my conceit had led me until the very moment of your approach. We were endeavoring to devise a method of restoring the lady to her friends when you appeared to solve our difficulty."

"You forget," said Dick, doggedly, "you forget the little matter of the money and jewels you have stolen."

The highwayman started. "'Convey,' the wise call it," he replied, with some tartness. "But the only course is, that I should surrender everything to you; and then it should be clear to you that I am no less than a messenger of Providence to you and the lady—a god from the machine."

Dick was silent, his arm about my waist, his figure held ready for action.

"The good uncle has been robbed of goods and niece," went on the highwayman, easily. "You come upon him in his distress, hear the tale, and straightway go in pursuit of the thief—the good uncle called me 'thief'—and compel him to disgorge. In truth, the least the uncle can do is to give you the lady in return for his goods. For, though perhaps you do not guess it, you have shown some bravery to-night."

The thing was beautifully clear. "Indeed," I cried, "he shall do no less. Dick, we will go back; and I promise you shall marry me when you will, and with his consent. Do you not see it?"

"He ought to do so," said Dick, grudgingly. "I suppose we must thank you, sir."

"Oh!" said the highwayman, lightly, "there is no need of thanks. Here are the jewels and the purse. But first"—he opened the purse and extracted some scraps of paper—"I promised to liberate certain poor debtors, and that promise I must keep."

He tore the paper into fragments and leaped upon his horse.

"Farewell!" he cried, and vanished into the night. Nor did I hear of him again until he was hanged two years afterwards for a daring robbery.

At least there was one who wept at the news of his death—and she a happy wife.

[THE END.]

The experience of Geo. A. Apgar, of German Valley, N. J., is well worth remembering. He was troubled with chronic diarrhoea and doctored for five months and was treated by four different doctors without benefit. He then began using Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, of which one small bottle effected a complete cure. It is for sale at Reynolds's pharmacy, Park and North aves. T. S. Armstrong, manager.

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NOTICE.

Whereas, It is reported that a rabid dog has been running at large through the village of Scotch Plains and other parts of Fanwood township, and

Whereas, It is common rumor that a number of dogs owned by various residents within the limits of said township have come in contact with and been bitten by said rabid dog, therefore, be it

Resolved, That all owners of dogs within said township of Fanwood be and are hereby urged strenuously to keep such dogs as may be owned by them tied, muzzled or in some safe manner confined for the space of 30 days and all dogs known to be bitten be killed forthwith.

Fanwood, N. J., Feb. 1, 1895.
226 E. L. BAND, Township Clerk.

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HYMENEAL.

Delaney—Corlies.

A social event of no small importance was the marriage of Miss Annie Wright Corlies to William Cooper Delaney of New York, which took place yesterday afternoon at 1, at the home of the bride, "Roslending", Central avenue. Miss Corlies was one of the most popular girls in Plainfield society, and although the invitations were necessarily restricted to the intimate friends the house was crowded to its utmost capacity, over 200 people from Plainfield, New York and Philadelphia witnessing the ceremony, which was one of the prettiest ever seen in this city.

The house was very handsomely decorated with lilies, creeping cypress, palms, and other flowers and all daylight was excluded from the rooms on the first floor which were lighted by candles and lamps. The ceremony was performed in the drawing room at the west end of the house. The bow window in which the clergyman stood was a veritable bower of lilies with a background of cypress and was lighted by a large silver candelabrum Rev. Dr. J. Wesley Brown of St. Thomas Church, New York, officiated, and the music was by the Grace Church choir boys under the able leadership of Mr. Cock.

The bridal party entered the room from the stairs through a passageway kept open through the crowd of guests by two white ribbons, the ends of which were held by Miss Edme Corlies, sister of the bride, and her cousin, Miss Coolidge of Orange. There were four bridemaids and three ushers. The bridemaids all wore pink silk covered with white chiffon and carried large bunches of pink roses. The ushers wore the conventional frock coats with dark gray gloves, and gardenias in their coats. Mrs. J. Edgar Corlies, the mother of the bride, wore an eminence silk gown and carried a huge bunch of violets. The bride came in on the arm of her grandfather, J. Howard Wright. She wore white satin and a tulle veil fastened by a diamond pin and orange blossoms. The gift of the groom, a diamond Crescent held her gown at the throat. The party was met at the end of the beribboned aisle by the groom and his best man, Edward Delanoy. The bride was given away by her grandfather.

The bridemaids were Miss Talmadge of Netherwood, Miss Ginna of Watchung avenue, Miss Lockwood of Philadelphia, and Miss Johnson of Bridgeport. The ushers were Howard Corlies, the brother of the bride, Dunbar Wright, her uncle, and Mr. Gilbert of New York.

Everyone stood during the ceremony, which was read in an impressive manner by Dr. Brown. The choir boys sang the Lohengrin wedding march during the procession and chanted softly during the service.

After the bride and groom had received the congratulations of their hosts of friends an elaborate breakfast was served from a very handsomely set table in the dining room. The centrepiece of smilax and callas was particularly effective. The credit of the entire breakfast is due the Max Wiertz who had carte blanche to do the best he could and the result was fully equal to the collations that have been served by New York caterers in the past few years in Plainfield.

The guests who had come from New York on the special were provided with a train to take them back at 3, while the bride and groom left shortly before for Florida where they will spend the honeymoon.

Their exit from the house was accompanied by the usual showers of rice, and the trap that took them to the station had been surreptitiously decked with streaming white ribbons. An old shoe was hurled after the departing vehicle and many threw discretion to the winds and followed Mr. and Mrs. Delanoy to the gates with good wishes and rice. On their return from Florida the young couple will go to housekeeping in their Madison avenue apartment in New York.

The presents were very numerous and handsome, but were not shown, as many of them had been sent to New York.

Quite as many of the guests were from out of town as were from Plainfield Among the many were: Mr and Mrs J Howard Wright, Mr and Mrs J Parker Mason, Mrs Robert L Burnett, Mr and Mrs F O Herring Mr and Mrs Irving H Brown, Mr and Mrs Henry A McGee, Mr and Mrs Alexander Gilbert, Mrs William E Lowe, Mrs Evarts Tracy, Mrs William Palmer Smith, Mrs Henry P Talmadge, Mr and Mrs Henry C Adams, Mr and Mrs Delanoy of New York, Mr and Mrs DeWitt, Mrs Orville T Waring, Mrs Walter E Stewart, Miss Stewart, Mrs Marion S Ackerman, Mrs H M Stockton, Mrs Joseph Sandford, Mrs Wilbur Fiske, Mrs W J Roome, Mr and Mrs L G Timpson, Dr and Mrs Kimball, Mrs Moore, Mrs Adams, Miss Johnson, Miss Grace Cooley, Miss Whiton, Miss Maude Van Boskerck, Miss Lizzie Van Boskerck, Miss Dumont, Miss Huntington, Miss Yates, Miss Minnie Wood, the Misses Holly, Mrs Munger, Mr and Mrs Walker, Clifford McGee, J Stowell Anthony, L E Waring, Roger Erickson, W H Brown, Alexander Hudnut, Howard Coolidge, Benjamin Rush, and W H Case.

—Sundogs in the sky attracted attention at noon today.

GOOD FELLOWSHIP AT THE CAMP.

John Hand's Devotees Share with Their Friends an Evening of Sociability.

The regular meeting of John Hand Camp, No. 28, S. of V., was held last evening, at which time a delegation from Col H. B. Reed Camp, No. 40, of Somerville, was present.

After the business of the evening was concluded, the Woman's Relief Corps and comrades of the Grand Army and their friends were invited to the room, when a social hour was spent.

Commander Corlell of Post 73 was called on and made a few appropriate remarks, giving strong evidence of his friendship to the Camp. Capt. Vickery of Camp 40 in a few words expressed his pleasure in being present, and President Mrs. M C. Dobbins of the Relief Corps gave words of encouragement.

Past President Mrs. Morse recited "The Blue and the Gray", which the audience greatly enjoyed.

Past Commander Wm. Hand, for whose brotner the camp was named, told the circumstances of his late brother's enlistment. A young man had enlisted, but owing to a deformity in his right arm he was unable to handle a gun, and John Hand being present at once offered his services. He was the first Plainfielder killed and brought home.

First Lieutenant Parker of Camp 40 was interesting in his remarks of patriotism, as were also First Sergeant Dickey and J. R. Dungan. Second Lieutenant Lorrie also spoke a few words.

First Sergeant Horace Martin of Camp 28 favored the audience with two fine solos, accompanied by Miss Ada Nash; and Sergeant of the Guard H. S Thatcher gave an amusing recitation.

Comrade Mattox and his daughter, Miss Try Mattox, were heartily received in reciting several excellent selections.

Remarks were made by Past Commander Dobbins and other comrades, including a visiting comrade from Brooklyn.

Those present were then asked to go to the room below, where coffee, cake and sandwiches were served in abundance.

After the inner man had been satisfied, an adjournment was made to the post rooms, where some instrumental music was enjoyed, given by Bert Naylor and Bert Blake, on violin and piano.

It was rather late when the joyous company broke up, but all expressed themselves well pleased with the evening's entertainment and hoped it would be repeated.

Competition the Best Cheapener.

(From The Trenton True American.)

The first question for the Legislature to ask itself in the matter of cheap gas is, what right has the Legislature to fix a price upon a commodity of ordinary purchase and sale.

If it can say what gas can be sold for, why not also fix the price of coal, which is much more a neccessary of life and an attribute of comfort.

People can and do get along without gas; they cannot maintain existence or prosecute business without coal.

The reason why the coal miners and coal transporters and coal sellers have been allowed to do their business in their own way is because it is not an attribute of government to carry on the business for itself or to arbitrarily establish rules and rates whereby private capital shall carry it on.

Nothing could be more manifestly unjust and oppressive than for the State to require any business to be carried on at unprofitable rates, and the experiment of compelling this to be done has always failed, even when the tremendous surge of the French revolution sought to fix the price of bread.

The public good is best served by encouraging the formation of these semi-public corporations, and leaving it to competition between them to produce low prices.

This the Legislature has a right, and ought to do.

If there is authority in the present law which fosters a monopoly in the manufacture and furnishing of gas, the Legislature can wipe it out, and should do so.

This is the best way to test the rhapsodies of quondam inventors and specialists, who, in every trade and business, claim to be able to prosecute that business better than those who are in it and have made a success of it.

There is plenty of capital that would be glad to go into the manufacture of gas, at 30 cents a thousand feet, if it be demonstrated that that be possible, and the Legislature ought to give them a chance not only in Trenton but elsewhere in the State.

Muhlenberg Minstrels.

Tickets for the Muhlenberg Hospital benefit are selling rapidly. Those desiring them would better purchase at once, as the number is limited. They can be had of any of the patronesses and at Reynolds's, Randolph's and Hebard's pharmacies.

J. Parker Mason will have charge, and be the stage manager, which gives assurance that the affair will be a success.

The orchestra will be from New York, under the leadership of Mr. Rose of the Lyceum Theatre.

GOOD MUSIC AND READINGS.

The Verdi Quartette and Miss Jackson Entertain for the Y. M. C. A.

The first of the regular entertainments of the Y. M. C. A. in the new hall, was given last evening by Miss Addie Parker Jackson, reader, and the Verdi Ladies Quartette. There was unfortunately but a small audience to greet the talented young women, but those who were present accorded them a reception that was far warmer than the temperature of the hall. It was an unusually cold night, and an unusually enthusiastic audience, and those who braved the zero blasts were well repaid by the programme which the fair ones presented. Miss Kathryn Krymer has a remarkable voice of wonderful depth and power, and a winsome way of thanking her audience for its appreciation of her talent. The solo "As still as the night", by Bohm, was sung by Miss Krymer with commendable sweetness and delicate shading.

Miss Ida VanDuyn was likewise in marked favor with the audience, and was recalled with decided emphasis after her song "Marionella".

The singing of the quartette was very pleasing, the well-trained voices blending harmoniously in all of the numbers they rendered.

Miss Jackson as a reader is a favorite in Plainfield, and it seemed a shame that her readings were not listened to by many times the number present. At her every appearance an encore was demanded, and she responded most graciously. Her recitation of one of H. C. Bunner's metropolitan sketches entitled "The Tenor", was probably the best of all her well told stories.

Shaft No. 2.

The next attraction in Music Hall, "Shaft No. 2", to be presented Friday night, Feb. 8, has been received with much favor in New York and Chicago, and will be seen for the first time in this city.

The play deals with the trials and ultimate triumphs of an electrical engineer, Jim Rathburn, and the audience is treated to a succession of new and interesting stage pictures and given a number of surprises in the line of mechanical and electrical effects never before introduced in a play.

One scene of more than ordinary interest is a representation of the shaft of a mine with the tram car running up and down and the miners at work. It is a very realistic picture of the interior of a mine.

In another act a storm is produced by new electrical and mechanical contrivances, and it is spoken of as the most wonderful and realistic reproduction of nature in her turbulent mood ever attempted on the stage.

The electrocution chamber in the State prison is shown with all the paraphernalia of this death-dealing system.

The piece abounds in many new and attractive features, and will no doubt meet with as favorable a reception from the playgoers here as it has elsewhere.

Why Reform Hall Should Be Open Evenings.

Because the men need it; they have requested it. They tell us "We have no place to spend our evenings but the saloon, and we will not go there". Other men tell us "We have to go the saloon to get warm". These are sad facts for the Christians of Plainfield to confront. Christians, there is a great work for someone to do in this city. Won't you lend a helping hand? Won't you help to rescue the perishing? Won't you see that Reform Hall is open for these men every evening?

J. N. P.

Get Good Eyes Tomorrow.

Good eyesight is priceless. Many people do not realize this, or seem to appreciate it until they are in imminent danger of losing this precious sense. Cheap and inferior glasses are positively injurious Leeds, Stiles & Co. make only the best. If you are in need of glasses call on their specialist, who will be in Plainfield, at 107 East Front street, tomorrow, from 10 a. m. to 5 p. m.

Nothing Daunts This Wheelman.

J. W. Gavett, the inveterate cyclers went out for an appetizing spin on his wheel this morning, over the snowclad roads, with the thermometer 8 below zero.

A Des Moines woman who has been troubled with frequent colds, concluded to try an old remedy in a new way, and accordingly took a tablespoonful (four times the usual dose) of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy just before going to bed. The next morning she found that her cold had almost entirely disappeared. During the day she took a few doses of the remedy (one teaspoonful at a time) and at night again took a tablespoonful before going to bed, and on the following morning awoke free from all symptoms of the cold. Since then she has, on several occasions, used this remedy in like manner with the same good results, and is much elated over her discovery of so quick a way of curing a cold. For sale at Reynolds's pharmacy, Park and North aves. T. S. Armstrong, manager.

COLD ENOUGH.

Eight Below Zero, in Plainfield, During the Night, and After Sunrise.

Nobody in Plainfield has been found to tell of colder weather in this city during the past 15 years than that of last night The record of the night was 8 below zero and that figure was maintained till 7:45 this morning, when the mercury began to rise a little, standing at 4 below at 8:30, and gradually creeping up till at noon it was 8 above.

This record of 8 below seems to have been the rule all over town. Two of the most accurate records are those of Mr Milliken at 830 Central avenue, whose self-registering thermometer points N.E., and H. P. Reynolds at the corner of Park and North avenues, whose thermometer is protected from the winds and exposed to the temperature only.

The lowest figure reached during the night by either of these registers was 8 below, and that they still maintained at 7:45 after sunrise.

The method of registering may not be generally understood. Within the tube and above the mercury is a tiny metal float which stays at whatever point the mercury pushes it to. Thus the extreme record is shown, and after taking an observation the metal float can be drawn down again to the level of the mercury by the use of a magnet outside the glass. The thermometer is constructed with a double tube, and each branch of the tube contains one of the floats, so that both the highest and the lowest temperature are shown.

FOOLED MR. RUGG.

Went to the Door to See a Friend from the Lodge, and Was Surprised by a Birthday Party.

The cold weather found everything warm and happy at the home of Coal Dealer C. H. Rugg on East Second street last night. Biting frost did not keep his friends from remembering his birthday anniversary in most pleasant fashion. A gay party met at the home of J. C. VanDyke, East Front street, and went in a body to the home of Mr. Rugg. His wife had kept him from going to the lodge by inviting in some out-of-town friends, and the doorbell was muffled while a member of the family kept watch. Presently the party arrived, and when they had been secreted in the hall Mr. Rugg was told that a friend from the lodge wished to see him. He asked that he be brought in, but was told that he had no time to wait. Mr. Rugg then went into the hall, and was astonished to find the large gathering of friends. He made a speech of welcome as bright as brief, and all were takgn in and made at home. Music, games, and superb refreshments, made the hours pass joyously, and 1 o'clock, the parting hour, came all too soon.

Among those present were: Mr and Mrs Fredicks, Mr and Mrs Startup, Mr and Mrs Van Dyke and Miss Maude VanDyke, Mr and Mrs Bragamen, Mr and Mrs Van Fleete and Miss May Van Fleete, Mr and Mrs Holden, Mr and Mrs H W Marshall, Miss Emily Corlell, Dr Pocock, Mr Clark, Mrs Hatch, Mr Swackhammer, Miss Chandler, Miss Wilson, Miss VanEps.

Librarian's Report for the Month of January, 1895.

Volumes on accession-book, Dec. 31, 1894	12,769
" added by purchase and binding	89
Volumes added by gift	16
Volumes now in the library	12,874
Number of card-holders	3,463
Cash rec'd from fines and sales	$ 20 81
" " " non-resident subscriptions	$ 2.00
Cash received from sales of catalogues	$ 3.00
Home Circulation.	
Fiction	1345
Juvenile	527
Biography	149
Travel	225
Philosophy	18
Religion	28
Sociology	36
Philology	4
Natural science	62
Useful arts	24
Fine arts	36
Literature	228
History	187
Bound magazines	13
Total	2882
Total for January, '94	2478
Increase	394
Periodicals subscribed to by Babcock Scientific Library	25
New periodicals for general library	7
Visitors to building	3,645

EMMA L. ADAMS, Librarian.

—A mission will be begun Feb. 14 in Grace Church under the charge of Rev. Dr. R. S Barrett, General Missioner.

Four Big Successes.

Having the needed merit to more than make good all the advertising claimed for them, the following four remedies have reached a phenomenal sale. Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption, coughs and colds, each bottle guaranteed—Electric Bitters, the great remedy for liver, stomach and kidneys. Bucklen's Arnica Salve, the best in the world, and Dr. King's New Life Pills, which are a perfect pill. All these remedies are guaranteed to do just what is claimed for them and the dealer whose name is attached herewith will be glad to tell you more of them. Sold at L. W. Randolph's drug store.

HAVE TAKEN IN THE WOMEN.

Ivanhoe Council Believes in Maintaining the Good Things of Life.

Last evening the first "Ladies night" of Ivanhoe Council, No. 1 074, Legion of Honor, was held in their commodious council chamber on Park avenue, several of the Grand officers of the State being present. It has for some time been optional with the various lodges of this order to admit women to membership, but it was only recently that Ivanhoe Council decided by vote that they would avail themselves of this privilege.

Considering the exceeding cold of last evening, a goodly number of the fair sex was present and listened with much interest to the earnest remarks of the speakers. It was intended to provide a musical and literary entertainment in honor of the guests of the occasion, but at the last moment Companion Titsworth who had this feature of the entertainment in hand, received a wire announcing the non-arrival of the expected artists because of the grip. Past Commander T. C Smith, who occupied the chair in the absence of Commander Allis through sickness, stepped into the gap and after cordial words of greeting introduced Grand Commander Ralph of Hoboken, who spoke most earnestly of the benefits, social and monetary, to be derived from membership in this rapidly growing order, and urged the women to inform themselves fully as to the great personal benefit it would be to them to join hands with the host of fathers, husbands and brothers who were already enrolled.

The speaker was followed by Grand Orator Downey of New York city, who dwelt particularly on the ever-increasing strength of the Legion of Honor as an insurance order, founded as it is on the soundest business principles, and carried on by men of undoubted financial ability and shrewdness. Orator Downey quoted insurance statistics and State Commissioners reports on fraternal insurance to show that this organization stood at the head for soundness and strength, and amount of capital. Companion G. L Van Emburgh followed in a very happy speech, in which he reiterated and enlarged upon the remarks of the previous speaker with regard to the local branch, No. 1074, and spoke most cordially to the women who had braved the inclement weather to lend their presence to the occasion.

The remarks of Companion Titsworth, which followed, closed this feature of the evening's entertainment, the companion expressing regret that he was notified as to the impossibility of securing the musical artists, so late that he could not substitute, begging the indulgences of his friends at the failure, and cordially thanking the women for their attendance and interest. The entire party then adjourned to Tier's parlors across the street, where a bountiful collation was served.

Newspaper Serials.

That great detective, Sherlock Holmes, whose stories were all told long ago, and which have been published and republished till everyone has read them, is accused by another Plainfield paper of having made his first appearance in "The Sign of the Four". That only shows how little that paper knows of current literature, for the first appearance of Holmes was in "A Study in Scarlet". Both the tales mentioned have been in print a long time now, and the paper which is about to publish them is only filling its columns with ancient history. Conan Doyle's brand-new stories, however, appear from time to time in The Daily Press, which inaugurated the publication in Plainfield of short serials by the best writers of the day. All of the serials printed in this paper are new, and copyrighted to Daily Press use. When printed in The Press, they are printed for the first time. In this as in all respects The Daily Press leads.

Danced Away the Night.

One hundred guests attended the debut of James Boice's youngest daughter, Miss Lucy Boice, at the homestead on the road from New Market to New Brunswick. The debutante was attired in white cream satin and point lace.

The costumes of the guests were very beautiful, cream and light blue being the prevailing colors.

The guests were from New York, Bound Brook, Plainfield, New Market and New Brunswick, Rutgers College being well represented. Supper was served at 11:30 Music was furnished by Mr. Hart of New Brunswick, and dancing was kept up until 4:30 a. m.

Dunellen Declares Independence.

The election yesterday to decide whether or not to set off the borough of Dunellen from the township of Piscataway, resulted in an overwhelming victory in favor of setting off. There was practically no opposition.

Mrs. Emily Thorne, who resides at Toledo, Washington, says she has never been able to procure any medicine for rheumatism that relieves the pain so quickly and effectually as Chamberlain's Pain Balm and that she has also used it for lame back with great success. For sale at Reynolds's pharmacy, Park and North aves. T. S. Armstrong, manager.

BURNED ITS JACKET.

Somerville Way Train Delayed by Too Much Fire at the Engine.

Train No. 35, Somerville local, in charge of Conductor Geo. Terrell and Engineer Stephen Winner, due here at 3:45 p. m., was delayed yesterday for several minutes, it being discovered that the jacket of the engine was on fire. It is, perhaps, not generally known that locomotive boilers are covered with a wooden jacket, consisting of longitudinal strips about three-fourths of an inch thick and from two to three inches wide, substantially the same as the more familiar covering of stationary engine boilers, and that over this jacket is placed the nicely painted covering of thin sheet metal so familiar to the eye.

The constant high degree of heat to which this jacket is necessarily subjected reduces it in time almost to charcoal, and occasionally it gets on fire. This was the case with 35 yesterday afternoon. As soon as the discovery was made water was forced through on the flames, and it was thought that they were wholly extinguished, but they were again discovered on arriving at Somerville. So difficult was it to reach the fire because of the outside metal covering that the return trip was delayed for more than an hour. The train, which is scheduled as No. 58, eastbound local from Somerville, on the time sheet, due in this city at 4:50, did not arrive until 6 p. m.

No 14, eastbound express from Wilkes-Barre, carrying mail from the West, due here at 5:54 p. m., was 33 minutes late, being detained by western storms.

The Salvation Army.

A treat is promised every one who takes part in the special meeting at the army hall on West Second street, Thursday evening, Feb. 7. Colonel William Eadie who will be in charge of the meeting is the Chief Secretary of the work in the United States and second in command to Commander and Mrs. Ballington Booth; he is by birth a Scotchman and possesses many of the well-known characteristics of that particular race and is a very powerful speaker. Every action denoting earnestness. His experience in the army has been long and varied having held appointments both in Canada and the old country before coming to the United States.

He will be accompanied by the National Headquarters Staff brass band of New York city. This capital organization of players have been in Plainfield before and we doubt not that many friends will be glad to again welcome them and listen to their music. They will introduce several new songs, choruses and selections.

Adjutant George Wood, late A. D. C. to Brigadier Evans, who has been placed in charge of the newly formed Northern New Jersey District, of which Plainfield corps forms a part, will also be on hand to assist. The inside meeting which commences at 8 and to which admission is by tickets at 10 cents, will be preceded by a unique illuminated parade through the principal thoroughfares of the city.

Good Samaritan Pangborn.

John Noble, formerly an employe at Starin's shipyard in New York, went to Philadelphia soon after he lost his position, and last night at a late hour he landed in Plainfield, on his way back to New York.

At the North Avenue station he asked a backman where he could get a night's lodging. He was referred to the police, and was told they had no place for him.

The man did not have the appearance of a tramp, and apparently was a very worthy person.

From the station he went to North Plainfield, where he met a good Samaritan in the person of Chief Marshal Pangborn, who, when he heard his story, gave him a comfortable place for the night.

This morning he was given a good breakfast, and by Collector Spencer a warm coat, which he needed very much, and he went on his way with gratitude for North Plainfield.

Since the 15th of last February Chief Marshal Pangborn has taken care of 73 worthy persons in a similar way, and deserves much credit for his humanitarian feelings for the world's unfortunates.

Arrest in the Greengoods Case.

Proprietor VanDeventer of the Fanwood club-house was placed under arrest yesterday and held under bail, for alleged complicity in the transactions of the greengoods men at the Van. He denies that he has any knowledge of the operations.

—Effort is making to present a theatrical entertainment in the Casino during Easter week for the benefit of the Plainfield Relief Association.

O. W. O. Hardman, sheriff of Tyler Co., W. Va., appreciates a good thing and does not hesitate to say so. He was almost prostrated with a cold when he procured a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. He says: "It gave me prompt relief. I find it to be an invaluable remedy for coughs and colds." For sale at Reynolds's pharmacy, Park and North aves. T. S. Armstrong, manager.

THE COUNTRY'S TRADE

Disastrous Comparisons in Business Conditions.

Effects of the New Tariff—Some of the Results Affecting Particular Articles of Import and Export—Things Might Be Worse, But May Soon Be Better.

Washington, Feb. 6.—In giving out the final figures of the trade of the United States in the calendar year 1894, Worthington C. Ford, chief of the bureau of statistics, said:

"It is almost impossible to judge of the course of trade by values alone. In no single year since 1873 has there been such a sudden and marked fall in prices, export and import, as has occurred in the past eighteen months. Such a sudden change practically throws out any comparison of totals. For example, the value of domestic exports in the fiscal year 1894, June 30, 1893, to June 30, 1894, was only $3,000,000 less than the value of the exports in the calendar year 1894, January 1, 1893, to January 1, 1894, was $150,000,000 less than in the calendar year 1891.

Value of Imports.

"Quite as interesting a difference is shown in the imports. The value of free imports in the fiscal years 1894 and 1891 was $579,795,536 and $366,241,352, respectively, difference in favor of 1894 of $13,500,000. A comparison of imports for the calendar years would show a difference in favor of 1891 of $146,000,000.

"Dutiable imports were so greatly affected by the uncertainty of tariff legislation that the calendar year 1894 appears almost disastrous in its total, the difference being $106,000,000 in favor of the calendar year 1891. The relation between free and dutiable has been doubly disturbed by the excessive importations of sugar, which aggravated the free total, and the marked reductions in the imports of articles affected by the tariff. All things considered the situation might have been much worse than the figures.

Manufactured Silk.

"The imports of unmanufactured silk, an article that ought to feel a depression, gave an increase of 3,400,000 pounds. Even raw wool, supposed to have been disastrously affected by the tariff in its industrial and domestic feature, did not show a material reduction in quantity imported, nor in value. All this was favorable to the domestic manufacture, because the imports of manufactured textiles gave heavy reductions, $5,000,000 in cotton manufacturers, $2,000,000 in manufactures of flax and hemp, more than $9,000,000 in manufactures of silk and more than $13,000,000 in manufactures of wool.

"Only one item of the imports of iron and steel manufactures shows an increase, firearms; all else of that large class of imports gives a decrease, and noticeably sheet iron, pig iron and tin plates, aggregating in all nearly $10,000,000.

Domestic Exports.

"Turning to domestic exports, the aggregates hold their own remarkably well, considering the great reduction in prices of agricultural products. Europe took much less wheat than in 1893, but nearly as much corn and wheat flour. The prices were such as tempt buyers, and the result was nearly $62,000,000 less in the value of the exports of breadstuffs. Provisions, on the other hand, showed an increase in the value, due to the greater exports of fresh beef sent to the United Kingdom; of bacon, sent to Europe and Brazil, and lard taken by continental Europe. Of this class of products only tallow shows a decrease, undoubtedly due to the competition of Australia.

"In another item of domestic exports which meets serious competition—refined mineral oil—the increased quantity exported was 25,000,000 gallons, and this is especially notable, as the exports to China, to British and Asia India and the East Indies show more than 50,000,000 gallons. This points to the fact that the American product is meeting with more severe competition from the Russian oil in eastern countries than in Europe and South America. The cheapness of raw cotton has tempted heavy purchases, and the quantity exported in the calendar year 1894 exceeded that exported in the fiscal year in the commercial history of the country. A greater quantity and value of cotton manufactures exported are evidences of the capacity to compete successfully in foreign markets. Manufactures of leather give a small increase as do also manufactures of wool.

"Products of iron and steel and manufactures of wood remain stationary. Copper again makes a record, the exports in 1894 being 162,000,000 pounds, as compared with 139,000,000 pounds in 1893.

"From a review of general conditions it is recognized that the United States has suffered materially in only one direction, that of dutiable imports. A derangement of conditions in that one branch is levitable, whether a proposition be pending to raise or lower duties. In all else the conditions of foreign trade are more favorable here than in any European country, and in the great lines of its commerce a gratifying stability and even some development are shown. With the first of January the tariff of 1894 went into full effect and imports will now become normal and more regular and their effect upon revenue more clearly seen. The duties paid on imported woolen manufactures in January nearly made good a three months income from that source, while sugar and distilled spirits are again becoming profitable sources of revenue.

Want Cotton Mills South.

Roanoke, Va., Feb. 6.—N. B. Johnston, vice-president of the Roanoke board of trade, has left for New England in the interest of the movement to induce cotton mills to come south.

Will He Use It?

Albany, Feb. 6.—The Lawson power of removal bill has passed the senate by a vote of 18 to 9. This measure authorizes the mayor of New York to make wholesale removals of city officials.

THEY HELD UP A TRAIN.

Three Hundred Dollars Taken From an Old Lady—Express Car Safe.

Hutchinson, Kan., Feb. 6.—Train No. 1 on the Sante Fe passed west through Hutchinson last night on time. When Sylvai, a small station twenty miles west was reached the train stopped for coal and two men crawled into the cab, at the same time covering Engineer Kearney and his fireman with guns. They robbed the engineer and fireman of their money, about $40, and ordered them to march to the express car and break open the door. A demand was made upon the messenger, Jesse Ruble, to open the safe, but when he refused the robbers abandoned the idea of robbing the express car.

They then marched the engineer and fireman with a sack into the passenger coach and while one man held the trainmen, the other covered the passengers and ordered "hands up." Thus they went through the train, dumping pocketbooks, watches knives and revolvers into the sack. The amount of money secured cannot be approximated. One lady bought a ticket at Hutchinson for Colorado point and the ticket agent here says she had at least $300 when she purchased her ticket, which she was made to donate. The robbers were very cool and deliberate, taking fully an hour to do their work. When the robbers entered the coach about the first man they covered was Conductor McGrath and his brakeman, and they too were forced to surrender their valuables. After the work of robbing the coaches was over, the engineer and fireman were marched back to their posts and ordered to "pull out" which they did.

After the robbers passed through the first coach the conductor and brakeman started to leave the car and raise the alarm in the town but they were discovered by more robbers standing on the ground on each side of the train who ordered them back into the coaches.

The country is aroused and the farmers are out well armed trailing the robbers, who rode off in a southeast direction.

THEIR FATHER WENT DOWN.

Letter from an Elbe Passenger to His Wife.

Newark, N. J., Feb. 6.—A pathetic letter written to his wife in this city by George Henne, one of the passengers who went down on the Elbe, has just been made public. It was mailed from Germany a few days before the ship sailed.

After saying that he had taken passage on the Elbe, Mr. Henne says in part:

"I am coming to you again, my dear ones, if that is God's merciful will. You cannot write to me again—it is too late for that—but you can welcome me in New York. Oh, how happy I am to think that I will be among my loved ones once more. Now, a last farewell, dear Caroline, and pray for me while I am at sea, because travel is a little more serious during this season than in fall or summer. But we will hope for the best. Au revoir. George Henne."

Henne's family, who lives at 133 Acquedust street, were left entirely destitute. His wife has been for some time sick, and the grief over her husband's loss has so aggravated the trouble that it will be necessary for her to go to a hospital. She has five small children. The case is exciting the liveliest interest and sympathy in this city, and nearly $200 has been raised for the unfortunate family by popular subscription.

WANTED FOR EMBEZZLEMENT.

Mr. and Mrs. Keane Held for the English Authorities.

New York, Feb. 6.—James and Ida Keane were arrested at the Hotel Marlborough yesterday on the strength of a cable dispatch from Liverpool. They were wanted for embezzlement.

It is stated that Keane has confessed to embezzling $10,000 from the firm of Elder, Dempster & Co., of Liverpool, in whose employ he had been for ten years. Keane said that as assistant cashier he had received and handled much of the money paid into the firm which he was supposed to turn over to the cashier. He began by taking small amounts from the money drawer which he squandered at games of chance until he had embezzled $2,500.

Fearing that his peculations would be discovered Keane said he decided to take a large amount and get away. He took $7,500 on January 10, and with his wife sailed for New York, arriving in this city on the 29th.

Keane said that he had intended to go to Rio Janeiro in a few days to engage in the coffe business but his arrest spoiled his plans. About $5,000 was found in his room at the hotel. Both Keane and his wife are held for the arrival of extradition papers.

Riddled with Bullets.

Baltimore, Feb. 6.—The criminal court was the scene of an unique exhibition yesterday when nine big, burly eastern shore negroes were put on trial for the murder of Constable Edward Carver of Somerset county. There would have been ten prisoners had not a mob of Somerset citizens, unable to wait for the slow wheels of justice to move, put a summary end to the career of Isaac Kemp, the leader of the murderous gang. He was riddled with fifty bullets.

$5,000 Fire in Silver Creek.

Silver Creek, N. Y., Feb. 6.—Fire destroyed the Newton block on Dunkirk street, causing a loss of about $5,000. The principal loser is H. Malis, groceries, $2500. The occupants of the stores lived in the apartments on the upper floors and lost all their household effects. The weather was very cold and the firemen had great difficulty in preventing a much more serious conflagration.

Susan B. Anthony Talks.

Atlanta, Ga., Feb. 6.—Miss Susan B. Anthony made a public address at the county courthouse yesterday. When she concluded fifty ladies joined the suffragists. These are the recruits made by the convention during this session here last week.

Will Fight the "Coffee Cooler."

London, Feb. 6.—The fight between Frank P. Slavin and Frank Craig, the "Harlem Coffee Cooler," will take place at Central hall, Holborn, on March 11.

BLOCKED BY THE POLICE

Judge Gaynor's Views Expressed to the Board.

Monopoly Against Labor, Bluecoats in the Way—Mass Meeting Postponed on Account of Police, Henry George and Dr. Lyman Abbott Refusing To Speak in Their Presence.

Brooklyn, N. Y., Feb. 6.—Hon. William J. Gaynor, justice of the supreme court, of this city, Monday wrote the following letter to the state board of mediation and arbitration at Albany on the Brooklyn trolley strike:

Brooklyn, N. Y., Feb. 4, 1895.

"To the Board of Mediation and Arbitration:

"I regret that other duties prevented me from responding at once to your request that I state to you what I deem the cause of the existing contention between two street railroad companies in Brooklyn and their men. I shall not speak in respect of what came before me judicially at all, but only of things that I am free to speak of, like any other citizen.

"I read the testimony taken before you and was not surprised that no two witnesses, whether railroad officials or employes, agreed fully in respect of what the cause is. The real cause does not lie in anything stated before you. It lies in a state of disquiet and moral protest, not confined to the employes of the companies, but pervading this intelligent community, and which was caused by recent speculative uses and manipulations which these companies have been subjected to by certain individuals who have come into control of them.

"Take the case of the Brooklyn City Railroad company. Up to three years ago it was a healthy enterprise and was paying large dividends. No one was jealous or uneasy over the prosperity of its stockholders, for they were fairly entitled to it, though the stock and bonds may, in the just opinion of many, have grown larger than the outlay warranted. Its bonded indebtedness had enlarged to $3,000,000 and its paper shares to $3,000,000, making a burden of $6,000,000.

That Watered Stock.

"But it is what followed that I desire to state to you. The bonded indebtedness was increased to six millions ($6,000,000) and the paper capital to twelve millions ($12,000,000). Thus, at a few strokes, the company's burden was raised to eighteen millions ($18,000,000). Coincident with this, it is true that a change was made from horses to electricity. Whether the fair cost of the change was equal to this great increase in paper stock and in bonds, I leave to those who know what the legitimate cost a mile for such a change, or even for the building and equipping new of an electric street railroad is.

"But the case does not stop here. The next two steps are what aroused public conscience. Those in control took this company, and in 1893 leased it for 999 years to a little street railroad company called the Brooklyn eights Railroad company, which they had got control of. This little company has a paper capital of $200,000 and a mile or less of track running down to Wall street ferry. One might well think that instead of the great Brooklyn City Railroad company system being turned over to the miniature company the reverse would have happened; but it did not, for that would not have served the purpose in view.

"By the terms of the lease this little company agreed to pay the interest on the $6,000,000 in bonds, and also 10 per cent. on the $12,000,000 in paper stock of the Brooklyn City company. All the overplus it was to keep. That was to go to its stockholders. Thus this little company was made the absorber of all the earnings of the Brooklyn City company over and above what would have to be taken to pay as above stated, the interest on the bonds and 10 per cent. on the stock of the latter company. But this did not satisfy those who had gone that far; they must now go farther.

"William J. Gaynor."

Despise the Police.

The mass meeting in the interest of the former employes of the trolley roads which had been arranged to take place at the Athenaeum, was not held last evening owing to the presence of the police. Announcement was made yesterday that Henry George, Congressman Tom Johnson, Dr. Lyman Abbott, ex-Assemblyman Healey, A. J. Wolf, president of the Young Men's Democratic club, and others would speak, and a general invitation to attend was issued to the public.

At 8 oclock Police Inspector McKeller had thirty-six policemen at the Athenaeum. They were stationed in the hall, on the stairs and at the entrance. About fifty persons had taken seats in the hall when H. B. Martin, of the executive committee, of the Knights of Labor, stepped upon the platform and said that he had been authorized to announce that the meeting was postponed until such a time as it could be held without uniformed police blocking the entrance and interfering with a peaceful assemblage of citizens.

Meeting at Zero.

The strikers held an indignation meeting at the labor lyceum and denounced the action of the city authorities in dispersing the mass meeting in front of the city hall Monday and interfering with the Athenaeum meeting last night.

Twelve men are under arrest charged with "holding up" a car and assault on Officer Binder. Fifty men threw stones and an iron bar at the car windows, fortunately no one was hurt. Strikers then turned their attention on the motorman and conductor; the police arrived and fired into the crowd, scattering them in all directions.

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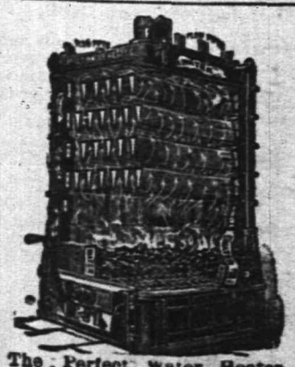

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New York, Feb. 6.—Up to an early hour this morning the French steamer La Gascogne had not been sighted.

She is now nearly three days overdue, as she should have arrived Sunday morning.

As the steamers of this line come and go like clockwork, the impression gains ground that she has met with some kind of a mishap.

The fact that the White Star steamer Runic, from Liverpool, and the Netherland-American liner Werkendam, from Rotterdam, have arrived about on time tends to strengthen the belief that La Gascogne has not had plain sailing.

There are many things that might tend to delay her that would not be considered of a serious nature by mariners, and, while it can hardly be said that there is any apprehension as to the big steamer's safety, the friends of those on board would gladly welcome the news of her having been sighted off this shore.

Has New Machinery.

La Gascogne used to be an eight day boat, but in May last she was overhauled and new boilers were put into her with the purpose of increasing her power to that of a seven day boat.

Her first trip with her new boilers began on December 23 last, and the trip from Havre to this port was made in eight days.

That trip was her last westward voyage until her present one, which she has not yet finished, and grave fears that she has met with an accident at sea are beginning to be entertained by shipping men.

The weather reports brought by incoming steamers do not indicate a condition of severity which should retard for three days over her regular time a ship like La Gascogne, and the theory advanced by steamship men in this city, that the big steamer's new machinery has become deranged, or that her boilers have proven inadequate, is gaining ground.

The Agent Believes She Is Safe.

This is not only a possibility but a probability, and A. Forget, the company's agent in this city, said yesterday that the long delay was undoubtedly due to that cause.

He said, however, that he felt no anxiety as to her safety as she is one of the staunchest ships in the service, and is commanded by as able a captain as ever navigated the Atlantic.

There are 44 cabin passengers, 718 steerage passengers and a crew of 210 men on board La Gascogne. Her officers are all experienced men. They are: Baudelon, commander; Masclet, second captain; Gontier, first officer; Landegren, second officer; Martin, chief engineer; Le Bars, second engineer; Gouverne, third engineer; Haman, fourth engineer; Japhet, purser, and Gervais, surgeon.

Looking for Friends.

There is much anxiety expressed by those calling at the company's office in this city, who are awaiting friends. Let us hope for the best.

JAPS FOILED.

They Meet With Slight Reverses Near Hai-Chang.

London, Feb. 6.—The Times to-day prints a letter from a correspondent at New-Chwang under date of January 29 saying that the Japanese met with Hai-Chang, being defeated by 1,500 followers of the rebel squatter Han. The commander of a Manchu battalion who failed to support Han was beheaded for cowardice.

General Sung, the Chinese commander, was enjoying the New Year fetes at New-Chwang. The mercury was thirteen degrees below zero and the Japanese troops were meeting with increasing difficulties owing to the severity of the weather.

Japs Met No Resistance.

London, Feb. 6.—A dispatch to the Central News from Tokio says that Marshal Oyama, in reporting the capture of an inland town and coast forts, says the Japanese forces met with no resistance. The marshal stationed a battalion at each fort. The Chinese on February 3 destroyed all thin junks and boats. On the same date the two fleets were unceasingly engaged.

A Young Mans Horrible Death.

Fredonia, N. Y., Feb. 6.—George F. Wilson, a young man employed by W. L. Martin on his grape farm about three miles west of this village, met with a horrible death. He was feeding hay into a presser when his feet caught in the machine and before the engine could be stopped his legs were crushed to a pulp up to the hips. He died in half an hour.

Ice in the Hudson.

New Yrk, Feb. 6.—Great quantities of ice came down the Hudson yesterday and greatly disturbed navigation on the North river. In some places the ice stretched from shore to shore. Small sailing craft were completely stalled for a time, and steam vessels had difficulty in forging through. Ferryboats on all the lines were delayed.

Hundreds Repent.

Troy, N. Y., Feb. 6.—The series of revival meetings which have been conducted here for the past three weeks by Rev. Dr. Chapman, closed last night. It is estimated that fully 3,500 people attended the services daily and that the converts numbered up into the hundreds.

An Uprising in Rio Janeiro.

London, Feb. 6.—The Daily News today prints a dispatch from Rio Janeiro saying that a conspiracy on the part of the friends of ex-President Peixoto has been discovered and that it is expected that martial law will be declared.

WERE T EY STOLEN BONDS?

A Buffalo Man Under Arrest—Failed in His Scheme.

Washington, Feb. 6.—A paper in this city publishes a story to the effect that recently Russell S. Kinsley, of Buffalo, applied to a firm of brokers in this city for negotiating a loan of $3,000 of Attica, N. Y., water bonds. Previous to consummating the business, the firm made some inquiries of Mr. F. C. Stevens, of this city, formerly a director in the Attica Water company, with the result, it is said, that the bonds offered must have been an amount stolen several years ago from Mr. Frost, the secretary of the county in which they were issued. A meeting was then arranged at the brokers' office with the principals in the offer to sell, said to be Kinsley and Frank W. Hayden, also of Buffalo. At this meeting was present Deputy United States Marshal Wallace Kirby, who had with him a writ of replevin for the bonds and when they were produced made a demand for them.

The Buffalo men, who were astounded at this phase of the situation, declared their absolute ignorance of anything wrong in the matter. Hayden said he obtained the Attica bonds from a man named Elijah Johnson, now dead. They made no effort to retain the bonds, and it is said have left the city.

WHISKEY TRUST WICKEDNESS.

President Greenhut Accused of Having Lied to the Court.

Chicago, Feb. 6.—Judge Grosscup took up the investigation of the connection of Charles J. Heinsheimer and S. L. Wormser with the whiskey trust case. The names of these two were signed to the petition for a receivership, it is claimed, entirely without their authority. The court stated that he had in his possession an affidavit from President Greenhut declaring that he had authority to affix the two names. When he had read this, Attorney Julius Mack said, "I am prepared to state on information and belief that that affidavit is an unmitigated falsehood."

Judge Grosscup seemed somewhat startled at this statement. He demanded that Mr. Mack procure affidavits from New York at once confirming this statement, and said he was determined to fix the responsibility for the connection of these two young men with the case.

Attorney Mack caused another sensation when he accused Burry, who represents Mr. Greenhut, of saying in private conversation: "I believe my client lied about this matter."

This closed the matter until to-morrow morning, when affidavits can be procured from Goodhart & Co., and Heinsheimer & Wormser.

THE CORONER AND THE ELBE

Evidence About the Disaster To Be Brought in Court.

London, Feb. 6.—A coroner's inquest upon the body of Friedrich Ernst, which was picked up by the fishing smack Verena, was begun at Lowestoft yesterday. It is now said that Ernst was not a passenger but a seaman belonging to the crew of the Elbe.

The coroner in opening the proceedings said it was his intention to make a thorough inquiry into the circumstances of the loss of the Elbe and would adjourn the inquest for three weeks after the formal evidence had been taken, in order to communicate with the board of trade in regard to the exact course to be pursued. The German vice-consul and an agent of the North German Steamship company were present.

Several more lifebelts from the steamer Elbe have been picked up at various places on the coast.

HARD WAS HIS LOT.

Frozen To Death in Lake View Park. The Wife Without Money.

Cleveland, Feb. 6.—W. H. Goodno, of this city, deliberately froze himself to death in Lake View park last night. His body was found on one of the benches in the park by an employe of a nearby hospital. The following letter was found in his pocket.

To whom it may concern: I am W. H. Goodno of 255 Central avenue. Don't take me home but drop me at your morgue and let my wife know. Break it gently to my wife and then drop me in some handy hole so it won't take any expense. My wife has *no means to foot any bills.*

W. H. Goodno.

Another letter was found addressed to his wife, in which he asked her forgiveness and advised her to make the daughter help earn a living, "though she is so lazy." Goodno was a plumber and a sufferer from rheumatism.

Man and Wife Gagged.

Plymouth, Ind., Feb. 6.—At midnight last night, four masked burglars burst open the door at the house of John Engle, ten miles north of this city with a heavy piece of timber. Engel and wife were tied hand and foot and gagged, while the robbers ransacked the premises. All the money they had saved by years of toil was taken.

Will Discuss Trade Conditions.

Pittsburg, Feb. 6.—Every railroad coal operator in the Pittsburg district has been asked to attend a meeting to be held to-morrow in the rooms of the coal agency. The object of the meeting is discussion of trade conditions, freight rates and other important matters, some of which will have important bearing upon the wage rates.

Burned To Death.

Rome, N. Y., Feb. 6.—John Snyder, a farmer over 70 years of age, who lived alone about eight miles west of here, was burned to death in his house last evening. He was alone and the origin of the fire and the circumstances are unknown.

Disgusted with the Bond Issue.

Denver, Feb. 6.—At a mass meeting held at the chamber of commerce resolutions were adopted protesting against the further issuance of bonds by the administration.

Stafford Under Contract.

New York, Feb. 6.—George S. Davis, the manager of the New York Baseball club, has received the signed contract of James Stafford, the player who is slated to take Ward's place at second base.

SENATORS ARE ANGRY

Sharp Words Between Harris and Mitchell.

District Appropriation Bill Passes the Senate—Debate on the Currency and Banking Measures in the House—Mr. Reed's Substitute—Several Private Bills Passed.

Washington, Feb. 6.—The opening of the session in the senate was accompanied by a rather stormy scene between two members of that body. An objection which Mr. Harris (dem., Tenn.) made to a request of Mr. Mitchell's (rep., Ore.) to be allowed to address the senate in explanation of a report which he proposed to make was resented by the Oregon senator, who after some little exchange of discourtesies, indulged in the cutting remark that the Tennessee senator was "capable of doing unusual, and indiscreet, and ungentlemanly things." To this the angry reply was made by Mr. Mitchell's conduct was "contemptible." There was some more storm indications after this point; but a timely use of the gavel by the vice-president prevented any further explosion of anger on either side, and business was proceeded with.

The district appropriation bill crowded out other matters, and occupied the remainder of the day's session—the bill being passed before adjournment. At one point the financial question broke out in the shape of an amendment offered by Mr. McLaurin (dem., Miss.), looking to the coinage of the silver bullion in the treasury to the amount of the seigiorage ($55,000,000;) but the amendment to which it was offered was decided, by a vote of the senate, to be out of order, and Mr. McLaurin's amendment fell with it.

After the district appropriation bill was passed, the diplomatic and consular appropriation bill was taken up—*not, however, displacing the bankruptcy bill as the unfinished business,* and the senate adjourned.

House of Representatives.

The first day's debate in the house on the currency and banking bill, with authority to issue low-interest long-time bonds to maintain the gold reserve, brought out Mr. Reed's substitute for the measure which has been discussed *the past day or two.* The speech in which he presented the proposition was the principal feature of the day. The bill is in brief, that the secretary of the treasury be directed to issue 3 per cent. certificates of indebtedness to meet the deficiency in receipts, the gold reserve to be used only for the redemption of greenbacks.

These certificates, he said, might be for two years, or less, and could be redeemed out of the surplus receipts, which the secretary estimates the treasury will have this year. This would avoid all questions, he said, which hinder the passage of the committee's bill and meet the present exigency. The republicans, he said, were willing to forego any party advantage that might be obtained from a continuance of present conditions and join in the passage of a measure that would relieve the country; but it must be such a measure as commended itself to their ideas of right and justice and practicability. The bill he offered as a substitute was ordered to be printed in the record.

The debate was participated in by Messrs. Springer (dem., Ill.), and Patterson (dem., Tenn.), in favor of the bill; and by Messrs. Walker (rep., Mass.), Hall (dem., Mo.), Swanson (dem., Va.), Simpson (pop., Kan.), McKeighan (pop., Neb.), and Pence (pop., Col.), against it. Messrs. Walker and Cox also have substitutes for the pending bill, which they propose to offer.

Before the currency and banking bill was taken up, several private bills were passed; also, a resolution calling upon the secretary of the interior to suspend the location of lands upon railroad grants until further action by congress.

Shook Hands with the Murderer.

Chicago, Feb. 6.—Mary Florence Jourdenes, of Springfield, Mass., the aged mother of the principal defendant in the Barnes' murder case, rose from a seat in Judge Freeman's court yesterday and shook hands with the murderer after he and the other four defendants had been seated. This marked the opening of the trial. All pleaded not guilty. Jourdenes' plea will be self defense.

The Poor Suffering in Chicago.

Chicago, Feb. 6.—This city has experienced the coldest weather thus far this year, the official thermometer at the auditorium registering fifteen degrees below zero. There is intense suffering in the homes of the poor and many persons have been more or less severely frost bitten. An old lady was found frozen to death yesterday and a homeless laborer was found so badly frozen that there is no hope of his recovery.

School War Settled.

Bridgeport, Conn., Feb. 6.—The recent school war in Newtown was settled by a decision of Judge Prentice, sustaining a demurrer filed by School Commissioner Winton a few weeks ago. The decision gives the school board power to remove Miss Ryan from the Gray Plains school and appoint whom they please to the position.

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THE WEATHER.

Snow Thursday, beginning in the Early Morning; Probably Warmer Thursday Afternoon; North to Northeasterly Winds.

Brave Men Behind the Guns.

Feb. 6 is the anniversary of the taking of Fort Henry, Tenn. (1862), by Commodore Foote's gunboats. The defense was made by 54 men with nine guns. They held out two hours in order to allow the infantry garrison time to retreat. Captain Jesse Taylor commanded the gunners, who belonged to the volunteer militia of Tennessee. When the Union fleet was seen bearing down on the work, General Tilghman, the post commandant, asked Taylor "to hold out one hour." He assigned a gun to each vessel. These were seven in number—four ironclads leading, and three wooden gunboats. Fort Henry's guns open on the fleet with a perfect "broadside," and for 20 minutes the action was hot. The ironclad Essex was pierced above the porthole, and the shot entered the boiler. She dropped out of the fight. About that time a rifled gun in the fort burst, and a columbiad was spiked by its own priming wire. The ironclads then drew closer. Two of Taylor's guns were struck and shattered and their gunners disabled by simultaneous shots. The gunboat shells also penetrated the walls as though they were of pine boards. Another gun was speedily disabled, making five that were useless, and 16 men had fallen beside them.

GENERAL TILGHMAN.

The fight had lasted nearly two hours, time enough for the garrison to save themselves. General Tilghman ordered the colors down, but the staff had been shot through and the halyards had fouled at the crosstrees. The flag could not be lowered. Captain Taylor and an old "man-o'-war's man" then climbed up the shot riddled mast, the target for a steady gunboat fire, and lowered their tattered ensign.

The Union fleet carried over 50 guns. Foote's flagship, the ironclad Cincinnati, received one shot through her front and her upper works were bored full of holes. All the casualties of the fleet were suffered on the ironclads Essex and Cincinnati. They numbered 39, double the loss in the fort.

GEORGE L. KILMER.

Wait for the Elevator.

The Camera Club held their regular monthly meeting last evening in their rooms in the Babcock Building

Rev. T. Logan Murphy and A. L. Titsworth were elected members. The Committee on the Fair was continued and a purchasing and membership committee was appointed. An exhibition of the Newark slides will be given next Tuesday evening for the members and friends only. The Waterbury slides which were sent here by mistake have been returned They will be shown here later. The club have been assured that the elevator will be finished by the middle of March, and as soon as that is in running order the Plainfield slides will be given. The balance of the evening was passed in social intercourse.

—Sedate Lodge, No. 3512, K. of H., will meet tomorrow night.

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PARTICULAR MENTION.

James Hallock, who has been ill with the grip, is out again.

Miss Fanny Westphal of the West End is kept at home by illness.

H. C. McVoy is once more attending to business after a short illness.

Miss Try Mattox returned last evening from a visit with friends in Newark.

Mrs. Joseph Carbone and children of North avenue are laid up with the grip.

Miss Stella Shotwell of College place is obliged to leave school on account of her health.

Mr. Apgar of Spooner avenue, who has been ailing some time, is now confined to the bed.

Peter B. Matthews returned last night from a very enjoyable trip to Philadelphia.

Councilman and Mrs. G. H. Frost sailed at 11 a. m. today on the steamship Paris for England.

Miss Neva Dimmitt of East Ninth street is spending a few days with friends in New York.

Charles Dupee and Percy Brown are taking a college preparatory course in New York city.

Special Policeman Dennis Carney of Cottage place is out again after two weeks of grip and pneumonia.

Mrs. S. P. Craig and daughter Miss Beatrice, returned home yesterday from a short visit in Hartwick, N. Y.

Little Lillian, the two-year-old daughter of George and Kate M. Washington of 17 Stigers alley, died of the grip yesterday afternoon.

Miss Johnson, who was one of the bridemaids at the Delanoy-Corlies wedding, is a guest of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Adams of East Sixth street.

I. Winthrop Travell, principal of the High School, was kept at home today with the grip, from which he has been suffering for several days.

Rev. J. O. Ferguson of Somerville, brother-in-law of Counselor W. K. McCure, has been appointed chaplain of the Soldiers Home of Newark.

Miss Bessie Cushing and Miss Emily Mullon of Brooklyn, who have been guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hand on Park avenue, have returned home.

W. H. Shearer of Westfield, the well-known and popular general agent of the Metropolitan Insurance Co., has just recovered from a slight attack of pneumonia.

The lecture on David Garrick given Mrs. E. A. Bermann of Philadelphia at the home of Mrs. M. E. Edgerton this morning, was largely attended and most thoroughly enjoyed.

C. B. Clifton has purchased the lot at the corner of West Seventh street and Spooner avenue, and E. T. French, the rising architect of Plainfield, is drawing plans for a handsome residence to be built there and occupied by Mr. Clifton as soon as completed.

The funeral of John L. Collins takes place tomorrow morning, from his father's residence in Scotch Plains at 8:30, and from St. Mary's Church, Plainfield, at 9:30. This is the fifth and last child of Mr. Collins to die in the past two years and six month, and in the same time he has lost his mother and sister.

Card to the Public.

In regard to the greengoods operations which are alleged to have been committed at my club-house, I desire the public to withhold its verdict till the facts are shown on investigation. Meanwhile, I assure my friends that I have had no connection with any unlawful operations. My rooms have been rented to applicants the same as in any public house, and if any illegal business has been carried on by them I have had no knowledge whatever of it. C. VAN DEVENTER.

Still Alarm.

At 3:15 yesterday afternoon Rev. T. A. V. Henry of 438 West Third street found his chimney was afire, and ran to Fire Department Headquarters. Chief Doane was there, and ordered out Alerts. Extinguishers soon put an end to the fire, which was just assuming dangerous proportions.

—Ten members of the Sons of Veterans will meet this evening and be measured for suits. At the meeting last evening one application was received.

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EARLY INTELLIGENCE

—The McKane-Walsh shooting case was today postponed for one week.

—The bowling game between the Elizabeth and Plainfield teams, which was set for Friday night, has been postponed indefinitely.

—Unconsciously the front door of M. C. Dobbins's house on Elmwood place was left open last night, and a choice lot of flowers suffered, most of them being frozen.

—Chicago was 12 degrees warmer than Plainfield at 8 a. m. today. Buffalo was 4 degrees colder. Albany was the same as Plainfield. North Dakota was 4 degrees colder.

—The Christian Endeavor society of the Park Avenue Baptist Church will celebrate Christian Endeavor Day Friday evening with special exercises. Rev J. W. Richardson will make an address.

—A quorum not being present at the annual meeting of the New Jersey Building Loan and Investment Company held in the Republican Association rooms last evening, the election of officers was deferred till Feb. 19.

—Plainfield will be well represented at the G. A. R. Encampment to be held in Trenton, Thursday and Friday. Several important measures will come up for consideration, in which the Plainfield delegation are interested.

Y. M. C. A. Notes.

The opening reception in connection with the Y. M. C. A. convention to be held Feb. 14-17 will be in charge of the Christian Endeavor societies of the city. Representatives from all the societies met in the Association building this morning to make arrangements for the affair.

Persons holding $5, $8 and $10 membership tickets in the Association are entitled to the privileges of the entertainments which will be given from time to time.

Work has commenced on the bowling alleys, and will be pushed as rapidly as possible. The furnishing of the main hall is about completed, and presents an attractive appearance.

—Howell Osborn, the New York clubman, died today.

—Prof. Samuel Dickie will speak in Music Hall next Sunday afternoon.

—An umbrella that keeps you dry and that is handsome to carry, and yet that collapses quickly to be packed in the grip, is the latest novelty in the stock of Jeweler Asa Collier.

Electric Lights.

A Vienna professor gives it as his opinion, after much research on the subject, that all delicate persons and those who suffer from nervousness should never remain long in a room lighted by electric lights, its effect on the nervous system being such that after awhile they generally become uneasy and depressed and find it impossible to concentrate the attention for any length of time. Young persons, on the contrary, and those with strong nerves find the influence of the light extremely beneficial, especially when the brain is overworked and tired, the effect being much the same as that of strong coffee—i. e., increased activity of the nervous system.

Through Algerian Spectacles.

In a delightful paper before a club recently Mrs. Fannie C. Barbour, the writer and traveler, gave a description of her visit to some Algerian ladies. Through the interpreting friend who accompanied her the hostesses conveyed their polite pity at her extraordinary costume. "Where," they asked in plaintive pity for the unfortunate American, "are her Turkish trousers?" When told that she came from America, they asked where that was, and on hearing that it was across a great sea complacently remarked: "Not so great as our Mediterranean. There is no sea like that."

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We made every effort to obtain a cure but they all resulted in bitter disappointment, although a number of physicians of excellent reputations for skill in that direction had treated her case. She grew worse and worse all the time, the pain became perfectly unbearable and I felt she could not bear the strain of her condition much longer. In this extremity, a friend of mine, Mr. W. E. Dilts, a resident of Roselle, N. J., a passenger conductor on the New Jersey Central told me that he had been similarly affected, and had been permanently cured by Dr. Lighthill, after other medical skill had failed. He assured me that the doctor would cure my wife, no matter how severe her case may be, and his prediction proved perfectly correct. In spite of her desperate condition, Dr. Lighthill, I am glad to say, has effected a complete and perfect cure in her case, and has given her new life.

Since the cure has been effected she has gained in health and strength and is so improved in appearance that her friends scarcely recognize her. They all consider her cure as almost miraculous, and Dr. Lighthill's praise is heard on every side. Our gratitude to Dr. Lighthill is unbounded and we only hope that other sufferers may be benefited by this publication.

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JOHN DIETRICH.

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PLAINFIELD, N. J., June 1, 1894.

TO THE PUBLIC:

For some time past I have been greatly distressed with noises in the head. They were all over my head and troubled me constantly; they were loudest at night when everything was quiet and at such times would often keep me from sleeping and disturb my rest. In fact they got to be so bad and distressing that they affected my whole nervous system as well as my health. I did not obtain the least relief until I placed myself under the care of Dr. Lighthill of No. 132 Crescent avenue, who effected a complete cure in my case in a short time and made me a very happy man.

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DRAMA AND OPERA.

A SURFEIT OF FOREIGN PLAYS AND FOREIGN ACTORS IN NEW YORK.

Herbert Beerbohm Tree Makes a Favorable Impression. Fanny Davenport May Have a Theater of Her Own in the Ill-fated Casino. Grand Opera near its End.

The London actor, Herbert Beerbohm Tree, made his American debut at Abbey's Theatre last week. He was greeted by an audience which, having welcomed him with hearty applause, settled down at once into a judicial attitude toward him, as though determined to ignore his fame and judge independently of his merits. An Anglomaniac element was present, it is true, and was eager to accept the English celebrity without hesitancy or discrimination, but critics, amateur and professional, were predominant in the assemblage, for there was no other new thing at the theaters to distract the attention of the first-night contingent. To these people, Mr. Tree proved his ability. His acting made no profound impression, and it may, indeed, have disappointed more of the observers than it satisfied, but it went far to demonstrate the justifiability of his reputation as a versatile depictor of character. It is all but certain that when he has appeared in a number of roles his flexibility of talent will have won for him a more positive meed of approval. Mr. Tree's first public bow in this country was made in the character of Gringoire, that French tatterdemalion poet and minstrel who makes and sings songs against Louis XI. We have had English versions of Theodore de Banville's short play before. The one used in this instance, entitled "The Ballad Monger," is worded by Walter Besant and Walter Herries Pollock. The prior actors in the piece here have been the late Lawrence Barrett in English and Constant Coquelin in French. Mr. Tree was a little like both of them. He had some of the declamatory force of Mr. Barrett and some of the reckless air of M. Coquelin, added to which he was excellently picturesque in pose and motion. He delivered the poems, especially "The Orchard of the King," with a good elocutionary method, with a proper sentimentality, and with a romantic aspect. Thus he introduced himself pleasantly, and raised the expectation of something more solidly and substantially admirable to come. Mr. Tree will stay a month in this city, and change his roles frequently, in order to prove to us that he really is the versatile artist which transatlantic fame declares him to be. He brings along a full company and a complete equipment of scenery, and so we shall get a rapid round of genuine London theatrical entertainments. No doubt culture and fashion will equally pay attention to Mr Tree.

Eleven plays of foreign make, counting in the three to be used by Beerbohm Tree, and leaving out two that have been thoroughly Americanized, are to be performed in New York this week, as against fourteen that are American. In the lead among the important works, by priority of production here, is "The Masqueraders," which is not to be displaced at the Empire this season.

Fanny Davenport will appear in "Gismonda" at the Fifth Avenue until the end of February, her time having been extended. That proves the substantial character of the drama's success. Miss Davenport will lease and manage the Casino, if the plan to turn that house over to vaudeville falls through. In that case she would lower the auditorium to the ground, thus gaining convenience and more room. She would act in some of the plays produced, and not in others.

Kathryn Kidder, another actress prospering in a Sardou play, "Madame Sans Gene," at the Broadway, is something of a manager, too, as she is a partner with Augustus Piton in the venture. It is understood that several managers made rich offers to her for the Napoleonic comedy after she had purchased it for America, but she was determined to have a personal share in its triumph, if it should make one—and it has. It is holding a place among the best of the Broadway entertainments.

The dramatic version of the legend of Faust has been used by Lewis Morrison on tours during a few years past. This "Faust" gets into New York at the Grand Opera House. It keeps a red light on Mephistopheles throughout his deviltry with Faust and Marguerite, and has been accepted elsewhere as a thrilling play. Mr. Morrison enacts the Satanic plotter and tempter. He is a sound and virile actor of the legitimate class.

The admirable cast of "The Fatal Card," at Palmer's, is the means of making refined audiences accept and enjoy the excessively melodramatic scenes of that piece. The episode of the infernal machine's explosion, as presented with actors of the first grade, thrills Broadway audiences quite as thoroughly as Bowery assemblages are affected by similar things clumsily done. The change to "Trilby," which Manager Palmer is to make, will be a far departure. The Potter dramatization of the Du Maurier novel has gone into rehearsal.

There will be but two weeks more of the opera season, and the programme announced for this week is made up of works which have proved their popularity. The enthusiasm which always marks the close of the opera season set in at the "Faust" matinee two weeks ago, and has continued ever since, with, of course, the moderation in intensity which emphasizes the difference between a matinee and an evening performance. For several weeks the opera house has been so crowded at the matinees that the women have stood three or four deep at the rear of the orchestra seats. The particular enthusiasm of such an audience is of course centered on Jean de Reszke, although at the last "Faust" matinee Sig. Campanari, who sang Valentine, and acted the death scene splendidly, came in for six recalls. But the applause for anybody else is only incidental to the demonstration over the tenor. As soon as the curtain falls, women from all parts of the house rush through the corridors to the right-hand corner of the auditorium, toward the door through which the singers appear on the stage for the encores. By the time they have reappeared this corner holds a compact mass of women cheering and applauding with as much strength as they are capable of exerting. The diplomatic Jean sweeps the crowd with one killing glance, and when he has finally disappeared every woman within reach feels that part of it was intended for her.

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The first great movement in real estate in New York was in Wall Street. A new City Hall was erected there in 1700 at a cost of about $16,000. The selection of this place was not fortuitous. The name of Wall was derived from the fact that a line of palisades had there crossed the city from Broadway to the East River, each picket of this palisade being a young and straight tree, sharpened at the top. When the Indian wars ceased in this neighborhood it was thought to be no longer necessary to keep up the city defenses, and the fortifications were ordered demolished and the street widened. The old City Hall had become dilapidated, and it was resolved to erect another one at the head of Broad street, which was of unusual width. In former years a wide ditch had been cut through the centre for drainage, and to some extent for navigation. When this was filled up it gave much ampler proportions to the thoroughfare than those possessed by any other street. The new City Hall was an imposing edifice, and that, with the additional fact that the street was on good high ground, caused the best houses to be erected there, and it became a favorite street for lawyers and other professional men. The Legislature for a number of years occupied the City Hall, as did Congress for one session. Before the end of the century the position of this thoroughfare as the monetary centre of America was fixed. The lot at the corner of Wall and Broad streets recently sold at $425 a square foot.—Commercial List.

Another of the very large day goods establishments in the city, which has been in existence for over half a century, has a a grocery department almost ready for the opening, and has already a department for crockery ware, and also one for house-furnishing goods. We believe that the department system in large business houses has proved to be a success in every instance where it has been rightfully established in New York, and we suppose it is destined to flourish permanently. This new departure in business methods must be a thing of very serious concern to all the old-fashioned shopkeepers, as well as to their employees. In the ordinary grocery stores there are the salesmen; in the grocery department of the department stores there are the saleswomen. It is no wonder that there is constant talk upon the subject among members of the Retail Grocers' Union. What can the thousands of small grocers do about the changes which are taking place, and which they are wholly unable to prevent? That is a question which they will have to think about for a good while before they can answer it satisfactorily. We have not any doubt, however, that they will yet learn how to adapt themselves to the new order of things.—N. Y. Sun.

The most notable thing about the New York Street Cleaning Department under the new regime is ths comparative youthfulness of the men. They work with extraordinary vigor and energy, and crowds of people stand and watch them while they work. There is something in the spectacle of a man working briskly and energetically which always attracts a crowd. When Col. Waring's men descended upon upper Broadway after the recent snowstorm with their carts, the loungers on that thoroughfare were entertained by their efforts. The former method was for one or two carts to back up slowly to a mound of snow. Then the shovellers would gather slowly and rheumatically from various points and begin in a desultory way to shovel the snow into the cart. The driver usually sat on the curb and watched the efforts of the others sympathetically. In the course of ten or fifteen minutes five or six men would succeed in shovelling a portion of the snow mound into the cart. Then the driver would relight his pipe, and, after all hands had rested a while, the horse would slowly drag his load away. The men were always old, not infrequently crippled, and invariably slow in their movements. Now there is a swarm of carts on Broadway, and every cart is driven by a young and active man. The snow is shovelled into carts in a businesslike way, the drivers jump to their places, and the horses trot off with their loads.

Dr. Loomis's will, disposing of $1,000,000, is an illustration of the large fortunes rolled up by physicians who achieve prominence as specialists in New York. This fortune was made in the main during the past ten years, and its size would indicate that the rumor which places the income of many of the New York crack doctors at $60,000 to $75,000 a year as not very far out of the way. Some physicians, by the way, who discussed this matter, said that it was only among ignorant people that anything startling was discernible in the fact that Dr. Loomis died of the disease which he was so successful in treating among his patients. Doctors so often give way before attacks of disease of which they have made a specialty, that it has almost been accepted as a rule that they finally succumb to the enemy whom they have most frequently vanquished in others.

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6:30 A. M.—Tommy arises.
6:35—He complains of a headache.
7—Quite sick, but able to eat a hearty breakfast.
7:30—Getting worse very rapidly.
8—He develops signs of fever.
8:15—Complications of toothache and sore throat.
8:45—He fears he will die.
9 (schooltime)—High fever, aches all over, and sobbing with pain.
9:15—Little Tommy is out in the yard wrestling merrily with the neighbor's boy.—Chicago Record.

Settling Amicably.

A dispute over the possession of a vagrant kitten had arisen between the two boys.

"Observe or reverse?" said the Boston bootblack, taking a one-cent coin from his pocket and flipping it up in the air.—Chicago Tribune.

The Awakening Tiger.

Between the drowsy sleep of the nocturnal animals and the hypersensitive sleep of those which spend their lives in constant fear of their enemies a place must be found for the form of slumber enjoyed by the large carnivora and that of domestic animals. The former have no enemies to fear except man, and the latter, protected by man, enjoy to the full the blessing of natural rest.

Tigers are frequently found fast asleep in the daytime. Native hunters have been known to track them after a "kill" to the place in which they were lying fast asleep and gorged with food and to shoot them as they lie. When taking his midday repose in districts where it is little disturbed, the tiger does not always retire to a place of security, like the bear, or even the leopard, which usually sleeps on the branch of a tree. It just lies down in some convenient spot, either shady or warm, according to the weather, and there sleeps almost regardless of danger. They have been found lying in dry nullahs, under trees and even in the grass of the hillsides unobserved until their disturber came within a few yards of them.

General Douglas Hamilton, when shooting in the Dandilly forest, came upon a tigress and two cubs lying fast asleep on their backs, with their paws sticking up in the air, under a clump of bamboos. When he was within a few yards of the group, one raised its head and without moving its body quietly looked at him along the line of its body between its paws. Tigers kept in captivity awaken gradually, stretching and yawning like a dog.—London Spectator.

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Among the guests was old Dr. Cornabuc, an illustrious member of the Society of Metaphysical Sciences, so original, so absent-minded, so venerable in his blonde peruke and his costume of the fashion of 1850. Then there was Mme. de Lartigues, an old school friend of the Marquise, a brilliant and coquettish Parisienne. And there was Miss Hawthorne, an English maiden lady with youthful propensities. And there were many others, all of whom found plenty of amusement to their heart's content at Kerdall.

Outside of the ordinary pleasures of life there were some unusual attractions. In the first place, the host and hostess had seen and experienced so much that was novel and startling that their conversation was always fascinating. Then the rooms of the castle constituted a veritable museum, being stocked with rare and curious objects from two continents. And, finally, a menagerie had been created in one corner of the park and was stocked with the various animals which M. de Kerdall had picked up during the voyage and brought back to France for purposes of acclimitation.

There were gazelles, antelopes, Thibet goats, Nile ibises, rose flamingoes, opossums, beavers, and an Asiatic ape of the mandrill species, as mild as a lamb, but as mischievous as all its kind. An iron-lattice cage had been built for him close to the conservatory.

As will be seen, the Chateau de Kerdall was a veritable Eden, but this fact did not prevent Mme. de Lartigues from dreading the isolated position of the place among the wide expanse of woods and fields.

"I should be afraid to live here all the year round," she said.

"Afraid of what, my dear?" asked the Marquise.

"Oh, of robbers; they would fairly revel here."

Robbers! In this mansion filled to the eaves with guests and servants! Everybody mocked at the young woman, and old Dr. Cornabuc told horrible stories of robbers and assassins until Mme. de Lartigues, ashamed of her chimerical fears, was the first to laugh, and when the retiring hour came she mounted to her sleeping apartment on the second floor supplied with a goodly stock of heroism. Within a short time all the occupants of the chateau were in the land of dreams.

How long Mme. de Lartigues slept she knew not. She was awakened by a rattling at her window, which she had left half opened on account of the heat.

What was her terror, when, in the feeble starlight, she saw a form climbing noiselessly through the window. She tried to scream, but her throat was parched with fright, and she could not utter a word.

The man had entered the chamber. Then the poor woman hastily buried her head beneath the bedclothing. Half dead with fear, she could hear her nocturnal visitor going and coming across the carpet with muffled steps. It seemed as though he must have removed his shoes in order to tread softly.

Bathed with cold perspiration and her teeth chattering, she awaited the mortal blow from the invader. But it did not come.

After about a quarter of an hour she timidly peeped out. She could see and hear nothing. Slightly reassured, she recovered the use of her voice, and started a series of shrieks, so sharp, piercing and terrible that in an instant the entire chateau was turned topsy-turvy. Everybody rushed into her chamber with lights in their hands, M. and Mme. de Kerdall at the head.

"What is it? What's the matter?" they cried.

She recounted her horrible vision; they would not believe her—she had been dreaming.

Who could have climbed into this chamber, so high above the ground, without a ladder?

"Did you see him plainly?" asked the Marquise, with a touch of suspicion in his voice.

"As plainly as I see you, and it even seemed—"

She hesitated.

"What?"

"It seemed as though I could recognize Dr. Cornabuc in his red wig and redingote."

Everybody laughted. What! Dr. Cornabuc! A man of his age and character scaling windows at midnight! It was certain now that Mme. Lartigues had been dreaming. They tried to dissipate her fears, and she was just about to persuade herself that she had been the victim of an hallucination when she happened to cast her eyes on the bureau, where she had left her jewels.

They were gone! It had truly been a robber!

The laughing suddenly ceased, and they looked at one another in consternation.

All at once another cry was heard, a piercing shriek coming through the stillness of the night. It appeared to emanate from Miss Hawthorne's chamber. There was a rush for her apartment, and the English lady was found standing in the middle of the room, with frightened eyes.

"There! there!" she cried, pointing to the window. "A man! He escaped, but I recognized him."

"Who was it?"

"Dr. Cornabuc!"

The doctor again! This time nobody laughed. Cornabuc was looked for, among the persons who had been attracted by the excitement, but he was not there. He was the only occupant of the chateau who was missing.

"Come, let us go to the doctor's room," said the Marquis, knitting his brows. "He will doubtless solve the mystery for us."

All followed Kerdall—the men half-dressed, the women in their white night-robes, all carrying candles—a weird procession.

Upon the entrance of the crowd, the doctor hurriedly wrapped himself in the bedclothes, his wrinkled countenance alone being visible over the top, and this convulsed by anger into a comical grimace. The candle-light was reflected from his bald pate, which shone like old ivory.

"Is this some ill-timed joke?" he stormed. "What is going on? Is the old chateau on fire? I heard a terrible outcry, and was just about to inquire into it."

"You must come and join us, doctor," said Kerdall.

"And how shall I do it?" cried the doctor furiously. Some rascal has run off with my clothing, and in exchange he has left me this," and he savagely hurled a white object into the middle of the room.

"My corsets!" murmured Miss Hawthorne, modestly lowering her eyes.

"And this," continued the doctor, wildly brandishing another article.

"My hat!" cried Mme. de Lartigues.

"This raillery passes all bounds," howled the doctor, whose shining head, with one final grimace, ducked beneath the bed clothing, like the clown going through a trap door in the marionette theatre.

They knew not what to think. The mystery was more complicated. It certainly looked as though a robber had entered the chateau—perhaps a whole band of burglars and assassins. Mme. de Lartigues imagined a troop of brigands armed to the teeth.

"Let us hope they have no guns," said the marquis, to raise the hopes of his guests.

There was no echo to the pleasantry.

Suddenly a strange sound was heard coming from the ground floor. It was certainly the piano in the reception-room, but it was surely being played by goblin fingers, and so furiously that it seemed as though the keys must be broken.

"This is too much!" cried the marquis, rushing toward the staircase, with all the crowd, excepting Dr. Cornabuc, close behind him.

They hastily penetrated the salon. It was empty. The mysterious visitor was gone, but he could not be far away. The crash of china and glass announced his presence in the dining-room.

Everybody rushed thither, and the marquis, who was in the lead, dimly saw a form escaping through the window into the garden.

"This time we have got him!" he cried.

The men seized guns and knives from a hunting rack in the vestibule, and started across the garden and park in pursuit of the fugitive, while the women barricaded themselves in the salon and anxiously awaited the result of the chase.

It was about an hour later, in the uncertain light which precedes the rising of the sun, that a servant discovered the mysterious stranger ensconced among the branches of a large oak. At his call the marquis and his guests hastened to the spot.

"Come down!" demanded M. de Kerdall, but the bandit only settled himself deeper among the foliage and made no response.

"Come down, or I will shoot!"

And, as there was no reply, he lifted his gun and already had his finger upon the trigger, when the domestic hurriedly pulled his arm, and said:

"Do not fire, monsieur. It is Dr. Cornabuc!"

And sure enough, the blond wig and long redingote could now be seen among the leaves.

But at this moment the first rays of sunlight gleamed in from the east and the oak was illuminated. The marquis suddenly broke into a fit of explosive laughter, and, as his guests gazed up into the tree, they could not keep from following his example.

"The ape!"

Everything was explained. The animal had escaped from his cage the previous evening and had managed to effect an entrance into the chateau. Animated by his instinct of imitation, he had first attired himself in the doctor's effects and then wandered over the house at his own free will.

He was put back into his prison after some little trouble, and at breakfast the party enjoyed a hearty laugh at the adventures of the night.

Put Dr. Cornabuc did not appear at the table. He left the chateau at an early hour, furious and without taking leave.

Since this episode he has never set foot at Kerdall, and he has never lost a feeling of deep antipathy to Mme. de Lartigues and Miss Hawthorne.

"How could they have mixed me up with a monkey?" he wants to know.—From the French in the San Francisco Argonaut.

Destiny.

George H. Stroble of Elba was on his way to Batavia, N. Y. It was getting dark, and the snow was falling and drifting as it fell. Two miles from Batavia's corporate limits he was tipped out of his sleigh and went heels over head into a snow bank. His head was very close to what looked like a bundle of shawls, but a faint cry told me a different tale. Picking it up he satisfied himself that it was a real live baby. For several minutes Stroble stood undecided, hardly realizing what had befallen himself—or the baby, either. Finally he got back into his sleigh, and, with wonderment on his countenance and the baby in his care, he started again for Batavia. He had travelled on for about two miles when a rig drove up behind him at a rapid rate, and a German occupant called out to him:

"Have you seen anything of a baby along the road?"

"Here it is," quickly said Stroble, as he caught the baby in his arms and almost ran to the other cutter with it, so glad was he to get it off his hands.

An explanation followed. The man's wife had gone to Batavia with his little daughter and the baby. On their return they were tipped over, and the mother fell out, but did not think the baby fell out also. The little girl managed to keep her seat. Both were much frightened and did not miss the baby until they got home. Then the father and husband hastened after it.

A Question of Whiskers.

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Leave Newark 6 10, 7 15, 7 55, 8 10, 9 08, 10 05, 11 25 A. M., 1 15, 1 35, 2 20 Saturday only, 3 40, 3 55, 4 05, 4 40, 5 04, 5 24, 5 40, 5 20, 7 15, 7 35, 9 05, 10 05, 11 35 P. M. Sunday—7 20, 9 45, 9 25, 11 05 A. M., 1 10, 2 35, 4 10, 5 40, 7 30, 9 25, 10 20 P. M.

Passengers for Newark change cars at Elizabeth.

PLAINFIELD AND SOMERVILLE.

Leave Plainfield 5 45, 7 10, 8 16, 9 54, 11 a.m., 12 46, 2 08, 2 23, 3 46, 4 35, 5 08, 5 14, 5 34, 5 04, 6 18, 6 30, 7 13, 7 38, 8 21, 10 26, 11 23 P. M., 12 30 night Sunday—5 45, 9 54, A. M., 2 08, 3 20, 5 14, 5 56, 10 16, 11 14 P. M.

Leave Somerville, 6, 6 30, 7 00, 7 30, 7 55, 7 46, 8 40, 9 05, 9 46, 11 40 A. M., 12 51, 1 45, 3 05, 4 21, 4 25, 5 20, 6 05, 6 17, 8 45, 11 05, P. M. Sunday 8 45, 9 45, 10 55 A. M., 12 05, 1 20, 5 05, 6 45, 8 05, 8 03, 9 40 P. M.

PLAINFIELD AND EASTON

Leave Plainfield 5 45, 8 16, 9 54, A.M., 12 46, 2 08, 5 08, 5 14, 7 30, 8 21 P. M. Sunday—5 45, 9 30 A. M. 5 08, 6 55, P. M.

Leave Easton 6 05, 7 00, 8 55, A.M., 12 53, 4 04, 7 00 P. M. Sundays—7 15, 10 52, A. M. 6 40, 7 30, P. M.

PLAINFIELD AND LAKE HOPATCONG.

Leave Plainfield 9 54, a m, 5 08 p.m.

WESTWARD CONNECTIONS.

LEAVE PLAINFIELD.

5 45 A. M. for Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport and Tamaqua.

7 10 a. m. for stations to High Bridge, connecting for stations on High Bridge Branch.

8 16 A. M. for Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R. Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9 54 A. M. for Flemington, High Bridge branch D L & W R R, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Pottsville, Nanticoke, Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c. Through coach to Williamsport.

12 46 p. m., way for Easton connecting at Junction for stations on D. L. & W. R. R.

2 08 P. M. for Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Sunbury and Williamsport, Wilkes-Barre and Scranton. Buffet parlor car to Mauch Chunk.

3 46 P. M., way for Easton, connecting at High Bridge for stations on High Bridge branch

5 14 P. M. for Flemington, Easton, Bethlehem, Bangor Allentown, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, Mauch Chunk, Shamokin and Tamaqua. Buffet parlor car to Scranton.

7 10 P. M. for Flemington.

8 21 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading and Harrisburg.

8 21 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

5 45 A. M. Sunday for Easton, Bethlehem Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Wilkesbarre and Scranton. 9 30 a.m. Sundays for Easton, 5 08 p. m. Sundays for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Reading and Harrisburg. 6.55 p. m. Sundays for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, &c. and at Junction for D. L. & W. R. R.

For Atlantic City, 8 37 a. m. 1 18 p. m.

Long Branch, Ocean Grove, &c

Leave Plainfield 3 37, 8, 10 37, a. m. 1 18, 3 51, 5 54, p. m., Sundays—except Ocean Grove, 8 53, a. m., 5 30 p. m.

For Perth Amboy, 3 37, 5 39, 8 10 37 a. m., 1 18, 3 51, 4 50, 5.54, 7 09 p.m. Sunday—8 53, a. m., 5 30 p. m.

For Freehold, 3 37, 8, 10 37 a.m., 1 18, 3 51, 4 50, p.m.

ROYAL BLUE LINE.

Leave Plainfield for Philadelphia, 5 45, 8 16, 9 48, 10 46, a. m., 2 08*, 5 14*, 6 21, 9 37* p. m., 1 12, night. Sundays—5 45, 9 48, a. m., 2 08*, 5 14*, 6 48 p. m., 1 12, night.

For Trenton, 5 45, 8 44, 9 40*, 10 48, a. m., 12 46, 2 08*, 5 14*, 6 2?*, 8 21, 9 37* p.m., 1 12 night, Sunday—5 45, 9 54, a. m., 2 08*, 5 14*, 6 48 p., 1 12 night.

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Sundays—4 10, 8 30, 9 00, 12 05 a. m., 3 50, 6 00, 8 25 p. m., 12 10 night.

From 24th and Chestnut—3 55, 7 58, 9 21, 11 19 a.m., 2 0, 6 12, 8 10, 11 45 p. m. Sunday—3 55, 7 58, 12 19 p m., 3 30, 6 12, 8 10, 11 45 p. m.

Leave Trenton, Warren and Tucker sts., 1 30, 4 58, 9 05, 10 25, a.m., 12 25* 2 10, 4 29* 5 54, 9 01, p m. Sundays—1 00, 4 58, 9 05, 10 27 a. m., 1 16*, 4 29, 6 45*, 9 03 p m.

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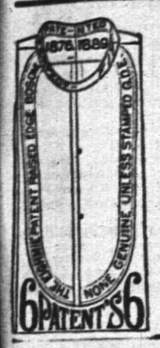

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THE SUN'S FASHIONS.

THE CUT OF THE SKIRT WILL BE THE CAUSE FOR UNREST.

Some of the Things Decreed in Paris. Popularity of Crepon Over Silk. Spring Fashions and Fabrics Assert Themselves.

One of the leading features of the seasons fashions is the black crepon skirt, which appears on all occasions, at all hours, and has completely unsurped the place of the black moire so popular last year. It is an elaborate example of crinkling in patterns and a work of art in the way it is cut and hung; but it is usually devoid of all trimming and always the smart thing to wear for a morning call or a swell reception, being equally suitable for maid or matron. She has only to live up to fashion's privileges in the way of variations in the bodice, which has become such a continual experiment in unique and striking combinations, and an apparently extensive wardrobe is accomplished with one skirt. This fashion for waists different from the skirt promises an indefinite extension, and will blossom out in fresh varieties with the spring flowers. It is too full of possibilities to be quickly discarded. One advantage which crepon has over silk is that it wears wonderfully well, and besides this, it is equally suitable for morning, afternoon and evening wear, where

full dress is not required, and quite as good style with a simple plain waist as with the most resplendent confection of satin, chiffon, and spangles. The new silk crepons for spring are in greater varieties than ever. There are chine effects in flowers of natural colors and Oriental patterns which are very soft, in prettily blended tints. Tiny flowered stripes are seen in light grounds, and crepons, with the wide uneven marking are spotted in contrasting colors with great effect. Another charming variety seems to have an upper surface quite distinct and very thin and yet is all woven together. Crepons bids fair to take the place of foulards, so long and serviceably worn, and one which will be especially useful as a substitute is navy blue with small white dots. French glace silk, very soft and glossy, are among the new spring goods, and these come in brilliant plaids beautiful to look upon and pretty pompadour effects. The man behind the counter will tell you that entire skirts are to be made of these gorgeous plaids, and worn with plain silk bodices and blouse waists. However, it is difficult to imagine that any woman's fancy could lead her into wearing one of the wide full skirts made of such a mixture of bright colors; but there is the seashore, where anything, no matter how bizarre, is permissible.

The skill of the dressmaker seems likely to be taxed to the utmost in the varied phases of the modern skirt. The latest decree in Paris is that the skirts of morning dresses shall be short enough to clear the ground, and made with no fulness at the wsist, either at the back or sides. They must be fitted very carefully around the hips and stand out in folds at the feet in front as well as at the back. Another variety of skirt originating in Paris has three box plaits in the back, which meet, and three in front which are separated. Three bands of guipure embroidery ending in rosettes of velvet trim this skirt. The gown is of gray figured taffeta, and the bodice, quite plain at the back has a jacket effect, wide epaulettes, and collar of the embroidery.

It is too early for spring millinery and too late to invest in winter hats, but one or two specimens are interesting as a possible hint of things to come. The round, dented crown, with a band of velvet in front and clusters of ostrich feathers at the side, is a Parisian fancy called the Henri III. hat. It is a glace felt, while the other shape is of petunia velvet, with ostrich tips curling down on either side. A charming little bonnet for evening or day wear is simply a round visor-shaped piece, possibly four or five inches deep in the widest place, covered with black velvet and trimmed on the edge with four rows of small rhinestones set a little distance apart. This fits close to the head and well back, where there are tiny black ostrich tips standing out at either side with a wing effect and bows of black velvet for a finish.—New York Sun.

A Revised Version.

They used to sing some time ago
A rather plaintive song,
"Man wants but little here below,
Nor wants that little long."
But nowadays the thing is set
With music to the rhyme,
"Man wants as much as he can get,
And wants it all the time."
—Philadelphia Record.

THE FARMER'S NEW YEAR'S EVE.

The old year goes. Ah! well a deal!
'Twas not for all, so bad a year.
The late grain rusted,
Some corn got frosted.
And the bank where I put my hard earned cash
Went down to swell the financial crash.
The camping tramps took my garden truck,
But they went with the summer; that's one good luck.
Of the good wife's chickens they had full share.
But still we've our eating and some to spare.
The pork sells well at a profit figger,
Though I wouldn't care if 'twere somewhat bigger.
Son John has his new barn well begun,
And Mary has married the miller's son.
We've all been middling well and strong.
If no worse happens we'll get along
The old bay mare's twin colts both live,
A fine little span. Tom Jones will give.
Three hundred for them two years from now
There's oats in the bin and hay in the mow.
And the place from debt nigh clear.
So the old year goes, ah, dear! ah, dear!
'Twas not so bad a year.

The new year comes. What cheer? what cheer?
God grant it be a goodly year.
That times may brighten,
And debts may lighten.
The folks who are running this land's affairs
Have the heft of my hopes and a share of my prayers.
But I reckon it's more than they all can do
By their worldly wisdom to pull us through.
We've been a-riding in a balloon
And the gas is out, and late or soon
We'll touch the bottom. U. S. and all.
If we're not there now. The financial fall,
If it only lands us on good bed rock.
May yet be a blessing in spite of the shock
And when we stand solid. I hope we'll know
Enough to remember and go it slow
Till we're able to enter a faster race
With breath sufficient to keep the pace.
But the world will swing about the same
Whether it gets my praise or blame.
So I'll fodder my cattle and take my cheer
And wait such fortune that comes anear
Along o' the coming year.
—Minneapolis Housekeeper.

A JOLLY SORT OF FARM.

Vegetables Growing at One Hand, the Products of the Sea at the Other.

"Once, some years ago," said Superintendent H. T. Woodman of the city's aquarium at Castle Garden, "I went up the west coast of Florida in a sailboat on a collecting tour for shells and so on. On the north shore of Tampa Bay we saw a little white house—very white, indeed, it was—a whiteness, as we afterward learned, that was due to whitewash made of lime from shells that the owner had burned himself. We went ashore there and were most hospitably received and invited to stay. We couldn't do that, but we were in the neighborhood for a day or two, and we ate two or three meals at his house, and subsequently I called upon him once or twice and was received in the same hospitable manner.

"No doubt there are other gardens like his, but his is the only one of the sort I ever saw, a kind of land-and-water garden combined. His land garden, which was about half an acre or so, was fifty or perhaps a hundred feet back from the shore. He had in this garden cabbages and beans and potatoes and lettuce, and garden stuff generally. His water garden was composed of three patches each about fifty feet square, side by side and under water, close to the shore, and each enclosed in a palmetto crib, which was, however, only one log high, for that was all that was needed. He could go out in a skiff at any time and catch anything that there was in any of the cribs.

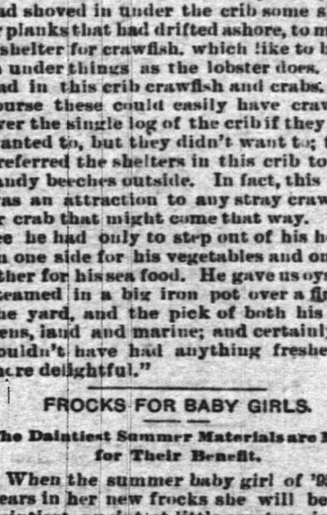
"In the first patch of the water garden he kept hard clams, and he had plenty of them. The second patch he had fixed up for oysters. He had thrown in shells for the oysters to spawn on, and he had an abundant supply of oysters. The third crib he had fixed up for crustacea. He had thrown in some old stumps here, and had shoved in under the crib some slabs or planks that had drifted ashore, to make a shelter for crawfish, which like to back in under things as the lobster does. He had in this crib crawfish and crabs. Of course these could easily have crawled over the single log of the crib if they had wanted to, but they didn't want to; they preferred the shelters in this crib to the sandy beaches outside. In fact, this crib was an attraction to any stray crawfish or crab that might come that way. You see he had only to step out of his house on one side for his vegetables and on the other for his sea food. He gave us oysters steamed in a big iron pot over a fire in the yard, and the pick of both his gardens, land and marine; and certainly we couldn't have had anything fresher or more delightful."

FROCKS FOR BABY GIRLS.

The Daintiest Summer Materials are Made for Their Benefit.

When the summer baby girl of '95 appears in her new frocks she will be the daintiest, quaintest little creature in the land. Prettily flowered dimites, batistes as fine as silk, nainsook of weblike texture and a host of dainty fabrics are now being made up in a manner most tempting to the mothers of baby girls.

Skirts are flaring and sleeves are as big as of old. Many of the latter are made with the quaint "1830" slope much in evidence. The guimpe is still popular and



embroideries are all the vogue as a trimming. Pique gowns with coats and hats to match will also be in favor. Dainty little nainsook dresses are charmingly made up with tiny ruffles of deep yellow Valenciennes lace and the big puff of the sleeve is quite shrouded in wee lace ruffles.

Delicately colored chambray frocks are stylishly trimmed with insertion. The new eyelet embroideries will also be much used on children's gowns. Ribbons will be in favor as a trimming, and sashes are to be the rage.

An envious person grows lean on the fat of his neighbor.

BEFORE MATCHES CAME.

The Flint and Steel and Rushlights and Tallow Dips of Our Ancestors.

To the present generation it may seem next door to the incredible that in the first years of the reign of William IV there were no lucifer matches. In lieu thereof there were only long matches or splints of wood tipped at each end with melted sulphur, and before the complicated system of dipping the sulphureted match in concentrated sulphuric acid came into use these matches were kindled first by striking a light with flint and steel and then causing the spark to ignite a small quantity of tinder, an inflammable substance usually composed of partially burned linen.

This simple adjunct to the process of obtaining a light had been in use all over the world from time immemorial. The French tinder was called "amadou," a word the etymology of which has been fiercely contested, some philologers deriving it from the old French adjective "amadou," equivalent to amorous, and conveying the floral idea of the sweetly agreeable sensation of the hand coming in contact with a very soft substance, while others trace it to the Latin "ad manum dulce." The French tinder was often made of the spongy portions of mushrooms and other fungi, and prior to the introduction of lucifer matches the manufacture of amadou was one of considerable importance. The cryptogamic substance was beaten on a block somewhat after the manner of felt until it became homogeneous, and it was then impregnated with a solution of salts of niter or simply pulverized gunpowder. The Germans still fabricate a delicate kind of amadou which is used in surgery for stanching hemorrhage. As for flint and steel, they have as completely faded out from our domestic economy as they have from firearms, and the tinder box is so rarely seen that it might well be included in an exhibition of old social curios.

With tinder and tinder boxes has also vanished the rushlight which, when William Cobbett was a boy, English cottagers used to make for themselves by gathering rushes and dipping them successively in melted tallow until sufficient thick adipose matter was obtained. In houses where refinement was supposed to prevail the rushlight was invariably placed in a japanned tin shade perforated with circular orifices, and the insomnolent invalid had the pleasure of contemplating a large number of round spots of light on the ceiling, reflected from the rushlight screen. "Dips," another form of tallow candle, much given to sputtering, which smelled abominably, have also died the death, and "mold candles," which strove to emulate wax ones in their form, but hardly succeeded in doing so, have been superseded by cheaper candles, almost as shapely and as light giving as the old and costly spermaciti. Seventy years ago gas was little used. There were no railroads, few steamboats and no lucifer matches; yet, as Mr. Walter Besant might put it, the world went very well then.—London Telegraph.

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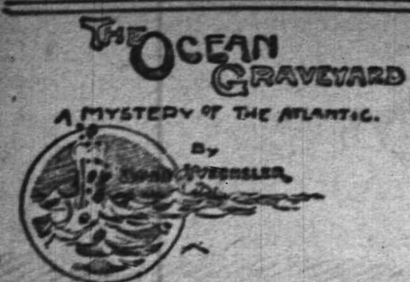

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We never knew his real name. Everyone called him Capt. George; and Capt. George he remained, from the first day he entered Landport harbor until the night I parted from him in Plymouth sound, about four years later. His arrival at Landport was announced in the Northern Post and Shipping Gazette in this manner:

"Landport, Sunday. Steam Yacht Wanderer arrived from Stockton, with machinery damaged. Owner, Captain George."

What was he like? Well, if you had put the question to the gentry of the place some would have answered it with a shrug of the shoulders, as much as to say they couldn't well make him out; others would have told you he seemed a haughty, reserved, stand-off sort of man. If you had asked any of the young ladies, you would very likely hear that he was "charming," but that they believed him to be a pirate chief in disguise, or some nonsense of that kind. Among us divers he was looked upon as a bold, gallant sailor, who loved the sea and everything connected with it, a man we all admired and looked up to.

He frequently put into Landport after that—at odd times, summer and winter—but came round regularly every June. He never made friends in the place, and few acquaintances. People still held pretty much the same opinion concerning him. On different occasions, as he passed along by the sea wall, I have seen more than one lovely head turned to take a sly look at his tall figure, and heard the whisper:

"There's that strange man, Capt. George; isn't he handsome?"

Towards the end of August I was engaged with two other divers to remove cargo from the steamer Magellan, which had run on an outlying reef about twenty miles down the coast. The surveyor of the Landport Salvage association, Capt. Lorton, was in charge of the wreck, and had orders to make a push to get her cleared out while the weather held fine. We put up at a neighboring village, a place called St. Nevin, a pretty little spot hidden away at the top of a small landlocked bay.

On the third morning it was blowing rather fresh. While I was waiting in the little parlor of the Mariner's Rest—the only thing in the shape of a hotel of which St. Nevin could boast—Capt. Lorton came in. He went up to the barometer on the wall, tapped it, and said:

"Glass falling; this breeze will freshen during the day, and most likely run up to a gale before night. If it does, there won't be much of the Magellan left by morning, Lawrenceson. At any rate it would be too risky to venture out with the wind rising in this way."

About twelve o'clock I noticed a considerable stir amongst the fishermen on the beach. Looking seaward, I saw a large steam yacht entering the bay. I recognized her at once. It was the Wanderer.

Capt. George came on shore during the afternoon, and looked in to the Mariner's Rest. It seemed he had heard of the wreck, and was anxious to visit the scene of the disaster.

"It's blowing hard outside," he said, "and very thick, too. I saw the fishing boats running in for Widmouth this

"THERE'S THAT STRANGE MAN."

morning, a sure sign of dirty weather at sea. We're in for a stiff sou'wester, I fancy, and I shouldn't be surprised if it brought down the rain before evening."

He was right. As the wind increased a thick mist crept up from the sea, and presently a sudden squall drove a torrent of rain against the window. There were just six of us present; myself, the two other divers, Moxly and Williams, Capt. Lorton, Capt. George and Capt. Linklater, a retired master mariner who lived in St. Nevin.

We had a cozy fire in the room, for the weather was unusually cold, and sat round it spinning yarns. The heat inside, and the cold without, had dulled the glass of the window, so that it almost looked as if it had been muffled. We could hear the crash of the billows on the beach below, followed by a deep rumble, like distant thunder, as the backward rush of the water tore the loose shingle from the beach.

"It's well you won't be at sea tonight, Capt. George," I remarked, in a pause of the conversation.

"I'm half sorry to miss it," he returned, getting up and approaching the window. He cleared a space on the glass, and stood looking out over the bay. "There's nothing I like better than driving full speed through a gale," he went on, "provided I have a good sea boat under me, and no fear of a dangerous coast lying under my lee."

"Ay, there's worse danger at sea than storms," put in Capt. Linklater.

"I'm inclined to agree with you there," said Capt. Lorton. "When I had command of a north Atlantic boat, I'd rather have faced a three-day gale than be walled up for ten hours in a fog. A gale of wind is a straightforward, honest kind of thing; you can see at a glance how matters stand, and know where the danger lies. But Heaven defend me from a fog! I always felt like a child out in a strange place on a dark night, groping my way along and never knowing at what moment I might bump up against some obstruction!"

"There're worse dangers than fogs," returned the old captain, blinking his eyes at the fire, and smoking very hard.

"Icebergs?"

"Worse still."

"Derelicts?"

"Worse."

"What then?"

"Rocks."

"Rocks!" exclaimed the surveyor. "Why, you have them plainly marked on your chart, and know exactly where to expect them."

"Ay, but when they are *not* marked on your chart, and you come across them where you *don't* expect them," the other replied in a rather mysterious manner.

I noticed that Capt. George had turned from the window, and was listening attentively to the conversation.

"I should like to know where such a rock exists?" said Capt. Lorton, in a way that showed plainly he had very little faith in anything of the kind.

"Well, I'll tell you," returned the old skipper, knocking the ashes out of his pipe, and laying it on the mantel-shelf. "It exists in the broad Atlantic—out in mid-ocean—somewhere between the Azores and the coast of Nova Scotia."

"A pretty wide range, that," remarked Capt. Lorton.

"Yes, but a dangerous one."

Linklater stood up, turned his back to the fire, and seemed striving to recall some half-forgotten facts. Every eye was fixed upon his weather-beaten face; we saw he had a strange story to tell.

"It is a well-known fact," he began, "that every year three or four vessels—sometimes more—disappear in the Atlantic, and their fate has always remained a mystery. As far back as 1834, the President sailed from Liverpool, in charge of the most skillful navigators of the day, Capt. Roberts, the man who commanded the Sirius, the first steamer that crossed the Atlantic. She foundered in mid-ocean with all hands. In 1846 the Savannah, an American sailing ship, left New Orleans for Bristol. She was sighted off the Bahamas, but from that day to this nothing more was heard of her. In 1850 the Southern Cross disappeared in the same manner. A few years later an emigrant steamer—the Nomad, I think—went down with eight hundred souls, and the cause of the disaster was never known. Between 1860 and 1870, no less than eighteen vessels disappeared in the same mysterious way. Coming down to a later date we have the Crusader—the old Crusader, I mean—the Cleptic, the White Slave, the Ontario, an American liner, and a host of others. In 1890 we have the Erin, of the National line, the Italian bark Silvio, which sailed from Holyhead in January of that year and was subsequently spoken in the North Atlantic, the Thanemore, a British steamer, and the Roman Empire, a splendid iron ship which was passed on the 11th of June by a homeward-bound vessel, and reported 'all well.' But perhaps the strangest case of all was that of the German ship, the Maria Rickmers, about which there has been so much talk lately in the shipping world."

"I remember hearing of her," said Capt. Lorton. "She was a five-masted bark, I think, and said to be the largest sailing ship afloat."

"Well, this magnificent vessel, fully manned, and in charge of experienced officers, sailed from Saigon for Bremen on the 15th of July, 1892. It was only her second voyage, mind you. She was sighted in the Atlantic, about three hundred miles west of the Azores, and the total disappearance of such a ship, in comparatively fine weather, is one of the most remarkable of these ocean mysteries. From all those vessels, not one soul escaped to tell of the disaster, and save in one or two instances, not even a boat or life buoy belonging to them was picked up. How did they disappear? You will say they foundered in a gale; possibly some of them might have done so, but not all. How do you account for the fact that dozens of other vessels crossed the Atlantic in safety at the very same time, often without encountering unusually bad weather?"

"It seems strange, certainly," remarked Moxly.

"It just comes to this," continued the skipper, in a rather excited way, for he was now thoroughly warmed into the subject. "It just comes to this: An unknown danger lay in the path of those vessels—or some of them, at any rate—they came upon it suddenly, perhaps in the dead of night when they were least prepared, and the result was an appalling disaster."

"But I don't see how all this proves the existence of a mid-Atlantic rock," said Capt. Lorton.

"... coming to that presently," replied Linklater. "In '76 I was bound from Pensacola, in Florida, to Falmouth, with a cargo of grain. My vessel—the bark St. Kilda, of Sutherland—afterwards wrecked, you may remember, off Cape Hatteras—was what you might call a clipper, though a good, safe boat in a heavy sea. Her qualities were well tested on that voyage, at any rate; we came in for one of the stiffest gales I ever encountered in the Atlantic. After trying to hold her on her course for some hours, I had to give it up as a bad job, and let her drive. We ran away before the wind for the best part of two days in a nor'westerly direction.

"When the gale slackened a bit, I got the vessel round, and commenced to beat back to our former course. It was still blowing fresh enough, the sea running high, and the clouds showing

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signs of more wind, so we had to be sparing with our canvas. One night, just as I was about to go below and turn in, the man in the bows suddenly sung out:

"'Breakers ahead!'

"My first impression was that the fellow had got hold of a rum cask, and had been imbibing pretty freely. I took no notice of the warning, but as I stood there, the man turned and shouted in more startling tones:

"'Breakers ahead, sir!'

"Now if he had said: 'The sea-serpent ahead' or 'a mermaid ahead,' I mightn't have been so surprised, but 'breakers ahead'—in mid-ocean, mind you—fairly took my breath away. I rushed forward. As I stood in the bows, peering out over the tossing waters, I could distinctly hear the roar of breakers somewhere in front.

"The moon was showing out through the broken clouds, and just then I caught sight of a dark spot straight ahead, round which the water swirled and tossed. I had barely time to holloa out: 'Hard a-port!' to the helmsmen, in order to clear it. Without any mistake it was a rock. I could see its black top appear for a second or two, and then it was covered in a cloud of foam. Sometimes a big wave swept right over it, but generally they smashed with a roar that I can tell you would have struck terror to your heart."

[TO BE CONTINUED.]

Marvelous Results.

From a letter written by Rev. J. Gunderman, of Diamondale, Mich., we are permitted to make this extract: "I have no hesitation in recommending Dr. King's New Discovery, as the results were almost marvelous in the case of my wife. While I was pastor of the Baptist Church at Rives Junction she was brought down by pneumonia succeeding la grippe. Terrible paroxysms of coughing would last hours with little interruption and it seemed as if she could not survive them. A friend recommended Dr. King's New Discovery; it was quick in its work and highly satisfactory in results. Sold by L. W. Randolph druggist. Regular size 50c and $1; our price 45c and 90c

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Which people would have prized,
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NOTICE.

To the Township Committee of the Township of Fanwood, in the county of Union and State of New Jersey:

The petition of the New York and Philadelphia Traction Company respectfully represents that it desires to construct, operate and maintain a railroad, with one or more tracks and necessary turnouts, to be operated by electricity or other motive power except steam, and to erect necessary poles, conduits and wires, power plant and necessary buildings along and upon the following named streets, avenues, lanes, roads, highways and public places in the township of Fanwood, to-wit:

Beginning at the intersection of Park avenue and Mountain avenue in the township of Fanwood, and running thence southeasterly along Park avenue to its intersection with Midway avenue.

Beginning again at the intersection of Forrest avenue or road with Midway avenue and running thence southeasterly along said Forrest avenue or road, to its intersection with North avenue, near the Fanwood station of the Central Railroad of New Jersey.

And for that purpose prays that the permission of your honorable body may be granted to it to construct, operate and maintain such railway, to be operated by electricity or other motive power, except steam, upon and along the above named streets, avenues, lanes, roads, highways and public places within the said township of Fanwood.

Attest: FRANK A. MAGOWAN, Pres.
J. H. Darrah, Secy. 2214

NOTICE.

Whereas, It is reported that a rabid dog has been running at large through the village of Scotch Plains and other parts of Fanwood township, and

Whereas, It is common rumor that a number of dogs owned by various residents within the limits of said township have come in contact with and been bitten by said rabid dog, therefore, be it

Resolved That all owners of dogs within said township of Fanwood be and are hereby urged strenuously to keep such dogs as may be owned by them tied, muzzled or in some safe manner confined for the space of 30 days and all dogs known to be bitten be killed forthwith.

Fanwood, N. J., Feb. 1, 1895.
226 E. L. HAND, Township Clerk.

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Body Brussels carpet per yard, only	8 c
Antique oak chiffoniers with mirrors, only	$8 75
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Dining-room chairs, high back, antique oak, per set only	$1 50
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PARKS WIN AT WHIST.

Seem to Be Victors in Everything They Touch.

The Park Whist Club, which seems to be as celebrated for its winning ways as are the Park bowlers, met and captured their friends the enemy at Bergen Point last evening in one of the scheduled games of the club tourney. The Parks easily walked away from their opponents, the N. J. A. C. Whist Club players, winning hands down with 22 points to the good—the score being 39-17, Parks. "To the victors belong the spoils", and after the game the genial hosts and their victors discussed the bountiful collation provided, and became still better acquainted with each other in the social chat which followed. Great interest is being awakened at the Park by the success of its expert whist team. The score:

PARK CLUB.		N. J. A. C.	
McCutchen, Townsend	17	Newman, Jones	5
Rogers, Howell	12	Fuller, Leonard	5
Drayton, Leonard	10	Fuller, Schuyler	7
	39		17

Ladies Aid Entertain.

Last evening the Ladies Aid Society of Monroe Chapel gave a sociable to their friends. The evening was spent very pleasantly. In spite of the cold weather the attendance was quite large. The programme was rendered in a brilliant manner, as follows:

Violin Solo—
a. Petite Beruse.....Herrman
b. Overture to the opera William Tell, Rossini

Comic Selection.....
James Rogers.

Master Lindley Hillman.

Soprano Solo—
a. Winter Lullaby.....DeKoven
b. Killarney.....

Mrs. Rogers.

Banjo Solo—Selected.....
Chas. Hayes.

Reading—Selected.....
Mr. McGee.

After the programme, coffee and cake were served, and the rest of the evening was spent in a social time.

Saved from Execution.

In "Shaft No. 2", the Music Hall play of tomorrow night, the hero, about to be executed for a crime he did not commit, is saved by the timely arrival of the heroine, with papers granting a stay of execution; final exoneration and subsequent happiness bring everything to a satisfactory conclusion.

A scene showing the shaft of a coal-mine, from which the play takes its name, is a very realistic stage picture, and is produced with marked fidelity.

"Shaft No. 2" is provided with new and special scenery, all built especially for this production. None of the house scenery will be used during this engagement. A large company, headed by Frank Losee, the well-known actor of virile roles, will be seen in the production.

Abating the Only Nuisance.

The Board of Health of Fanwood Township met at the town rooms in the halls last evening, to transact such business as might come before them. The reading of the minutes was dispensed with. A communication was read from George Babcock of Fanwood, calling the attention of the Board to a pondhole near his property, which was a menace to the health of the neighborhood, and asked the Board to take some action in the matter. The secretary was authorized to notify the owner of the property to abate the nuisance at once. No other business coming before the Board, they adjourned.

Socialist Hall Now Open.

Owing to the severe cold only a few members assembled to attend the meeting of the Socialist-Labor party called for last evening. The main business talked about was the furnishing of the hall with the necessary paraphernalia. Some time was spent in talking about the adoption of by-laws and rules.

The next regular meeting of the party will be held at an early date. The hall is open every evening for members and their friends, where all can avail themselves of the different privileges.

Safe Skating.

N. Pendleton Rogers has had the snow removed from his tennis court on his property on East Front street, and has flooded it, thus making an artificial skating pond, enabling the children of the neighborhood to enjoy the exhilarating sport in safety.

Four Big Successes.

Having the needed merit to more than make good all the advertising claimed for them, the following four remedies have reached a phenomenal sale. Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption, coughs and colds, each bottle guaranteed—Electric Bitters, the great remedy for liver, stomach and kidneys. Bucklen's Arnica Salve, the best in the world, and Dr. King's New Life Pills, which are a perfect pill. All these remedies are guaranteed to do just what is claimed for them and the dealer whose name is attached herewith will be glad to tell you more of them. Sold at L. W. Randolph's drug store.

WANTED, A SPEEDWAY.

'Twould Be a Material Help in Plainfield's Boom.

ADVANTAGES OF LANE AVENUE.

This Could Be Made a Broad, Long-Distance Straightaway for the Speeding of Steeds and Display of Fashionable Turnouts.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE DAILY PRESS:—When we have seen Mr. Reinhart's four-in-hand, and heard the tooting of the coaching horn, as the coach passed through our streets, with a jolly party on board, it filled us with enthusiasm; and how eagerly we awaited the coach's approach when we heard the horn, and lingered to see it pass, and listened to the thrilling notes growing fainter and fainter long after the vehicle had passed from view. And with what admiration we looked at Mr. Maltby, seated behind a blooded colt, with his pneumatic sulky, or Mr. Barnaby with some of his stylish turnouts, or the lamented Mr. McCarthy on his black stallion, or Mrs. Ohl with her class of mounted pupils, or any one else as long as it possessed some equine interest. But what we have wanted, and what we want, is more of them. Mr. Reinhart's four-in-hand in our city has been like a lone peacock in a hennery. There is nothing so enjoyed by the wealthy as their horses and equipages, but, for proper enjoyment of them, and an inducement for this class to settle here, we need a boulevard or driveway.

This was made manifest to the writer a short time ago at the Union Club in New York, when the subject of Plainfield as a place of residence was discussed. A member said the absence of an afternoon meeting place or boulevard he knew deterred many from settling here. This was further explained by one of the 400 who was entertained in our city, who said he corroborated the Union Club man's statement, that while the wealthy enjoyed their horses and carriages they enjoyed most to admire others and have theirs admired.

Mr. 400 said such a driveway should be a straight and broad avenue of not less than 1½ to 2 miles in length, and from 80 to 100 feet wide, with a good natural roadbed, suitable for speeding a horse without injury to the animal. The drive should commence in some desirable locality and have a pleasant terminus.

Have we an avenue suitable for the purpose? Front and Somerset streets are ruined for driving purposes by the railway. Seventh and Eighth streets are too narrow. Park avenue is the nearest to it, but the road-bed is too hard, and it is too much used for business purposes and funerals. Central avenue is not of sufficient length, and its width varies from 80 to 60 feet.

The necessity of such a driveway was known to the late Wm. B. T. Lane, who advocated it some 25 years ago, and Lane avenue was suggested and laid out for this purpose and part of it graded; but for some reason, although the avenue was laid out for its entire distance, it was never opened.

This avenue if opened embraces all the requirements. It commences in a desirable location, say at Randolph road on the crest overlooking Cedar brook, which elevated position it retains until it reaches the quaint old town of New Brooklyn, which affords a pleasant and picturesque terminus, with the advantage of a station of the Lehigh Valley Railroad, whose service with New York is both rapid and comfortable. Owing to the location of this avenue, and its perfect drainage, it would soon be the chief residential avenue of the city. The width of this avenue is 80 feet, and as considerable property fronting on it has been sold within the past year why not make it 100 feet before building commences?

Why not take the matter in hand, and have a driveway to be proud of; and as but little if any grading remains to be done, and its natural roadbed is superior for the purpose than if macadamized, it is to be hoped some attention will be paid to the matter by our city fathers and by those who at present possess fine turnouts and reside here. Now is the time to agitate this, for Spring will soon be here, and the boulevard can be built before the Summer driving months. DRIVEWAY.

Good For the Trade.

A servant girl left in charge of one of James E. Martine's houses near the Park Avenue Baptist Church was so indiscreet as to permit the furnace fire to go out Tuesday night, and the water pipes in the house were frozen, causing quite a good-sized plumbers bill to be paid by the tenant, who was away on a visit.

Tough Excavating.

Workmen are having great difficulty in digging the cellar for Joseph Blatz's new house on Somerset street. Crowbars and wedges are employed to loosen the frozen earth. The contractors are compelled to push the work as the house is to be completed by April 1.

—The evangelistic services in Grace M. E. Church closed last evening, after a successful series of meetings. There will be no service tonight.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

An attack of the grip confines Raymond McVoy.

Illness keeps David Dunavan of East Third street at home.

William Beekman, Sr., of East Front street, is very ill at his home.

Mrs. Charles Smith of John street has fully recovered from her illness.

Joseph B. Hall and family of Washington avenue will move April 1 to Grove street.

The engagement is announced of Benjamin Webster and Miss Ella Mirex of this city.

James McClinton of Lee place is confined to the house with a severe attack of the grip.

Joseph Malone of Poughkeepsie is spending a few days with friends in the West End.

Herbert Langford of McVey's Hotel has a brother on board the overdue steamship Teutonic.

Mrs. Wilton Bennett of Brooklyn is visiting Mrs. A. R. Dyatt of Belvidere avenue, Netherwood.

George Kirch of Somerset street is recovering from his last severe attack of muscular rheumatism.

Jeppe Erickson, the station agent at Netherwood, has fully recovered from the effects of the grip.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer J. Garretson will commence housekeeping April 1, residing in Manning's flats, West Front street.

Miss Maud Lord has returned to her home on Belvidere avenue, after a pleasant visit with friends in West Farms, N. Y.

Mrs. P. H. Wills of LaGrande avenue, who has been seriously ill for some time, is rapidly recovering her accustomed health.

Patrick McClymont of Steiner place, who was recovering from scarlet fever, has had a relapse, and is now again seriously ill.

Miss Sarah Hand of Berkley avenue, Netherwood, is taking a course of stenography and typewriting in the Newark Business College.

William, the 16-months-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Goeller of West Third street, is slightly improved after a severe attack of illness.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Hermance have returned to their home on Woodland avenue after spending the past three months in Norwalk, Ohio.

Mrs. TenEyck of East Third street was taken with a fainting spell yesterday. Dr. Jenkins was called and restored the patient in a short time.

William Apgar and family, who have lived on the Snook farm near Evona for several years, moved to Millington, Somerset county, today.

Henry Hansen of this city has rented the new house on Johnston avenue, belonging to John H. Staats, into which he will move about April 1.

Mrs. N. McElroy of Somerset street is expected home today from New York city, after spending ten days with Miss Alice Albert of West 34th street.

Mr. and Mrs. James A. Love have hired a suite of rooms in Voehl's new building on East Front street, and will commence housekeeping April 1.

Mr. and Mrs. David McMurtrie will close their house on Sycamore avenue the latter part of this week, and will spend the balance of the Winter in New York city.

Julius Williams of Elmwood place has recovered from his recent illness, and left today on a two-months western trip in the interest of G. Armeny, New York diamond dealer.

Dr. P. J. Zeglio, who purchased, last Fall, the Dr. Craig property, corner of Somerset and Pearl streets, intends making extensive alterations to the house before taking possession April 1.

Aunt Hetty Johnson, the aged mother of Andrew W. Johnson of 120 Duer street, is very ill at the home of her son Russell Johnson in New York. Pneumonia is her illness, and there is but little hope of her recovery.

Dr. Charles R. Thiers is making preparations to move from his present residence on Somerset street to 13 and 15 Grove street, the house formerly occupied by Dr. C. M. Field. Dr. Thiers expects to be settled in his new home March 1.

A Des Moines woman who has been troubled with frequent colds, concluded to try an old remedy in a new way, and accordingly took a tablespoonful (four times the usual dose) of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy just before going to bed. The next morning she found that her cold had almost entirely disappeared. During the day she took a few doses of the remedy (one teaspoonful at a time) and at night again took a tablespoonful before going to bed, and on the following morning awoke free from all symptoms of the cold. Since then she has, on several occasions, used this remedy in like manner with the same good results, and is much elated over her discovery of so quick a way of curing a cold. For sale at Reynolds's pharmacy, Park and North aves. T. S. Armstrong, manager.

A SANDWICH ISLANDER.

He Comes to Plainfield to Tell of the Good Works of the World.

The Local Auxiliary of the McAll Mission were most pleasantly edified and instructed yesterday regarding the wonderful measure of success which this noble Christian movement has met and is meeting with throughout France, by Rev. Thomas L. Gulick, whose entire lifework has been the uplifting and Christianizing of the ignorant and oppressed, not only in the Sandwich Islands, the land of his nativity, and in Spain, the country of his adoption, but of late in France, the seat of his more recent labors; and through the grace of God in this country, as well, by awakening interest in the hearts of the vast body of earnest Christian workers.

Dr. Gulick has traveled extensively through the missions of France, and drew from a vast storehouse of personal experiences, which aptly and forcibly illustrated not only the great good already accomplished, but the urgent necessity that still further effort be made on the part of the Christian people of the United States to assist the workers already in the field, to the end that France might soon entirely throw off the bondage of her old religion of forms and ceremonies and embrace the religion of the heart.

The religion of the medieval times is rapidly losing its hold in France, and the people seem both ready and willing to embrace this Protestant religion whose benefits are constantly before their eyes. The house-boats, which travel from point to point on the great internal arteries of France, carrying the good news of the Gospel of salvation, were especially mentioned by the speaker as having been the means of widespread and far-reaching good; and the wonderful and largely increasing interest manifested by the young in the Sunday-schools, many of which are directly supported by the Sunday-schools in this country, at an annual expense of but $25 for each school thus supported, came in for a share of this earnest evangelist' attention and comment.

Dr. Gulick, who is the Representative Secretary of the National Association of McAll Mission workers, is certainly a most interesting and earnest speaker, and it is believed that his discourse may be the means of increasing the already large interest felt by Plainfield citizens in the noble movement for which he is such an efficient worker.

Pennsylvania Railroad's Tours to "The Golden Gates."

Apart from the rare pleasures of visiting new places and witnessing novel scenes, the Pennsylvania Railroad Company's tours to California will prove better educators than any number of lectures or books on travel. The immense scope of territory traversed will expand the ideas of all tourists, indelibly impress upon their minds enlarged views of this mighty Union and its vast possessions, and they will return to their homes prouder than ever of the great land whose borders are protected by the Stars and Stripes.

These tours have been arranged under the company's renowned personally-conducted tourist system, and magnificent Pullman trains will leave New York and Philadelphia on February 20 and March 20 1895.

Detailed itinerary will be sent on application to Tourist Agent, 1196 Broadway, New York, or Room 411, Broad Street Station, Philadelphia.

Bound Brook Wins.

The Plainfield bowlers met defeat last evening at Bound Brook in a scheduled game of the new five men team tourney, by a score of 1454-1429 in favor of Bound Brook. Three colts bowled on the Plainfield team in the first half and two on the last half yet the boys put up a good game under the circumstances and their defeat reflects no discredit to them in any way. Much interest was manifested in the game by the Bound Brookites, the rooters being out in full force, and making Rome howl from start to finish. The score:

PLAINFIELD.		BOUND BROOK.	
FIRST HALF.			
VanAlstyne	144	Bennett	129
Titsworth	139	Sebring	155
Wilber	131	Hastings	149
Emmons	139	Bowman	126
Walters	176	Smith	159
	723		718
SECOND HALF.			
VanAlstyne	135	Hastings	144
Emmons	141	Moore	126
Hand	120	Sebring	150
Stephenson	167	Watt	155
Watters	143	Smith	161
	706		736
Total score	1429	Total score	1454

Scorers—Messrs. Titsworth and Reynolds.

—It is expected that there will be initiation at the meeting of Franklin Council, No. 41, J. O. U. A. M., this evening.

The experience of Geo. A. Apgar, of German Valley, N. J., is well worth remembering. He was troubled with chronic diarrhoea and doctored for five months and was treated by four different doctors without benefit. He then began using Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, of which one small bottle effected a complete cure. It is for sale at Reynolds's pharmacy, Park and North aves. T. S. Armstrong, manager.

NO TROLLEY YET.

Scotch Plains Still Guessing at Rapid Transit.

THE COMPANY PRESENTS ITS BOND.

Offers $10,000 Security for the Building of the Road, But the Town Committee Still Finds the Matter Presented in Incomplete Shape, and Defers Action.

The Fanwood Town Committee met at their rooms in Excelsior Hall last evening to receive the bond of $10,000 to guarantee the spur to the village and to grant the franchise for the Midway avenue route.

The representative citizens of the town were out in full force, notwithstanding the cold weather.

Chairman Terry called the meeting to order at 8:30. On motion the regular order of business was dispensed with, and the granting of the franchise was taken up.

Mr. Gaddis was asked to present his bond to the Committee for their consideration. The bond offered was that of Frank A. McKown, the president of the company. Town Counsel Codington was asked if the bond met with his approval. He said the form of the bond was regular, and the question was for the Committee to decide whether Frank A. McKown was worth $10,000. He himself did not known him personally, so could not say.

Mr. Gaddis said he had not given the question of the security of the bond much thought, as he did not think there would be any question about Mr. McKown being worth $10,000. If he had he would have had others on the bond with him.

Mr. Nichols, chairman of the committee appointed to secure signatures for the branch, was asked what progress the committee had made. He said the committee was in rather a peculiar position, as it now was in a fair way to secure the branch for either Park avenue or Forest avenue; but as some of the signatures were only promised and not made, he would like the Committee to accept a report of progress. He said Mr. Stanbury had offered to help the committee to secure signatures for the Forest avenue route, and that he could enlighten them further.

Mr. Stanbury read a letter from Mrs Warren Ackerman, granting the right of way for what property is owned by her on said avenue. Mr. Miller said as a member of the Town Committee he would like to know where the people of the town would like to have the spur, whether on Park avenue or on Forest avenue.

Chairman Terry invited discussion from those present on the subject; but the people, with the exception of Thomas S. Young, (who was opposed to Forest avenue), did not seem to care where the branch was laid, so long as they were sure of having it in the town somewhere.

Mr. Gaddis wished the section in the ordinance regarding the branch line stricken out, as he said it was a blot on the franchise of Midway, and he claimed it was not legal to combine two separate applications in the one ordinance.

Mr. Codington said he failed to see how it was illegal or a blot on the franchise.

Mr. Gaddis said he had quoted the legal representatives of the company, but he would accept the ordinance if the Committee would grant it; or if the Committee would prefer it, he could make a new application to the Committee, when the signatures for a branch route were obtained and in legal form.

Making an application for a route for which the signatures had been obtained, and combining it with an application for a route on which the signatures were not obtained or in legal form, was illegal. He would rather have the Committee grant an ordinance that there could be no question about.

Mr. Miller then made the following motion: That on application being made by The New York and Philadelphia Traction Company for a franchise to be granted to them on Forest avenue from Mountain avenue to the Fanwood station, and as soon thereafter as legal time for publishing such application transpires, franchise be granted for a route on Midway, North and Forest avenues conjointly.

The motion was carried, Committeemen Miller and Terry voting Yes, and Committeeman Downer No.

Regular business was then taken up. The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved, and the bills ordered paid. The treasurer's report was accepted, and the Committee adjourned.

—Workmen are busily engaged decorating the interior of M. F. Watson's store on Grant avenue.

Mrs. Emily Thorne, who resides at Toledo, Washington, says she has never been able to procure any medicine for rheumatism that relieves the pain so quickly and effectually as Chamberlain's Pain Balm and that she has also used it for lame back with great success. For sale at Reynolds's pharmacy, Park and North aves. T. S. Armstrong, manager.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

Mrs. Degolyer of Putnam avenue has recovered from the grip.

Mrs. J. Hipp, wife of the proprietor of the Manhattan Hotel, is suffering from a severe cold.

Mrs. C. Emmons of 134 Rockview avenue has gone to upper New York State for a two-weeks stay.

Miss Neva Dimmitt of East Ninth street has returned from New York after a short stay with friends in that city.

A. J. Woodruff and family of West Seventh street are going to leave Plainfield to take up their residence in New York.

Rev. C. L. Goodrich, pastor of the Congregational Church, is suffering from an attack of the grip which confines him to the house.

Mrs. C. H. Loomis of New York and Miss Loretta DeLaMater of Syracuse spent yesterday with Mrs. J. E. Morse of Franklin place.

One of the most enthusiastic of Plainfield's cyclists is Fred Fullerton of the Plainfield Latin School, who, despite the cold weather, may be seen every day spinning over the frozen roads on his wheel.

William Lawrence of Sherman avenue has inflicted a dangerous wound over his left eye. He was returning from a sociable last night, slipped on some ice which had been left on Fourth street and fell against a troley pole.

COLUMBIAS FOR 1895.

A Highly Artistic Catalogue Sets Forth the Merits of These Famous Bicycles.

Noted artists occasionally condescend to lend their aid to make a trade catalogue beautiful, and this has evidently been the case with the new handbook of Columbia bicycles, just issued. From the rich and striking cover to the last of the dainty sketches that adorn the broad margins, the tell-tale marks that show the hand of well-known contributors to Life, Vogue, and the leading magazines are everywhere apparent. The idea skilfully carried out in the illustrations is that of sport and travel. The book will be preserved as one of the handsomest art works of the year. It is as little like the ordinary trade catalogue as well can be, and yet it cleverly tells of the merits of Columbia bicycles for 1895, and also of lower-priced machines, Hartfords. No lover of bicycling or of beautiful books should neglect sending for the Columbia Catalogue. It can be had by calling upon Columbia agents, or it will be sent by mail for two 2-cent stamps. Address Publishing Dept., Pope Mfg. Co., Hartford, Conn.

Off For Trenton.

A large delegation left town this morning on the 8:44 train for Trenton, to attend the G. A. R. and Women's Relief Corps encampments today and tomorrow. Those in the party were:

Commander W. W. Coriell of Post 73; Past Commander Collier of Post 109, Commander Charles H. Randolph of Post 109; Past Commanders William Hand, I. L. McVoy and W. C. Smith of Post 73, and E. J. Olsen of Post 109. The women included President Mrs. M. C. Dobbins; Past Presidents Mrs. Morse, Mrs. Smith and Mrs. W. W. Coriell; Mrs. I. L. McVoy, Mrs. Cline, Miss Sadie Smith, Mrs. Cox.

Mrs. E. J. Olsen will represent the Loyal Ladies League in the encampment.

Past Commanders C. B. Stephens and M. C. Dobbins will leave this evening for Trenton and will remain over till tomorrow. The delegation will return tomorrow night.

The New Postoffice.

Acting under instructions from Edward Janson of the Yale & Towne Manufacturing Company, of Stamford, Conn., H. M. Clark, Major Godown and Ira G. Hurlbut have about completed the work of putting in the fixtures in the new postoffice in the Babcock Building. The entire outfit is of ash, and there is an abundance of room for both employes and the general public. A noticeable improvement over the present office is the addition of a private compartment where women can sit and write and direct their letters without interruption.

—The double male quartette of the Y. M. C. A. will meet for rehearsal this evening.

—A cold day or a hot day is all one to those who are provided with proper-weight underwear. Full lines for our climate at Peck's.

—The firm of Carty & Stryker dissolved partnership yesterday. Mr. Stryker has entered the employ of Neuman Bros., the Watchung Avenue grocers.

O. W. O. Hardman, sheriff of Tyler Co., W. Va., appreciates a good thing and does not hesitate to say so. He was almost prostrated with a cold when he procured a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. He says: "It gave me prompt relief. I find it to be an invaluable remedy for coughs and colds." For sale at Reynolds's pharmacy, Park and North aves. T. S. Armstrong, manager.

THEY SMASH THE CARS

Many Persons Injured by Green Motormen.

Non-Union Men "Broke" and No One To Assist Them—Two New Employes Held in $1,500 Bail Each in a Police Court Charged with Criminal Carelessness.

Brooklyn, N. Y., Feb. 7.—Yesterday was another day of smash-ups on the roads of the trolley companies of this city. Cars smashed wagons, carriages and trucks, cut horses and injured the unfortunate drivers.

While driving along Greenpoint avenue, between Manhattan avenue and Franklin street, Thomas Berline, 46 years, of 77 North 9th street, was thrown into the street when car No. 2,368, of Lorimer street line, collided with his coal cart. He received a contusion of the left leg and was removed to the hospital.

Motorman John Olsen and Conductor John Cruse were arrested, but were not held by Capt. Rhodes, of the Seventh precinct.

Criminal Carelessness.

Michael Casey, a motorman, hailing from St. Paul, Minn., and Conductor H. C. Bellin, of Oshkosh, Wis., were arraigned in the Lee avenue court for criminal carelessness and held in $1,500 bail for trial.

Their Crosstown car last Tuesday wrecked a white hearse at Myrtle avenue and Broadway, the shock throwing a small casket containing the body of 2-year-old Mamie Kolhane into the street.

The car, it was said, was run at reckless speed.

Hugh Sunny, 74 years, of 411 West 32d street, who was knocked down by Halsey street car No. 2,148, is at his home in a precarious condition. He was badly cut about the face and hands.

Collisions Continue.

At 9 o'clock in the morning trolley car No. 1,958 of the Flushing avenue line, in charge of Motorman John Long, of Syracuse, N. Y., collided with a truck at the corner of Fulton and Prospect streets. The driver, James Smith, of 17 Hudson street, New York, was knocked off and receinved bruises about the body. The dashboard of the car was smashed in.

About 12:20 p. m., car No. 181, of the Backett street line, going east, in charge of Motorman Joseph Miller and Conductor Albert Spencer, residing at present at the Atlantic avenue depot, collided on Sacket street, near Smith street, with a doctor's phaeton, owned by Dr. Frank H. Ross, of 128 Sands street.

Henry Clark, of 223 Hudson avenue, the driver, was badly shaken up, but was not hurt. The damage was slight.

The wagon of Hewett & Robinson, of 48 Boerum place, was smashed by a Halsey street car near Sumner avenue. The horse's leg was badly cut.

About 1 p. m., car No. 1,938, of Flushing avenue line, broke the pole and damaged the cooper wagon of Paul Wrederman at Greenpoint avenue and Franklin street.

Green Men and Switches.

Because the motorman failed to see the switch at Manhattan avenue and Nassau street, car No. 1,911, of the Flushing avenue line, collided with car No. 1,517. Both cars were damaged. No one was hurt.

A Ralph avenue car, manned by a green motorman, struck a wagon owned by Frank Stumpf, of 209 Montrose avenue, at 2:50 p. m., on Broadway, near Flushing avenue. The wagon was badly smashed.

Car No. 924, of Court street line, about 9:50 a. m., crashed into a truck of Carroll & Krekeller, of 416 Hamilton avenue, on Court street, between Degraw and Sackett streets. The wagon was smashed and the car slightly damaged. The accident was due to the carelessness of William Peterson, the motorman, of 103 Charles street.

The truck of Stringer & Sherman, of 351 Adams street, was wrecked by car No. 122, of Seventh avenue line, about 9 a. m.

Moral Suasion a Failure.

Brooklyn, N. Y., Feb. 7.—The sweat shop of Samuel Kratz was visited by about forty striking cloakmakers yesterday who tried to induce Kratz's employes to join them. The latter refused, whereupon a general fight began. Machines were upset, flat irons thrown about and the place was practically wrecked before the police could arrive. Many of the participants in the fight were cut or bruised. Ten arrests were made.

One Killed; Two Injured.

Richmond, Que., Feb. 7.—Charles Laneban, aged 18, a fireman, was killed at South Durham station last night in a collision between a snow plow special and a pilot engine on the Grand Trunk road. Fred Driver, the engineer of the pilot, and Conductor Charles Davids, of the special, were badly injured.

Pleased with the Ex-Queen's Actions.

Washington, Feb. 7.—Members of the house expressed their gratification that ex-Queen Liliuokalani had abdicated her rights to the throne, and the opinion was general that her action would give greater stability to the republic.

NEW YORK MARKETS.

WHEAT—Steady. No. 2 red, 59⅝c.

CORN—Quiet. No. 2, 47c.; steamer, 47½c.

OATS—Quiet. No. 2 white, 36c.; No. 2 mixed, 33½@34¼c.

PORK—Steady. Extra prime, 13.00@15.50; mess, 11.50@12.50.

LARD—Quiet. May, 6.97.

BUTTER—Steady. Creamery, state fall made, 14@21c.; common to fair, 9@ fall made, 14@21c.; creamery, western extras, 24c.

CHEESE—Firm. State, full cream, fancy, 11@14c.; common to fair, 9@9¾c.

EGGS—Firm. Western, 26@ 19c.

BEEVES—Steady. Inferior to choice, 3.70@4.75; dressed native sides, 8@9c.

SHEEP—Active. Common to prime 3.75@5.00; dressed button, 5½@7½c.

LAMBS—Strong. Ordinary to choice, 4.50@5.70; dressed lambs, 8@9c.

TO MEET HIS GOD.

The Governor Refuses to Interfere, and Byars Must Hang.

Birmingham, Ala., Feb. 7.—Eugene Byars will hang to-morrow at noon in the yard of the Jefferson county jail. He was tried and convicted about a year ago for the murder of a cousin, a United States soldier at Behrn's park, on the outskirts of this city. His attorney appealed to the supreme court, but that body sustained the decision of the lower court. Governor Oates was appealed to on two separate occasions, but he decilined to interfere.

The following letter to George M. Morrow, sheriff of Jefferson county, Ala., from the office of the governor, explains the last appeal and his final decision:

I have duly considered all the applications made to me to interfere with the sentence of the court in the case of Eugene Byars. I have twice heretofore decided not to interfere.

I am now appealed to for a postponement of the day of his execution for thirty days on the ground that he has not had sufficient time to prepare for death. I find that the sentence of the court is affirmed by the supreme court on the 20th of December last, some six weeks ago, which has given him ample time to realize his situation and I must decline again to interfere with the sentence of the law.

You will please communicate this fact to the prisoner, to Rev. Dr. Morris, and to the relatives of the prisoner, without delay.

THE DOCTOR SHOT.

Bullets Through His Breast—Widow Quinn Confesses to the Shooting.

Lexington, Ky., Feb. 7.—Dr. John E Rader, a mountain physician and of shooting notoriety was found dead yesterday in the house of Mrs. Catherine McQuinn, a widow, four miles from Jackson, Breathitt county. Two bullets. Hurst was shot five times but reeach one of which would have been fatal. Mrs. McQuinn said she did the shooting and surrendered. She refused to assign any reason for committing the deed. T. M. Smith, her paramour, is suspected of having been the real murderer and the officers are looking for him.

Rader was 35 and leaves a widow and three little children without a dollar. Rader is the man who created a sensation in Lexington by going to the grocery of John Hurst on Ellerslie avenue and filling him full of bullets. Hurst was hot five times but recovered. Rader was sent to the penitentiary for two years, but was released a month ago. Hurst then left Lexington for a while fearing Rader would again try to kill him. Hurst killed Rager's brother six years ago, and the doctor swore he would avenge his brother's death.

THEIR MAMMA DEAD.

Died from Heart Disease While the Father Was at Work.

Williamsport, Pa., Feb. 7.—A pathetic story comes from Cogan Valley, this county, where three children ranging from six to two years, were found alone in their home with the body of their dead mother, having survived cold and privation two days and nights. Moses Ohart, a woodsmen, left his home on Sunday for a lumber camp and returned last evening to find his wife dead in a chair, and the almost frozen children huddled together in a bed.

Mrs. Ohart had died Sunday soon after her husband left and the children had remained alone and unattended until the father's return. Most of the time the temperature was twelve degrees below zero. The 6-year-old child ran to the door once to hail a passing sleigh, but her weak voice was not heard by the occupants. The woman died from heart disease.

FOUR DAYS OVERDUE.

Anxiety Increasing for the French Steamer La Gascogne.

New York, Feb. 7.—No encouraging news for the many anxious friends of the passengers on board the overdue steamer La Gascogne had been received up to midnight, and all kinds of conjectures as to the cause of the delay are indulged in. Among the theories advanced is one that seems plausible. The big White Star steamer Teutonic, which sailed from Queenstown January 31, should have reached here during Tuesday night or early Wednesday morning, but she has not yet been sighted, and it is thought possible that she may have fallen in with La Gascogne and, finding her in a disabled condition, is assisting her into port.

For the Old Constitution.

Concord, N. H., Feb. 7.—In the house a resolution was adopted that the historic old frigate Constitution, now lying at Kittery navy yard should be preserved as a relic of the old navy, and that the New Hampshire senators and representatives be urged to do all in their power to secure an appropriation from congress sufficient to fit her out in a manner similar to when she fought her memorable battles.

Discouraging News.

Woonsocket, R. I., Feb. 7.—Notices were posted in the Alice mill of the United States Rubber company yesterday announcing that the entire works would shut down on Monday, Feb. 11, for an indefinite period. The officials would give no idea how long the shut-down would last, but it is feared for several months. The Alice mill employes 1,400 hands.

Mysterious Disappearance.

Montgomery, Ala., Feb. 7.—N. B. Brown, who came here a few days ago from Atlanta, started an afternoon paper here and printed it for two days. Yesteday Brown wrote a letter saying that his life had been a failure throughout and he intended to drown himself in the river. Since that time nothing has been heard or seen of him.

Brute in Human Form.

Battle Creek, Mich., Feb. 7.—John Brewer quarreled with his wife yesterday, and while in a rage he snatched up his three-weeks-old babe from the cradle, dashed it to the floor and then kicked the prostrate form. There are hopes for the child's recovery.

Three Died in Their Sleep.

New Orleans, Feb. 7.—Three men went to sleep in the cabin of a coal boat on the rive last night. They had made a fire on a piece of sheet iron. The three were found dead this morning, asphyxiated by gas from the coal.

MURDER AND SUICIDE

Double Tragedy in a New York Lodging House.

William Becker Is Shot Through the Heart by Carl Fenecke, Who Ends His Own Life—The Murdered Man Broke the Tenth Commandment by Coveting His Neighbor's Wife.

New York, Feb. 7.—A double tragedy occurred in the Germania hotel at 116 Greenwich street, a resort for immigrants of the poorer class. William Becker, age 30, was murdered there by Carl Fenecke, with whose wife Becker is said to have been intimate at one time. After killing Becker, Fenecke killed himself, shooting himself through the heart. Becker was shot in the back of the head. The exact time at which the shooting occurred is not known. The bodies of the two men were discovered late in the afternoon.

Enemies in Death.

Fenecke and his victim arrived here from Hamburg on Sunday. Fenecke's wife, who is several years younger than her husband, accompanying them. Fenecke was about 32. Becker secured lodgings at the Germania hotel, while Fenecke and his wife went to live with the latter's brother-in-law, Adolph Henck, a grocer, living at 511 West 28th street. Fenecke left Henck's house at an early hour in the morning, saying he was going to see the sights. He went to the Germania hotel where he found Becker. The two sat in the barroom for awhile and then went to Becker's room. At 4 p. m., a porter knocked at Becker's door, wishing to put the room in order. His knock was unanswered, and he tried in vain for a time to push the door open. When he finally gained entrance, he found Becker and Fenecke lying dead, side by side, both fully dressed. Close beside Fenecke lay a 38-calibre revolver, with two chambers discharged. On the lapel of Fenecke's coat was pinned a note in German, which read:

"Your dear, honest husband has to make an end of his life in such a way. Your Carl cannot do anything else." The note was signed "Carl," and the address, 511 West 28th street, was added.

Her Shameful Confession.

The police were at once notified and a messenger sent to Fenecke's wife. On getting word, she hastened to the Church street station, where she was questioned by Captain O'Connor. He says that her story was to the effect that she left her husband some time ago in Hamburg, and went to live with Becker in a nearby town. Her husband eventually learned of her whereabouts and tried to induce her to leave Becker. She refused, and a compromise was affected by which all came to this country. Fenecke's jealously finally became so bitter that he resolved to kill Becker and commit suicide, as his wife had again threatened to leave him.

FOUND DEAD.

Deserted by His Wife—It Looks Like Murder.

Paterson, N. J., Feb. 7.—Thomas Nolan, 55 years of age, proprietor of a tavern, known as the half-way house on the Goffle road, two miles from this city, was found dead in a room in the rear of the bar room yesterday. The neighbors think that Nolan was murdered. An overturned chair and a hammer were found near the body. He is thought to have been dead since Monday. Nolan's wife deserted him on Saturday and he was living alone. There were bruises and markes on his face which seem to indicate that he was murdered.

Coke Strikers Win.

Uniontown, Pa., Feb. 7.—The coke companies will yet have a great deal to pay out before the expense of breaking last year's strike is concluded. Five of the suits brought by the imported negroes for fulfillmest of contract have been decided in favor of the men who get the full amount of their claims. The coke companies have withdrawn the 28 remaining cases and privately paid off the claims of the men, thereby saving court costs. There now promises to be a deluge of these suits by the second men who were employed under contract and who all claim back pay.

Carried Concealed Weapons.

Brooklyn, N. Y., Feb. 7.—Special Officer Sidney Jones arrested N. Fallett, aged 23 years, of Attleboro, Mass., on the charge of carrying concealed weapons. The prisoner is a conductor of the Atlantic Avenue railroad. When searched at the police station a five-chambered loaded revolver and a slungshot were in his possession. Before he was put in a cell the prisoner said that he thought he had a perfect rigt to carry a pistol to protect himself if assaulted by strikers.

Stormy Voyage of the Majestic.

Queenstown, Feb. 7.—The steamship Majestic, which passed Brow Head at 8:30, reached Daunt's Rock at 11:40 last evening. Capt. Parsell reported that from the banks she had terrible weather with east-northeast gales, high seas and bitter cold. On the 3d, 4th, 5th and 6th she proceeded at reduced speed, losing in all fifty-seven hours. Early this morning a vessel with a light was sighted, but vanished suddenly as the Majestic was steered towards her.

Shot His Mother-in-Law.

New York, Feb. 7.—Shortly after 8 o'clock last night, Patrolman Denis O'Leary, of the Madison street squad, during a quarrel with his wife, shot his mother-in-law, Margaret White, 68 years old. The bullet took effect in her right shoulder, causing a probably fatal wound. The woman was sent to Gouverneur hospital, and O'Leary was placed under arrest.

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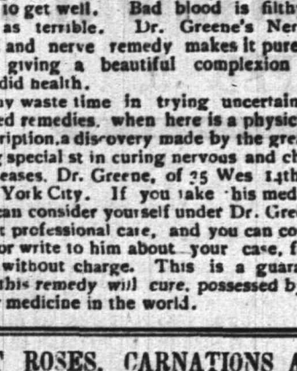

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Much Discussion on the Currency and Banking Bills—Mr. Brosius' Eloquent Appeal—Populists Watch Their Interest in the Senate—The Proposed Cable Line to Hawaii.

Washington, Feb. 7.—The boundary dispute between Venezuela and Great Britain, over the delimitation of the frontier of British Guiana, was the occasion of the passage of a joint resolution by the house, recommending the parties to submit the controversy to arbitration. The joint resolution was reported from the committee on foreign affairs and was in accordance with the suggestion of President Cleveland in his last annual message.

Veto for Relief.

The presidents veto of a bill for the relief of a Texas postmaster, sent to the house Tuesday, was referred to the committee on claims. Bills were passed, to obviate objections to the original measures pointed out by the president, to pension Richard R. Knight, and to grant the Gila Valley, Grove & Northern Railroad company a right of way through the San Carlos Indian reservation in Arizona. The currency and banking and gold loan bill was discussed five hours; after 2 o'clock under the five-minute rule, when amendments were in order. The principal speech in general debate was made by Mr. Brosius (rep., Pa.), a member of the committee reporting the bill, who made an eloquent appeal in the name of patriotism and duty for united action to relieve the country from its present condition. The amendments proposed by the committee, with two exceptions, were agreed to, after an interesting and at times exciting debate, during which there was much confusion on the floor.

The house then proceeded, in committee of the whole, to further discuss the banking and currency bill, Mr. Brosius being the first speaker. He said it was apparent that the committee on banking and currency had not met with much success in its efforts to reach a conclusion on the subject that would be satisfactory to a majority of the house. But that did not excuse the house from failing to act promptly by unity of effort, to meet the crisis which faces the treasury and the country. While congress waited, the difficulty increased. Patriotism and duty were the only two words which should actuate members at this time. His own remedies for the trouble were three:

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Third. To authorize the secretary of the treasury to borrow money sufficient to meet legitimate demands upon the treasury.

Mr. Brosius closed with an earnest and eloquent appeal to all members to lay aside every consideration that could divide them in this hour and admit only rivalry as to which could carry the banner of the country farthest into the ranks of the enemy. (Applause.)

In the Senate.

Another acquisition to the strength of the republicans in the senate was made yesterday in the person of Mr. Clark of Wyoming, who appeared and took the oath of office. The senate now consists of 87 members, of whom 43 are democrats, 39 republicans and 5 populists. The diplomatic and consular appropriation bill was taken up, and a long debate took place upon an amendment reported from the committee on appropriations for the construction and maintenance by the United States government of a telegraph cable between the United States and Hawaii, and appropriating $500,000 as part of the cost. The debate drew out a reference by Mr. Hale (rep., Me.) to the United Press dispatch from San Francisco announcing the abdication of the late queen in favor of the republican government, and this act Mr. Hale treated as a removal of one of the obstacles to a peaceful solution of the difficulties there, and as leaving the existing government strong and not likely to be disturbed. The debate was continued by Senators Teller (rep., Col.), Gray (dem., Del.) and Platt rep., Conn.); and the matter went over till to-day without action, and with a point of order pending against the amendment as general legislation on an appropriation bill.

In the closing minutes of the days session the senate substitute for the house bill appropriating four millions for the new Chicago postoffice was taken up and agreed to, the bill passed, and a conference with the house asked for. The substitute makes no direct appropriation, but directs the work to be let out in contracts, the aggregate amount of which shall not exceed four million dollars.

Extreme Cold in Canada.

Toronto, Feb. 7.—Extremely cold weather prevails throughout this part of Canada and has not been equalled in years. In this city the thermometer registered 21 below zero, the lowest since 1886. At Parry Sound, in the northern part of the province it is 38 degrees below; at Brockville, in the eastern section, 39 below; Montreal, 23 below; Owen Sound, 36 below, and at Brantford 29 below.

Together in Death.

Greensburg, Pa., Feb. 7.—Frank and Arthur Kaufman, two of the victims of the powder explosion in the fire clay mine at Hunker station on Jan. 24, died at their homes near the scene of the accident. Frank was aged about 23 and Arthur 16. Both will be buried in the same grave to-day.

No Drinks on Memorial Day.

Harrisburg, Feb. 7.—Among the bills read in the house yesterday was one by Mr. Mattox, Venango, prohibiting the sale of liquor on Memorial day and fixing the penalty at not more than $500 fine and three months imprisonment.

SUSPENDS PUBLICATION.

Death Struggle of the Newark Times as an Evening Paper.

Newark, N. J., Feb. 7.—Announcement has been made by the publisher of the suspension of the Newark Times. This was the penny afternoon paper that made its appearance about nine weeks ago. It had been previous to the change, a morning paper. From the beginning there was little hope of the success of the undertaking for the sufficient reason that under existing conditions a penny paper in Newark cannot thrive. There has been a tremendous change wrought in the newspaper business in this city within the decade, and any undertaking in the direction of a daily publication with any hope of reasonable success must be equipped in every department with all the best of modern appliances and must be in the field with a keen sense of duty to the public.

The non-success of the Times may be attributed to the labor element of this city.

HER LAST LETTER.

Thought To Be Friendless? Home, She Had None.

Newark, N. J., Feb. 7.—The body of Mrs. Alleta Bellows, who was picked up at the corner of Market and Broad streets on Tuesday, Jan. 27, and who died at the City hospital the next morning, has been lying at Mullen's morgue ever since her death, while the undertaker and several friends sought to find the whereabouts of her relatives. A letter addressed to Mrs. Bellows was received in this city on Monday and proved to be from her daughter, who lives at Tamworth, N. H. The letter was in answer to one written to the daughter on the day that Mrs. Bellows died.

Word of the woman's death was immediately telegraphed to the daughter, and she has arrived in this city. Private funeral services will be held, after which the body will be taken by the daughter to Tamworth for interment.

HUNGER DROVE HIM TO CRIME.

May Be a Murderer—Prisoner Shows Signs of Insanity.

Pittsburg, Feb. 7.—Driven to desperation bordering on insanity, from hunger and poverty, Louis Williams, colored, made a probable successful attempt to murder his wife at their home on Stockholm street, in the Twelfth ward. Without a word of provocation or an instants warning Williams crushed his wife's skull with a flat iron, afterwards kicking her almost lifeless body in a fiendish manner.

Williams immediately attempted suicide by taking what he supposed was rough on rats. It proved, however, to be soap bark and resulted only in making him very sick. At the police station Williams showed unmistakable signs of insanity and seemed happy when told that his wife would die.

SNOW IN THE HIGHLANDS.

Travel Made Difficult Throughout Perthshire, Scotland.

London, Feb. 7.—In the Scotch highlands snow has fallen almost incessantly since Tuesday night. The roads are blocked and railway travel is impossible. A train is embedded in an enormous drift near Loch Rannoch, Perthshire, and all efforts to start it have been futile, as the snow is piled up by the high wind as fast as it is shoveled away. All travel by land or water has stopped north of Inverness, on Moray Firth.

Barns and sheds have been isolated by the drifts. Many cattle are dying under cover. Thousands of sheep and deer have perished from cold and hunger or from suffocation in the drifts. Small game has suffered more than before in ten years.

Caught in the Act.

Buffalo, Feb. 7.—Car robbers and policemen had a desperate encounter in a New York Central freight car at East Buffalo yesterday. Railroad Detective Hulbert found four Poles robbing the freight car and summoning Sergeant Cantlin from station house No. 11, sought to capture them. The robbers opened fire on the two officers and a regular fusilade of shots were exchanged, but on account of the darkness none took effect. John Peters, aged 19 years, was clubbed into submission and arrested. The other robbers escaped.

No Free Speech Here.

Rome, Feb. 7.—There will be arranged in this city to-day thirty socialists, some of whom are barristers, some doctors and some journalists. The prisoners are charged with having been members of certain socialist societies, now dissolved, and also with having excited and fomented hatred among various classes of the people. Some of them have admitted that they were guilty of the charges brought against them and expressed regret for their actions.

Turkish Soldier Runs Amuck.

Constantinople, Feb. 7.—Last evening a Turkish soldier rushed from his quarters in the city, shouting "Allah" and wildly slashing with his sword in the crowded streets. He wounded five men mortally and eleven others seriously. Three women also were slightly cut. Eventually the soldier was overpowered. Among the mortally wounded was Mr. Sharp, secretary of the Pera & Galata railway. He died within an hour.

Killed While Bathing.

Montgomery, Ala., Feb. 7.—News has just reached here that on Saturday night last, while Joseph H. Hurst, a good citizen of Choctaw county, was bathing, preparatory to retiring, an assassin fired a load of buckshot into his head, killing him instantly. There is no telegraphic communication with the place and further particulars cannot be learned.

Fire in Frogmore Woolen Mill.

Philadelphia, Feb. 7.—The Frogmore Woolen mill, in Frankford, a suburb of the city, run by Walker & Richmond, was burned last night. The loss is about $70,000, but the insurance could not be learned. The fire was caused by an explosion in the cellar of the mill.

Jack Frost at Bar Harbor.

Bar Harbor, Me., Feb. 7.—Yesterday was the coldest day ever known in this city, the thermometer reaching 16 below zero and the wind blowing a gale. The roads are badly drifted. A party of summer visitors are here to see Bar Harbor in the winter.

DEATH OF MONARCHY

Expression of Hawaii's Deposed Queen.

She Makes Her Abdication Most Complete and Definite—Steps from the Troubled Throne with Humble Obedience—Her Letter to President Dole.

Honolulu, Jan. 30, via San Francisco, Feb. 7.—Ex-Queen Liliuokalani, who since Jan. 16 has been a prisoner in the executive building, has signed a document abdicating all claims to the crown, declaring that the monarchy is dead forever, and that the republic is the only lawful government in Hawaii.

The paper was presented to President Dole on the 28th. Liliuokalani says:

After a full and free consultation with my personal friends and with my legal advisers, both before and since my detention by military order in the executive building, and acting in conformity to their advice and also upon my own free volition, and in pursuance of my unalterable belief and understanding of my duty to the people of Hawaii and to their highest and best interests, and also for the sake of those misguided Hawaiians and others who have recently engaged in rebellion against the republic, and in an attempt to restore me to the position of queen, which I held prior to the 17th day of January, 1893, and without any claim that I shall become entitled by reason of anything that I may now say or do to any other or different treatment or consideration at the hands of the government than I otherwise could and might legally receive, I now desire to express and make known, and do hereby express and make known to yourself, as the only lawful and recognized head of the government, and to all the people of the Hawaiian islands, whether or not they have yet become citizens of the republic, or have been adherents of the late monarchy, and also to all diplomatic and other foreign representatives in the Hawaiian islands, to all of whom I respectfully request you to cause this statement and action of mine to be made known as soon as may be, as follows, to wit: In order to avoid any possibility of doubt or misunderstanding on the subject, although I do not think that any doubt or misunderstanding is either proper or possible, I do hereby fully and unequivocally admit and declare the government of the republic of Hawaii as the only lawful government of the Hawaiian islands, and that the late Hawaiian monarchy is finally and forever ended and no longer of any legal or actual validity, force or effect whatsoever, and I do hereby forever absolve all persons whomsoever, whether in the Hawaiian islands or elsewhere, from all and every manner of allegiance or official obligation or duty to me and my heirs and successors forever, and I hereby declare to all such persons in the Hawaiian islands that I consider them as bound in duty and honor henceforth to support and sustain the government of Hawaii.

In many quarters of the ex-queen's abdication is regarded as a ruse to save herself. When her house was searched on the day of her arrest the officers found thirty-four rifles, eleven pistols, several swords, a quantity of cartridges and twenty-one dynamite bombs. The next day her papers were searched, and it was found she had already determined upon who should constitute her cabinet in the event of her restoration being successful. It was to be as follows: Robert W. Wilox, minister of foreign affairs; Samuel Nowlein, minister of the interior; C. T. Gulick, minister of finance, and C. W. Ashford, attorney-general. As associate justices she named Antone Rosa and V. V. Ashford. W. H. Rickard was to be marshal. Governors for the different islands were selected. A new constitution was prepared by C. T. Gulick. In fact, everything was in readiness for the restoration.

Jan. 29, Attorney-General Smith replied to the ex-queen. His reply began:

As you were under arrest at the time this instrument was signed, it is desired before accepting and placing the same on file to make clear to you, Mrs. Liliuokalani Dominis, in order that no misunderstanding may hereafter arise, the views of the government in the matter.

He then says that the government does not recognize that Liliuokalani has had any claims to surrender since Jan. 24, 1893, and that the document cannot be taken as exempting her from liability for the part taken by her in the recent uprising; but the attorney-general adds: "So far as your communication may be taken as a notice to the disaffected that it is your desire that the republic shall be recognized by them as the sole and lawful government of the country, it is fully appreciated."

Wreckage from the Elbe.

London, Feb. 7.—A fishing smack brought to Lowestoft last evening a trunk containing clothes, books and letters marked with the name of Charles Wix. The trunk was picked up about thirty miles off Lowestoft. Wix was a first cabin passenger on the Elbe. His home was in Orange, N. J.

The Way of the Transgressor Is Hard.

Leipsic, O., Feb. 7.—Frank Spark, a pretended detective from Decatur, Ind., was taken from the home of a relative at Shawtown by a band of men, given a coat of tar and feathers, and ordered to leave. He eloped with a saloonkeeper's wife two weeks ago, but she left him at Decatur and he followed her home.

Firemen in Peril.

Gallipolis, O., Feb. 7.—Fire broke out in E. T. Moore & Sons boog store last night and raged fiercely until daylight, when it was gotten under control. Four firemen were buried under the falling walls, and are thought to be fatally injured.

Launched for the Spring Regatta.

London, Feb. 7.—The Yaching World is informed that A. B. Walker's new yacht Ailsa will be launched to-day and will sail south in time to take part in the Mediterranean regattas.

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TOWN AND HOME FAVORITE.

PLAINFIELD, N. J., FEB. 7, 1895

Murat's Cavalry Charge at Eylau.

The 7th of February is the anniversary of the battle of Eylau between the French and Russians in 1807, up to that time the bloodiest encounter in Napoleon's wars. Early in the morning during a blinding snowstorm, Augereau's French division charged upon the Russians, and while their cannon mowed down his regiments the terrible Cossack hordes dashed up on both flanks, cutting down thousands and capturing thousands more. When the storm cleared, only 3,000 out of that gallant corps of 16,000 veterans remained. The battle was to decide the fate of his empire, and Napoleon ordered a grand charge of the Imperial guard and all the cavalry—his noble reserve. Murat, whom Napoleon styled "the best cavalry officer in the world," rode at their head. Slowly gathering momentum as they descended the snow covered slope, the squadrons, mustering 14,000 sabers, broke into a rapid pace across the field, where Augereau's line had been destroyed. Their leader could be singled out by his streaming white plume, and as he spurred on into the mass of Russian horsemen, hewing a pathway by his own fiery strength, his white plume, like the pennon of Marmion on the field of Flodden—now sinking and again flashing high as the excited charger leaped onward into the shattered ranks of Cossacks—nerved his followers to quicker, fiercer blows. The shock of the onset drove the Russian horse back upon the infantry. There Murat's squadrons were checked. Seeing a line of Russian foot soldiers whose bullets emptied his saddles more rapidly than Cossack sabers had done, he spurred his horse upon their blazing muskets. Instantly the men of the Old Guard who had clung by him through all the storm closed in behind their valiant leader. With flashing sword in one hand and pistol in the other, the bridle reins in his teeth, he dashed into the Russian line with a fury that swept it from the field, routed as thoroughly as the mass of Cossacks had been by the ardor of that first magnificent galloping charge.

MURAT.

GEORGE L. KILMER.

Oh dear! The Flemington peachbuds are frostbitten!

Scotch Plains goes slow in the electric-railway matter. If she doesn't hurry up, she'll find the procession walking right away from her.

The plea of a correspondent in this issue for a speedway in Plainfield will find endorsement among many progressive citizens. Active and energetic work would forthwith establish such an institution here, and Plainfield would materially benefit. Now is the time to begin on what can be made a prominent glory of the town

Y. W. Runyon, ex-city auditor, is trying to squirm out of the responsibility of auditing the bill which he declared irregular. He seeks to show that the office of city auditor is an empty name Why, then, does the Council pay $400 a year for a man to fill it, and if Mr. Runyon performed no service in that office why does not he return his city auditor salary to the Council as a conscience fund? And if it is irregular for a city official to audit his own bills why did Mr. Runyon stock the city up with printing from his own shop on his own authority and then pass his own bills in his capacity as city auditor?

—The new postoffice in the Babcock Building is rapidly nearing completion prior to the opening March 1.

"A Friend in Need is a Friend Indeed."

A friend advised me to try Ely's Cream Balm and after using it six weeks I believe myself cured of catarrh. It is a most valuable remedy.—Joseph Stewart, 624 Grand avenue, Brooklyn, N. Y.

My son was afflicted with catarrh; I induced him to try Ely's Cream Balm and the disagreeable catarrhal smell all left him. He appears as well as any one.—J. C. Olmstead Arcola, Ill

Price of Cream Balm is fifty cents.

EARLY INTELLIGENCE.

—Foul steam comes from the catch basins at the corners of Front and New and Second streets and fills the atmosphere with germs of disease.

—The clerks in Love's grocery store, blowing the frost of the zero weather from their fingers, were overcome yesterday at having a woman call and ask for watermelon seeds.

—The Women's Relief Corps hold their regular meeting tomorrow evening in Grand Army Hall, Mrs. Westphal, the senior vice-president, will preside, in the absence of the president.

—A pleasant feature of the meeting held by the Sons of Temperance Tuesday evening was the presentation of a penholder and paper-cutter by W. R. Mattox to Past Patriarch Sylvester Scribner.

—Select District Sons of Temperance of Newark, celebrated their fifth anniversary last evening. Mrs. W. R. Mattox of this city was present at the festivities. She will visit relatives for a few days in Newark.

—Somerset Council, No. 104, J. O. U. A. M., have moved from the Red Men's Hall on West Front street into lodge rooms on West Second street, where the Odd Fellows meet. They will hold their first meeting Friday evening.

—While the coach belonging to the late E. D. McCarthy was being driven up North avenue to the station, a valise fell off the seat and was run over. James Whalen, who was standing near, picked it up and restored it to its place.

—Mrs. D. I. Smalley, of the corner of Somerset and Race streets, wants The Press to tell her friends and the public generally that she is still selling corn-fed Jersey pork and sausage for ten cents a pound. Her manager, George Egel, is a fine judge of beef, mutton, poultry, etc., and you can rely on getting a tender, juicy cut if you give this market a trial.

Donation to the Dominie.

The mountain party held at the residence of H. G. Smith last evening, given by the women of Union Village, to the pastor of the M. E. Church was in every sense a success.

The kindness of the host and his estimable wife in offering their house for the occasion was appreciated by all. The inclement weather kept many away, but those present entered into the sport of the evening with the greatest zest. Music and singing in the early part of the evening, several selections on the piano, solos, duets and choruses, were enjoyed until supper was announced.

The tables fairly groaned the weight of the good things provided for the occasion, to say that it was enjoyed, and ample justice done would not express an idea of the attention paid to the feast.

The rest of the evening was passed in playing games, music, and dancing by the younger members of the party.

The hours passed all too quick, until with a pleasant good night to host and hostess the party broke up voting it one of the pleasant times to be remembered by all. Professor Kilner kindly played on the accordeon. Robert Clark sang several college songs. Mrs. Robert Willmont and Miss Lena Redner sang a very pretty duet; and Miss Kate Watson played several selections on the piano.

Melted in Grace.

The intense heat necessary to make Grace M. E. Church comfortable during the present cold nights caused two women wearing rubbers on their shoes to get "fast" on the registers, and their rubbers were partly melted.

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Springfield, Mass., Republican.

In the town of Amherst, Mass., Mr. Geo. B. Pierce and his mother are the proprietors of the Amherst Creamery Association. Mrs Pierce has suffered for a long time with Salt Rheum and a cough that forboded consumption, but they have given way to health and vigor. Hearing of this a reporter called on Mrs. Pierce, and the following experience was related.—

"For a long time I suffered from Salt Rheum" said Mrs. Pierce, "but about two years ago I slipped and hurt my knee, which made it worse. I can't begin to tell the agony I was in, my limbs became a mass of raw flesh covered with running sores. My friends would say I could not live long and I thought so too. Well, I heard of Dr David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy and Dr. David Kennedy's Salt Rheum Cream; I commenced using them, and in three weeks I walked out of doors. Last night I walked a mile, and I am sixty-three years of age It shows that Dr. Kennedy's Favorite Remedy and Salt Rheum Cream can do more than the physicians, for they made me well after my doctors told me I was incurable. I must also tell you of another preparation Dr. Kennedy advised me to use, which did as much for me It was Dr David Kennedy's Cherry Balsam. I have had a wretched cough for the past fifteen years, the best doctors in the state united in saying that it was incurable, and that it was only a matter of time before my lungs would give—my sleep was restless, I would lie awake for hours. I well recollect the first time I used Dr Kennedy's Cherry Balsam. It relieved my throat at once, and I slept all through that night, the first full night's rest I had in several years. It seemed like a miracle. I took but two bottles and was cured.

Dr David Kennedy's Cherry Balsam cures asthma, bronchitis, coughs, colds, incipient consumption, whooping cough or croup. Taken with Favorite Remedy it never fails. Price 25c. 50c and $1.00 a bottle. Dr. David Kennedy's Salt Rheum Cream is sold at 50c a package. Dr. David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy costs $1.00 a bottle or six bottles for $5.00.

Favorite Remedy ranks with the medical profession as the most perfect of all blood and nerve medicines It restores the liver to a healthy condition and cures constipation. It is a certain cure for all diseases peculiar to women, and affords protection from attacks that originate in change of life. It cures scrofula, salt rheum, tumors, rheumatism, dyspepsia, all kidney, bladder and urinary diseases, gravel, diabetes and Brights disease. In this last disease it has cured where all else failed.

DIRECTIONS for using CREAM BALM.

Apply a particle of the Balm well up into the nostrils. After a moment draw a strong breath through the nose Use three times a day, after meals preferred, and before retiring.

ELY'S CREAM BALM opens and cleanses the nasal passages allays pain and inflammation heals the sores, protects the membrane from colds, restores the senses of taste and smell. The Balm is quickly absorbed and gives relief at once. Price 50c at druggists or by mail. ELY BROTHERS, 56 Warren street, New York.

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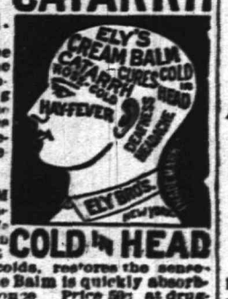

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Will leave positively on that date.

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WANTS AND OFFERS.

THE employment committee of the C. O. A. A. are prepared to recommend a limited number of women for days work in washing or cleaning For full particulars apply at the office, corner Park and North aves., between 9 and 11 a. m. 2 5 4

WANTED—A neat white girl as waitress. Call 219 Hillside ave. 2 7 3

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REMOVAL.

Dr. Lighthill begs leave to give notice that he has removed to

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Dr. Lighthill refers with pardonable pride to the success of his practice in Plainfield and submits below a few of the many testimonials which he has received from grateful patients. A mass of similar ones can be seen at his office.

AN ALMOST MIRACULOUS CURE.

The Statement of Mr. Edward Teel, Jr., of Dunellen, N. J.

TO THE PUBLIC:

From a sense of duty I desire to call public attention to the almost miraculous cure which Dr. Lighthill effected in the case of my wife. For eleven years she had been afflicted with piles of an unusual severe and distressing character. She suffered every day of her life the most intense pain, attended with frequent and profuse hemorrhage. This state of things debilitated her entire system until she became a perfect wreck of her former self.

We made every effort to obtain a cure but they all resulted in bitter disappointment, although a number of physicians of excellent reputations for skill in that direction had treated her case. She grew worse and worse all the time, the pain became perfectly unbearable and I felt she could not bear the strain of her condition much longer. In this extremity, a friend of mine, Mr. W. E. Dilts, a resident of Roselle, N. J., a passenger conductor on the New Jersey Central told me that he had been similarly affected, and had been permanently cured by Dr. Lighthill, after other medical skill had failed. He assured me that the doctor would cure my wife, no matter how severe her case may be, and his prediction proved perfectly correct. In spite of her desperate condition, Dr. Lighthill, I am glad to say, has effected a complete and perfect cure in her case, and has given her new life.

Since the cure has been effected she has gained in health and strength and is so improved in appearance that her friends scarcely recognize her. They all consider her cure as almost miraculous, and Dr. Lighthill's praise is heard on every side Our gratitude to Dr. Lighthill is unbounded and we only hope that other sufferers may be benefited by this publication.

EDWARD TEEL, Jr.

A Flattering Testimonial from Colonel John Dietrich, One of Plainfield's Oldest and Best Known Residents.

16 ARLINGTON PLACE,
Plainfield, N. J., July 17, 1894.

I am profoundly grateful to Dr. Lighthill for his speedy and radical cure of a most painful malady of over ten years standing with which I was afflicted.

I deem it proper to say to all afflicted to place themselves under the care of this skilful physician and be permanently cured.

I will cheerfully impart any information I possess when called upon.

JOHN DIETRICH.

Mr. Thomas Callahan of No. 214 Richmond street Cured of a Very Distressing Trouble by Dr. Lighthill.

PLAINFIELD, N. J., June 1, 1894.

TO THE PUBLIC:

For some time past I have been greatly distressed with noises in the head. They were all over my head and troubled me constantly; they were loudest at night when everything was quiet and at such times would often keep me from sleeping and disturb my rest. In fact they got to be so bad and distressing that they affected my whole nervous system as well as my health. I did not obtain the least relief until I placed myself under the care of Dr. Lighthill, of No. 132 Crescent avenue, who effected a complete cure in my case in a short time and made me a very happy man.

THOMAS CALLAHAN,
214 Richmond street.

A Card From Mr. T. R. VanZandt,

of Nos. 304 and 306 Park ave.,

Plainfield, N. J

I certify with pleasure that Dr. Lighthill has effectually cured me of a most painful case of piles. For some time past I had been subject to its attacks, but the last attack was so exceedingly painful that it completely upset my whole system. The pain extended to my legs and in many other directions, and made me so nervous that I could neither sleep, sit down, lie down or move about without serious discomfort and distress. Such was my condition when I applied to Dr. Lighthill for relief, and I am glad to say that as soon as he took hold of my case, I began to improve, and in a short time found myself completely cured. Dr. Lighthill has also effected a radical and permanent cure in a most terrible case of piles on my cousin, Mr J. V. Z. Griggs, of Rocky Hill, N. J., whose flattering testimonial is in Dr. Lighthill's possession.

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Grocery Department!

SATURDAY, FEB. 9.

A few plain remarks in connection with this new departure we think is opportune.

A few months ago I rented and fitted up at a heavy expense my present elegant and spacious stores, with the intention of giving Plainfield a department store second to none in the State

As I have progressed from one improvement to another, I find that if I fulfill my plan, I must of necessity, add a first class Grocery Department, in order to compete with New York and Brooklyn department stores, as many of my patrons are buying these goods there, and desire me to furnish them with their Groceries together with their Dry Goods, Housefurnishings, etc.

I am very much surprised as I have talked to people in regard to this movements, to find that there is such a large proportion of this trade going to New York department stores, and I shall make a strong effort to induce it to remain at home—where it belongs.

I shall do all I can to counteract the too prevalent idea abroad that Plainfield is an expensive place to live in on account of the high prices on articles of food, as real estate agents often say they are obliged to meet this objection when trying to sell or rent houses to New York and Brooklyn people.

We shall, therefore, sell our goods, which will always be of the best quality to be had, at what may be known as cut prices

Introductory Specials!

At 6c Can — One lot Bedford Park tomatoes, good quality... / One lot string beans, good quality... / One lot sugar corn, good quality... — At 6c Can

Bahama sliced pineapples, very fine, worth 30c at... 19c can
California free peaches, standard goods, at... 19c can
Soda crackers, first quality, at... 5c pound
Ginger snaps, " ... 6c pound
Ground coffee, good quality... 24c pound
Very best Old Government Mocha and Java coffee... 34c pound
Mixed tea, regular 40c quality, for... 29c pound
" " 45c " ... 34c pound
Very fine Oolong tea, regular 60c quality, for... 49c pound
Very fine Young Hyson tea, regular 70c quality, for... 59c pound
Oyster Bay asparagus, flat cans, for... 19c pound
Edsall's baking powder, warranted to give satisfaction, ¼ pound 4c; ½ pound 7c; 1 pound 12c

While they last, 30c each. | Just received—another lot of white plates, all sizes and perfect; 50 dozen tea cups and saucers, St. Denis shape. The above items for Saturday only. | While they last, 30c each.

Cork Filled

During this month we will offer all of our Burt & Packard

Double Sole Cork Filled Men's

$5 Shoes for $3.98 per Pair.

Just the shoe for you to wear without rubbers up to the first of May. Sizes 5 to 11; widths B to E; styles, narrow, round and Common Sense toes.

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DOANE & EDSALL.

THE WEATHER.

Snow Tonight, Followed by Clearing During Friday; Colder; North to Northwest Winds, Becoming Brisk to High.

JERSEY CAPITOL ON FIRE.

Origin of the Blaze a Mystery.

Trenton, Feb 7—The New Jersey Capitol buildings were on fire this morning.

The fire broke out in the conference room in the rear of the Supreme Court room.

Its origin is shrouded in mystery, but the supposition is that it caught from the old wood fireplace.

The floor of the room for a space of fifteen feet long and three feet wide, including three heavy floor beams, was burned away.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

Col. C. K. Moore has sent to Gov. Werts his resignation as justice of the peace.

Bennet Brittain of Front street and Clinton avenue is recovering from his illness.

W. J. Luckey of 320 West Second street is confined to his bed with a severe attack of the grip. Dr. Adams is the attending physician.

Head bartender Patrick O'Keeffe was stricken with an apoplectic fit while on duty in Rafferty's saloon this forenoon He is recovering under the care of Dr. Berg.

Morton Pierson of Roselle, member of the Junior class of the High School, has been very ill of pneumonia, and his many friends in Plainfield are glad to learn that he is convalescing.

A number of young people from Plainfield attended a dance at Bound Brook last evening. A very enjoyable evening was spent and the Plainfield party returned in the wee-small hours. An elaborate collation was served during the evening. Among those who went from this city were: Miss May McLoughlin. Miss Mary French, Miss Georgie Fountain, Mr. McLoughlin, Mr. DeMezs, Oscar Nightingale, Albert Woltmann, Edgar Serrell, John McLoughlin, and Frank Richards.

A GOOD NIGHT ALARM CLOCK.

Of Assistance to Young Men Who Find It Hard to Take Their Departure.

A young man stood in the portico of an apartment house in Washington park, Brooklyn, the other evening, and on the step above him stood a pretty girl. It was late, and the street was deserted. Despite the darkness it was apparent to the occasional passerby that the young man had the daintily gloved right hand of the young woman within his own, while his left hand rested over it like a cover to keep it guarded. The young man was apparently trying to say good night, and the young woman evidently could not hear him, for she was bending her head close to his. They stood in that attitude for nearly 15 minutes and might have been discovered in the same pose by the gray dawn of the morning had not something intervened.

That something was round and bright, and it came out of a sixth story window. It descended slowly, the moonlight shimmering on its silvery surface and making it conspicuous. Soon it could be seen that it was a string and was being lowered by an elderly woman. When it dangled over the portico, there was a sudden burr-r-r-r-r-r-ring, and the young man and young woman parted like an overstrained hawser. The young man seized the round and bright object, which was still ringing, and held its face to the electric light. The hands on the alarm clock were clasped at midnight. He raised his hat to the young woman, murmured a few words in a low tone and disappeared. The alarm clock was hoisted up quickly, but the young woman was up stairs before it finally reached the open window.—New York Sun.

Utica's Unique Tollgate.

Utica enjoys the doubtful distinction of being probably the only city in the United States which has a tollgate within its boundaries or anywhere near it, for that matter. The old days of toll roads and tollgates have passed away, and it is well that they have. The company which maintains the Deerfield gate has a legal status that cannot be done away with without the consent of those who own the property. The last legislature passed an enabling act which makes it possible for the parties interested to do away with the tollgate, and it is something to which the attention of the authorities may properly be directed.—Utica Press.

—The Ladies Committee of the Y. M. C. A. will meet tomorrow at 2 p. m.

Mrs. T. S. Hawkins, Chattanooga, Tenn., says: "Shiloh's Vitalizer saved my life; I consider it the best remedy for a debilitated system I ever used. For dyspepsia, liver or kidney trouble it excels; 75c. Sold by all druggists.

Shiloh's cure is sold on a guarantee. It cures incipient consumption; it is the best cough cure, only 1c a dose; 25, 50c, $1. Sold by all druggists.

Karl's Clover Root, the great blood purifier, gives freshness and clearness to the complexion and cures constipation; 25c 50c, $1. Sold by all druggists.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report

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BY THE WAY.

—A. M. Frazee will attend the great Palestine Commandery ball tonight.

—Several new steam radiators are beplaced on the ground floor of the High School Building.

—Col. Eadie and the Staff Band will conduct a glorious time in Salvation Army Hall tonight.

—Mrs. Kate H. Marsh, 334 East Sixth street, has closed her dressemaking establishment until March 4.

—The Daily Press staff was photographed today by G. Thorn for the Daily Press Souvenir Book of Plainfield.

—The plumbers were kept busy yesterday, and last night they were working till a late hour on burst water pipes in various parts of the city.

—For the second time in its 28-years occupancy of its present site, The Press gaspipes froze up last night. Billposter John Vroom stayed indoors and thawed them out.

—The widespread extreme cold is to be followed by another wave of even lower temperature says Prophet Dunn; and he adds that the cold wave on the way is a record breaker.

—Union services of all the churches will be held in the Crescent Avenue and First Baptist churches Sunday evening, Feb. 17, the week of the Young Men's Christian Association State Convention.

The Youth of Americans.

Elizabeth Powell Bond, Dean of Swarthmore College, delivered a most entertaining and instructive lecture on the youth of William Lloyd Garrison and Ralph Waldo Emerson, replete with personal reminiscences and anecdote, for with both these eminent Americans, as also with their families, the lecturer was fortunate in being a personal friend.

A. M. Powell followed the lecturer, remarking upon several incidents in the lives of both men not touched upon by the speaker of the evening and Rev. Hobart Clark also spoke on Emerson in his usual happy manner. All who were so fortunate as to be present last evening enjoyed an intellectual treat.

Edsall's Enterprise.

Seely Edsall, who deserves great credit for his courageous enterprises of the past and for educating the people into buying at home at less than New York prices, today makes an important announcement concerning his new grocery department. He says he is bound to wean away from New York department stores the grocery trade that now goes there. As he succeeds in everything, so he 'll succeed in this.

Sergeant Kiely's Score Soon Beaten.

Last evening on the Trade Temple alleys Sergeant Kiely made the unusual score of 233 in a practice game, starting in with a break and following with seven strikes and two spares.

This morning, to uphold the dignity of the Plainfield bowlers, John Emmons put on his war paint, stepped to the alleys and pushed 235 of them over with apparent ease in one, two, three order.

$100 Reward $100.

The reader of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly on the blood and mucous surface of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer $100 for any case that it fails to cure.

Send for list of testimonial.

F. J. Cheney & Co., Props. Toledo, O

Sold by druggists, 75c.

Van's 2 Van's

Save your pennies, the dollars will take care of themselves.

Buy your Muslins now at the following prices:

Bleached Pillow Muslins.

1½ yard wide.....8c yd
1¾ yard wide.....9c yd
1½ yard wide.....11c yd

Bleached Sheeting Muslins

2 yards wide.....14c yd
2¼ yards wide.....15c yd
2½ yards wide.....16c yd

One Yard Wide Bleached Muslins.

Fruit of Loom, Dwight Anchor, Hill, Lonsdale, Barker, Gold Medal, Arcade, extra heavy, all at...6½c yd

Van Emburgh,

Corner Store, Babcock Building.

Smoke, But No Fire.

A still alarm sent to Headquarters over the 'phone by Dr. Tomlinson at 9:30 a.m. today called Chief Doane with No. 2 hose carriage and a company of firemen to the Crescent Avenue Church, where they found smoke issuing from the windows, and rushing in were met with a volume of smoke which filled the church. A careful examination disclosed the fact that the fire was confined to the furnace, and no apparatus was used. The fire had just been built.

—Owing to the entertainment which was given by the Ladies Aid Society of Monroe Avenue Chapel, the business meeting of the Young Men's Association has been postponed to a future date.

Corporation Notice.

Plainfield, N. J., Feb. 5, 1895.

Notice is hereby given that John J. Sullivan has applied to the common council of the city of Plainfield for a saloon license to sell spirituous and fermented liquors at 518 West Third street in the Fourth ward, which application is signed by

Fintin Hibbitts,	Martin Kane,
William H. Harding,	John Kane,
James Deady,	Edward Connor,
Peter McDonough,	Thomas Lyons,
George H. Moore,	Arthur Scott,
Mary Sullivan Carlyle,	

citizens and freeholders. All persons knowing of any reason why such license should not be granted are requested to make known the same in writing to the city clerk on or before the 21st of Feb. instant.

Done in accordance with the requirements of the "Ordinance to license inns and taverns, and to regulate and prohibit the sale of spirituous and fermented liquors."

J. T. MACMURRAY, City Clerk.

Plainfield, N. J., Feb. 5, 1895.

Notice is hereby given that James Conneely has applied to the common council of the city of Plainfield for a saloon license to sell spirituous and fermented liquors at 214 and 216 Park avenue, in the Fourth ward, which application is signed by

Jacob Bilmm,	Werner Heidloff,
William H. Bilmm,	James Muldowney,
Moses Carney,	Cormick Caulfield,
Michael Spillane,	Peter Galbert,
Cornelius Guinee,	George M. Phillips,
Robert Kenney,	David Barry,

citizens and freeholders. All persons knowing of any reason why such license should not be granted are requested to make known the same in writing to the city clerk on or before the 21st of Feb. instant.

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J. T. MACMURRAY, City Clerk.

Plainfield, N. J., Feb. 5, 1895.

Notice is hereby given that John Rafferty has applied to the common council of the city of Plainfield for a liquor license to sell spirituous and fermented liquors at 213 Park avenue, in the First ward, which application is signed by

Fred Caspar	John F. McIntyre
George McCusker	Edward Hannan
Thomas Curran	Thomas Callahan
James Ryan	Dennis Carney
John J. Kenney	Patrick O'Keeffe,

citizens and freeholders. All persons knowing of any reason why such license should not be granted are requested to make known the same in writing to the city clerk on or before the 21st of Feb. instant.

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J. T. MACMURRAY, City Clerk.

Plainfield, N. J., Feb. 5, 1895.

Notice is hereby given that James Day has applied to the common council of the city of Plainfield for a saloon license to sell spirituous and fermented liquors at 545 West Third street in the Fourth ward, which application is signed by

Patrick Power,	Michael Newman,
Michael Welsh,	Charles McIntosh,
Patrick Traynor,	Thomas Burke,
Carl Fliber,	Michael Watson,
John McCarthy,	John B. DeHart,
Wm. J. Monsell,	

citizens and freeholders. All persons knowing of any reason why such license should not be granted are requested to make known the same in writing to the city clerk on or before the 21st of Feb. instant.

Done in accordance with the requirements of the "Ordinance to license inns and taverns, and to regulate and prohibit the sale of spirituous and fermented liquors."

J. T. MACMURRAY, City Clerk.

Plainfield, N. J., Feb. 5, 1895.

Notice is hereby given that Fred Caspar has applied to the common council of the city of Plainfield for a Hotel license to sell spirituous and fermented liquors at 143 and 144 East Front street in the First ward, which application is signed by

Rosalie Caspar	John Rafferty
Joseph F. W. Bamberger,	George W. Moore
William Leitheusser	George L. Henry
Thomas Loughlin	Samuel L. Miller
William Belter	William Klein
Madison Williams	Michael Harrington

citizens and freeholders. All persons knowing of any reason why such license should not be granted are requested to make known the same in writing to the city clerk on or before the 21st of Feb. instant.

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J. T. MACMURRAY, City Clerk.

Plainfield, N. J., Feb. 5, 1895.

Notice is hereby given that Frank Lecke has applied to the common council of the city of Plainfield for a Wholesale license to sell spirituous, vinous, malt and brewed liquors in quantities from one quart to five gallons at 227 West Front street in the Fourth ward, which application is signed by

P. J. Kreitling	Peter V. Weaver
William F. Trust	William W. Corriell
Charles Smith	

citizens and freeholders. All persons knowing of any reason why such license should not be granted are requested to make known the same in writing to the city clerk on or before the 21st of Feb. instant.

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J. T. MACMURRAY, City Clerk.

Plainfield, N. J., Feb. 5, 1895.

Notice is hereby given that John E. Beerbower has applied to the common council of the city of Plainfield for a Hotel license to sell spirituous and fermented liquors at corner of Park avenue and East Second street in the First ward, which application is signed by

Dan S. Roberts	Carl Kaerth
H. Werner	T. A. Rogers
John K. VanNess	Joel Walley
Albert Brown	J. H. Staats
Walter L. Hetfield	George B. Staats,

citizens and freeholders. All persons knowing of any reason why such license should not be granted are requested to make known the same in writing to the city clerk on or before the 21st of Feb. instant.

Done in accordance with the requirements of the "Ordinance to license inns and taverns, and to regulate and prohibit the sale of spirituous and fermented liquors."

J. T. MACMURRAY, City Clerk.

NOW ON HAND,

Diphtheria Antitoxine.

FOR IMMEDIATE DELIVERY.

So limited has been the supply of GENUINE ANTITOXINE heretofore, that sales have been made only on condition of immediate actual use. But amid so large a population as ours, an urgent demand for the new treatment may arise at any hour, night or day, Sunday or week-day. And delay in obtaining it might result fatally. I have therefore, with some difficulty, and at considerable expense, provided a complete outfit of Antitoxine Serum (with injector) and am prepared to meet such demand The cost of an outfit (Serum of two powers and Koch injector) is now about $12 being only one-fourth of the earlier price. At present sales will be made only on the order of a practicing physician.

Reynolds's Pharmacy, Park and North Avenues.

E. E. Marshall & Co.,

Painters and Decorators.

167 NORTH AVENUE. (Formerly with A. D. VanSciver)

Wall Paper,

Window Shades,

Picture Mouldings.

We have just received 10,000 rolls of Wall Paper, which we guarantee to be 1895 goods, and that is what you cannot find elsewhere in the city. Our prices are lower than ever before. People contemplating papering and painting can save money by calling on the above named firm. We do no work but what is first-class and solicit your patronage.

GRAND OPENING OF THE PLAINFIELD TEA & GROCERY CO

Saturday, February 9.

106 East Front St. H. T. WILLIAMS, Manager.

Plainfield, N. J., Feb. 5, 1895.

Notice is hereby given that Jacob Bilmm has applied to the common council of the city of Plainfield for a Hotel license to sell spirituous and fermented liquors at 37 and 39 Somerset street in the Fourth ward, which application is signed by

George Mehl	Isaac Lederer
Jacob Bilmm, Jr	James C. Hansen
James Conneely	Michael McCarthy
Manuel Nugent	William H. Kitchen
Christian Karl	Peter Bilmm

citizens and freeholders. All persons knowing of any reason why such license should not be granted are requested to make known the same in writing to the city clerk on or before the 21st of Feb. instant.

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J. T. MACMURRAY, City Clerk.

Plainfield, N. J., Feb. 5, 1895.

Notice is hereby given that Alexander D. Pindiay has applied to the common council of the city of Plainfield for a saloon license to sell spirituous and fermented liquors at 122 East Second street in the First ward, which application is signed by

John Wolf	E. P. Curtis
Thomas O'Gorman	Adolph Kahrman
Michael Wonderlick	John Richter
Charles Bock	John Johnson
Patrick Marron	J. W. Vansickle
Theo. A. Roder,	

citizens and freeholders. All persons knowing of any reason why such license should not be granted are requested to make known the same in writing to the city clerk on or before the 21st of Feb. instant.

Done in accordance with the requirements of the "Ordinance to license inns and taverns, and to regulate and prohibit the sale of spirituous and fermented liquors."

J. T. MACMURRAY, City Clerk.

Plainfield, N. J., Feb. 5, 1895.

Notice is hereby given that Charles Smith has applied to the common council of the city of Plainfield for a saloon license to sell spirituous and fermented liquors at southwesterly corner of Front and Somerset streets in the Fourth ward, which application is signed by

Joseph A. Blatz	Vincent L. Frazee
John Winzenried	Matthias Heftl
Bennit Brittin	Felix Francois Genot
Frank Linke	Frank Droll
Theodore Kurzhals	William Newcorn
Samuel Dreier,	

citizens and freeholders. All persons knowing of any reason why such license should not be granted are requested to make known the same in writing to the city clerk on or before the 21st of Feb. instant.

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J. T. MACMURRAY, City Clerk.

Plainfield, N. J., Feb. 5, 1895.

Notice is hereby given that Wallace V. Miller has applied to the common council of the city of Plainfield for a hotel license to sell spirituous and fermented liquors at 111 to 119 North avenue in the First ward, which application is signed by

Charles McGinley	James H. Higgins
Calvin Neighbour	James W. Burdick
James Harding	L. Paoli
Joseph Angerbauer	John Byrnes
C. K. Ianson	John E. Collins
James Canfield	Bertnold P. Honsen,

citizens and freeholders. All persons knowing of any reason why such license should not be granted are requested to make known the same in writing to the city clerk on or before the 21st of Feb. instant.

Done in accordance with the requirements of the "Ordinance to license inns and taverns, and to regulate and prohibit the sale of spirituous and fermented liquors."

J. T. MACMURRAY, City Clerk.

Plainfield, N. J., Feb. 5, 1895.

Notice is hereby given that John J. Goff has applied to the common council of the city of Plainfield for a hotel license to sell spirituous and fermented liquors at northwesterly corner of West Third and Liberty streets in the Fourth ward, which application is signed by

Daniel McCarthy	John M. Carney
Chas. McCann	Frederick Westphal
Thomas King	John Flynn
Thomas Johnson	Joseph Johnson
John S. Haskard	Frank Cullen
John Donelly	John J. Hibbitts
Mary E. Goff,	

citizens and freeholders. All persons knowing of any reason why such license should not be granted are requested to make known the same in writing to the city clerk on or before the 21st of Feb. instant.

Done in accordance with the requirements of the "Ordinance to license inns and taverns, and to regulate and prohibit the sale of spirituous and fermented liquors."

J. T. MACMURRAY, City Clerk.

Corporation Notice.

Proposals for furnishing crushed stone, and also for furnishing material and doing the necessary work for building culverts and laying cross-walks.

Pursuant to resolution adopted by the Common Council of the city of Plainfield at the regular meeting held February fourth, 1895, notice is hereby given that the Committee on Streets will meet at the Mayor's Office, No. 109 Park avenue, in the City of Plainfield, on Tuesday, February 19th instant, at eight o'clock p. m., at which time and place the said Committee on Streets will receive sealed proposals for furnishing crushed stone, and for furnishing material and performing the necessary work for building culverts and laying cross-walks, as follows: For crushed stone for the remainder of the year 1895, the bids to state the prices for furnishing the following sizes, viz.: "Dust" No 1 or one inch, No. 2 or one and one half inches, and No. 3 or two and one half inches, in such quantities and in such places as the Street Commissioner may direct.

The stone must be of the best quality of trap rock, free from dirt, clay or other foreign matter, and in every way acceptable to the said Street Commissioner.

The stone must be weighed on such scales as the Street Committee may direct, and a voucher or way-bill must be delivered with every load to the said Street Commissioner or his authorized representative.

The right to reject any or all bids is hereby reserved. For furnishing material and performing the necessary work for building culverts and laying cross-walks for the remainder of the year 1895, according to the plans and specifications on file in the office of the Street Commissioner. Upon receipt of the bids or proposals, the Committee on Streets will immediately proceed to unseal the same and publicly announce the contents in the presence of the parties bidding or their agents, provided said parties or their agents choose to be then and there present, and also make the proper record of the prices and terms upon their minutes.

The plans and specifications referred to above may be seen at the office of the Street Commissioner.

The right to reject any or all bids is expressly reserved.

By order of the Common Council and the Committee on Streets.

JAMES T. MACMURRAY, City Clerk.

Corporation Notice.

Notice is hereby given that the following Ordinance has been introduced before the Common Council, read the second time and ordered engrossed preparatory to its third reading, and that it is the intention of the Council to accept the same.

JAMES T. MACMURRAY, City Clerk.
Plainfield, N. J., Feb. 4, 1895.

AN ORDINANCE

concerning the removal of snow and ice from sidewalks and gutters.

The Inhabitants of the City of Plainfield, by their Common Council, do enact as follows:

Section 1. That the owner, occupant, lessee or other person having the charge of each and every dwelling house, store, or other building or lot or lots of ground, shall within the first four hours of daylight after every fall of snow or hail, or after the formation of any ice upon the sidewalk adjoining said premises, cause the said snow or ice (unless said ice shall have been strewn with ashes, sawdust or sand) to be removed from the flagging, cement, concrete, planks, crushed stone, graveled surface or other artificial covering thereof; and shall also cause the gutter in front thereof to the width of one foot outwardly from and adjoining the curb line to be cleaned out so as to allow the water to run freely along the same, and any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall on conviction be punished by a fine not exceeding five dollars; provided that this section shall not apply to any sidewalk which shall not at the time have been laid either to the whole width or a part thereof with flagging, cement, concrete, planks, boards, crushed stone, graveled surface or some artificial covering.

Section 2. That as to all sidewalks and gutters of any street or highway that is graded, curbed and flagged, the street commissioner shall at an expense not exceeding one cent per front foot, in all cases in which the owner of the land shall fail to remove the snow and ice within twenty-four hours after such sidewalks or gutters were covered with snow or ice, remove said snow or ice from said sidewalks and gutters as directed by the statute in such case made and provided, and in such case the costs and expense paid and incurred by said street commissioner for removing the snow and ice from any sidewalk or gutter as aforesaid shall be certified by said street commissioner to the city assessor, "and the same shall be added to the taxes of the lot or lots or parcels of land in front of the sidewalks and gutters from which the snow and ice was removed, and shall be a part of the same as a first and paramount lien upon said land and premises".

Corporation Notice.

Notice is hereby given that the following Ordinance has been introduced before the Common Council, read the second time and ordered engrossed preparatory to its third reading, and that it is the intention of the Council to adopt the same.

JAMES T. MACMURRAY, City Clerk.
Plainfield, N. J., Feb. 4, 1895.

AN ORDINANCE

concerning firearms and other deadly weapons.

The Inhabitants of the City of Plainfield, by their Common Council, do enact as follows:

Section 1. That no person shall fire or discharge any gun, fowling piece or firearms within the limits of the city of Plainfield, under a penalty of a fine not exceeding twenty dollars for every such offence; provided, however, that this section shall not apply to the use of such weapons at any military exercise or review, or target practice duly authorized by the military authority of this State, or by the Common Council, or the Mayor, or in the lawful defence of the person, family or property of any citizen; and provided further that this section shall not apply to the discharge of blank cartridges or charges of powder on the fourth day of July.

Sec 2. That no person shall carry within the limits of the City of Plainfield concealed upon or about his person, any pistol, dirk, butcher or bowie knife, stiletto, dagger, sword, or spear in a cane, brass or metal knuckles, razor, slung shot, or other deadly weapon, under a penalty of a fine not exceeding twenty dollars for each and every offense; provided that this section shall not apply to officers of the law or persons who are threatened with bodily harm.

MUSIC HALL.

Varian & Sohl, Lessees and Managers.

Telephone call 193.

Friday, Feb. 8.

First Plainfield production of Jacob Litt's elaborate electric melodrama,

SHAFT NO. 2,

The season's greatest sensation. A remarkable cast headed by

FRANK LOSEE and MARION ELMORE.

New and original realistic effects. A bolt of real lightning. Prices 25, 35, 50, 75c, $1.

Coming—The Land of the Midnight Sun.

Foundation Principle.

We introduce a new principle in the retail dry goods trade. That is we will refund money on all goods bought at our store that are not satisfactory, and do it as cheerfully as we sell the goods. We don't mean giving a credit check but giving you the cash.

JUST TRY US.

There is an attraction about our way of doing business that makes shopping a pleasure You can come, buy or not, just as you please; the store is yours.

Good Things.

Not for a day, but as long as they last.

30 inch China silks, all shades, 50c
54 inch Covert cloths, all shades, 49c; cost to import 75c.
45 inch imported drapery 13c; cost to import 40c.
22 inch all-linen glass toweling 8⅓ cents; value 13.
30 inch plaid jackonets 6c yard; value 12c.
25 pieces fancy trimming silks 39c yard; value 75.

Our special prices on muslins and sheeting still go on.

The sale of granite ironware has stopped the sale of tinware. No one seems to want tinware when they can buy granite ironware at the same prices. Visit our housefurnishing department; you will find many things you want, and the prices are in your favor.

WHITE, of Plainfield.

TALK IS CHEAP!

but our Coats and Capes are cheaper. This week we have inaugurated the Greatest Coat Sale ever held in the city. We have marked our entire stock 33 per cent. lower than the original price. Our prices enable everyone to buy one. You need a coat; we need the room and money. We give you a large bargain for little money. We would rather sell them for half their original cost than carry them over.

Housefurnishing Goods.

3c Sale 3c in Basement 3c

Any article on our 5c counter for 3c for one week only. We wish to inform you that this department is below our first floor and prices below other houses.

Glassware.

7 piece fruit set 50c. regular price 75c.
7 piece water set 90c. regular price $1.25.
7 piece lemonade set $1.39, regular price $1.75.
Initial tumblers, fine blown glass, 98c doz.

Decorated Toilet Sets.

A $2 50 toilet set for $1.96
A $3 25 " $2.50
A $5.50 " $4.50

Tea Set Sale.

56 piece tea set $3.45, former price $4.50.

DRESS GOODS.

Now is the time for you to get bargains in our Dress Goods Department.

Our 25c worsteds 28 in wide, 15c.
Our 40c flannels 38 in wide, 25c.
Our 65c black serge 45 in wide, 45c.
Our 75c " 45 in wide, 49c.
Our $1 Covert cloths 54 in wide, 75c.
Our $1 15 black henrietta 40 in wide, 75c.

Just received a beautiful line of Embroideries at astonishing prices. The only house in the city that carries a complete line of Fancy and Plain Silks.

Our prices on Coats and Capes will surprise you.

BOEHM'S,

113 WEST FRONT STREET.

Central Employment Office

218 Liberty st. Gibson & Cable, agents.

All kind of help furnished on short notice. We have first-class help always on hand or can be had on 3 days notice. Satisfaction guaranteed.

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CHRISTIAN SCIENCE.

CANONIZING MRS. EDDY, FOUNDER OF THE SECT.

Effects of the Faith Said to be Excellent for the Complexion and Good for Overcoming Balky Horses. Formula Used in Healing.

St. Theresa and St. Elizabeth would open their eyes at the good fortune of Mrs. Eddy, founder of the Christian Scientists. Mrs. Eddy, yet in life, is undergoing canonization, with all modern conveniences. The new church of the Christian Scientists, just dedicated in Boston, has what is called a Mother's Room. This is for the exclusive use of Mrs. Eddy. It is enriched with white marble and mosaics. The dominant tone is pale green, relieved with pink. In front of the room is a sunburst, with a seven-rayed star cut in the centre.

There are several other novel features in the new church, including many of the most elegant full length mirrors. Christian Science, however, has never disdained the purely practical.

There is a woman in Boston who is frequently quoted as having carried Christian Science further than any of its votaries. She wanted but one thing—money. She made up her mind if there was anything in the religion she had adopted she would have it. So morning, noon and night she thought of nothing but money. In this faith she persisted, and at length money, in the most unlikely way, and by no other conscious effort of her own, was vouchsafed her.

Her theory appeared to start from the Scriptural assertion that "The earth is the Lord's and the fulness thereof." We are his heirs, his children, therefore we have a right to all that this world affords. We are born to prosperity, as we are born to eternal life. Those who claim it will come into their birthright, and nothing can imperil it.

Attention is called to the fact that Christian Scientists are always well-to-do. Their strongholds are in the great cities among the rich. Its disciples are found in Saratoga, and not in fishing villages beside a lonely lake. After eighteen centuries Martha and Mary are on hotel piazzas in ruffled muslins and bronze slippers. Eighteen centuries will accomplish a good deal. Christian Scientists also call attention to their good complexions. One of their teachers once said:

"If I were not afraid of being called a charlatan I would advertise a series of lectures on Christian Science as a cosmetic. I am sixty years old and look at my skin!"

It was indeed dazzling with its rose and snow.

"Our constant feeling of exaltation," she explained, "through faith in our birthright, sends the blood dancing through our veins, restoring, renewing, carrying life to every part of our body. The work of creation, of recreation never ceases. It is this that transforms the skin to satin, and that paints it with the glow of health, and sends living light into the eye."

There are others who have gone further into this matter, who assert further that when the Scriptures say, 'the oil of gladness maketh the face shine," it is not a symbolic truth, but a physical fact. The sense of being heirs to the universe is a perpetual reservoir of happiness, they contend, and reacting physically, opens the little sacs of oil that underlie the cuticle. These not only nourish and lave the skin, keeping it moist and fresh, but from them proceeds an ineffable perfume, so that when persons are so fully launched in this new belief that they live in it and move in it, it surrounds them like an aura.

One young woman says that when she experiences this happiness at full tide, and puts her hand to her face, she feels the transformation in the caressing touch of the skin, the warm, dewy fragrance of her finger tips, and is a delight unto herself.

All this is to show how far the methods of self-denial and contempt for the body that characterized the old Christian belief have been swept away by the luxurious new faith.

Yet Christian Science as an organized religion is not more than fifteen years old. Mrs. Eddy is regarded as its founder. When only nine years old, it is related, she heard repeatedly a voice calling "Mary! Mary!" She thought it was her mother and would run to her. This troubled her mother greatly, for she did not believe her little girl would live. One night she read to the child the story of little Samuel, and told her if she heard the voice again to answer as he did, "Speak, Lord, for thy servant heareth." The next time, however, she was too frightened to speak. Then she prayed for forgiveness. When the voice called again she answered, and never heard the voice again.

Henceforth she grew up in an atmosphere of spiritual aspiration.

Equally pertinent facts, however, are that Mary Baker, as Mrs. Eddy was then, in time was married, and subsequently divorced. She had had previously another husband, a Colonel Glover, a South Carolinian, who died after a year. Mrs. Eddy was very ill in 1855, after a very severe accident, and given up to die by her physician.

At this time there came along an old Vermont doctor named Quimby. He was a travelling doctor, and took Salem, where Mrs. Eddy lived, in turn. Hearing of her illness, he asked to treat her. He did so by the method now in vogue with the Christian Scientists, and she began to mend. They had many talks together, with the result that his patient began to study his practice of healing.

The Metaphysical College, as it is somewhat curiously called, was chartered in 1883. Here was the fountain head of the science of divine healing, to which disciples flocked from all parts of the land. There are few more profitable colleges. For a course of tuition lasting only a few months Mrs. Eddy was accustomed to get $500. She is now very rich, living in one of the most beautiful houses in Commonwealth avenue, Boston, overlooking the Back Bay Park.

One of the pupils has given to me the notes she made during this five-hundred-dollar course, and the secret formula of healing. I am bound to say that these convey very little to my mind beyond words, and of these much repetition. It appears, however, that a certain mental state is necessary on the part of the recipient for the comprehension of these truths.

This much may be gleaned: They affirm that spirit is the only substance, and spiritual transactions are the only reality. There are twelve of these lectures. The first six are explanatory; the following six relate to the patient and the healing. First is demanded a belief in what is called the "basic principle." This is the omnipresence of God. God is good. Good being present everywhere there can be no evil. Two bodies cannot occupy the same space at the same time. Evil being non-existent, why are we ill and sinful? We are not; that we are is merely an error of belief. Change the belief, we are well.

It is a singular fact, so all Christian Scientists say, that after the third or fourth lecture the listener becomes physically ill. The feeling is that of nausea and a sense of collapse, like that after some profound emotion or during an earthquake. This is called "chemicalization." It is the result of the tumult in the hearer's mind. The old beliefs are swept away, everything steadfast seems tumbling. The mind reels; new thoughts rush in and clamor for place. This mental disturbance reacts powerfully on the body.

One woman says she was attacked after the fifth lecture. This lecture is a terror. It disposes of the material world. She learned that when she was pinched she did not feel. Taste and sensation were absent. Her mind toppled and she went home reeling. There she threw herself on a lounge and called for the fieriest novel that could be found, as the only chance of getting hold on earth once more.

The sixth lecture restores mental calm and prefaces the course on healing. As only thought is real, each disease must be the externalization of some thought. In visiting a patient the first thing is to discover the thought that produces the disease. If he lives in a house in which he knows that the plumbing is bad, an evil thought has been at work. If the patient is a boy, somebody has been at work on its "unconscious mortal intellect."

As disease is a thought, it must be counteracted by thought. The proper thought will act more quickly on a case of fever than aconite. A book of telegrams was shown to me, in which pleas for immediate healing were filed from every part of the country. Many were from stage people. One begged the stopping of a sudden hemorrhage.

The "science of silence" is a common phrase. Silent treatment consists of denials and affirmatives. The formula for silent healing is not given until after the lectures are over, and some sort of a vow of secrecy accompanies it. At least that was once the case. In the formula shown me the healer was supposed to be treating a woman for rheumatism of the heart. The patient, man or woman, is called Mary Brown, a name with the same pertinence as John Doe. Six treatments are regarded as necessary. In the first the healer attacks the influence of heredity, or the belief in it. This is what the healer says, but only in her own mind:

"Now, Mary Brown, listen to me; hear what I have to tell you. All these things that you have told me about having rheumatism of the heart are not true. There is not a word of truth in the whole of it. The belief of your parents has no power to reflect upon you those conditions you call rheumatism of the heart.

"You are free. Realize it and assert yourself. You cannot be in bondage to this thing you call rheumatism of the heart."

The second treatment proceeds on the general head of "deception," or the mistake of everybody but the Christian Scientists as to the nature of disease. The formula is used in the same manner. The third treatment relates to the driving out of any evil thought that may have produced the illness. It is in this manner:

"The selfishness, envy, jealousy, malice, cruelty, revenge of your parents, Mary Brown, cannot reflect this thing you call rheumatism of the heart."

The same formula is used with relatives and associates.

At the fourth treatment the patient is expected to grow worse, owing to the breaking up of beliefs, and before he has fully got hold of the truth; this state of unrest pictures itself on the body. The healer's duty is now to allay all the disturbances of the mind. This is the formula:

"The unrest of the present is not reflected on you, Mary Brown, by your parents, for God is life, God is health, God is strength, God is peace."

The fifth treatment is to give courage. The sixth, if all goes well, is to be final. It is called the "spiritual baptism," and goes like this:

"Mary Brown, listen to me. You are the perfect creature of the living God—spiritual, harmonious, living, fearless, free. You reflect all the good of the whole universe. Truth flows to you from every side. You show forth all the good of your parents. You reflect the goodness of the whole race, love, sympathy, tenderness, compassion, beauty, joy, peace. You reflect the purity of all you meet daily. You show forth all that is good in me. You are good because God is good; you are strong because He is so. He is your peace. Rest and comfort surround you, lift you up and sustain you. You are the living proof of my words. You have peace of mind, knowledge of universal truth and health of body. I pronounce my work perfect. 'Lo, I am with you always.'"

After this Mary Brown is expected to be not only physically well, but to think no little of herself.

A young man who is a Christian Scientist suppports the doctrine further by assuring me that he once gave silent treatment to a balky horse and overcame him.—N. Y. Herald.

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Leave New York from foot of Liberty street 4 30, 6 00, 7 15, 8, 8 40, 9 10, 10, 11 45, A. M., 1 10, 1 [illegible], 2 30, 3 30, 3 45, 4, 4 30, 5, 5 15, except Saturday, 5 [illegible], 5 45, 6, 6 15, 6 30, 7, 7 30, 8, 8 30, 9 15, 10 15, 11 30, 12, 12 15, 1, night. Sunday—4 30, 7 15, 8 30, 9 15, A. M., 12 M., 1, 2 15, 4, 5 30, 7, 9 00, 10 00 P. M., 12 night. 1 A M.

PLAINFIELD AND NEWARK.

Leave Plainfield 5 58, 6 29, 6 59, 7 26, 7 30, 8, 8 [illegible], 9 52, 10 04, 10 37, A. M., 12 06, 1 18, 2 [illegible], 3 30, 3 12, 3 51, 4 50, 5 54, 6 54, 7 08, 8 30, 10 [illegible], 11 28 P. M. Sunday—8 01, 8 52, 10 08, 11 28, A. M., 12 38, 1 45, 3 30, 5 38, 7 11, 8 28, 9 32, 10 17 P. M.

Leave Newark 6 15, 7 18, 7 55, 8 30, 9 08, 10 [illegible], 11 25 A. M., 1 15, 1 35, 2 20 Saturday only, 3 [illegible], 4 05, 4 40, 5 04, 5 24, 5 50, 6 20, 7 15, 7 58, 8 [illegible], 10 05, 11 25 P. M. Sunday—7 20, 9 48, 9 38, 11 [illegible], A. M., 1 10, 3 38, 4 10, 5 40, 7 20, 9 25, 10 20 P. M.

Passengers for Newark change cars at Elizabeth.

PLAINFIELD AND SOMERVILLE.

Leave Plainfield 5 45, 7 10, 8 16, 9 54, 11 a.m., 12 [illegible], 2 08, 2 32, 3 45, 4 26, 5 05, 5 14, 5 34, 6 04, 6 19, 6 28, 7 12, 7 [illegible], 8 21, 10 26, 11 23 P. M., 12 38 night. Sunday—5 45, 8 [illegible], 9 54, A. M., 2 08, 3 28, 5 14, 6 35, 10 18, 11 14 P. M.

Leave Somerville, 6, 6 30, 7 00, 7 25, 7 55, 7 [illegible], 8 40, 9 06, 9 48, 11 40 A. M., 12 51, 1 48, 2 [illegible], 3 25, 4 25, 5 28, 6 35, 8 17, 8 45, 11 05, P. M. Sunday 8 25, 9 45, 10 55 A. M., 12 08, 1 20, 5 05, 6 45, 8 03, 8 [illegible], 9 40 P. M.

PLAINFIELD AND EASTON

Leave Plainfield 5 45, 8 16, 9 54, A.M., 12 46, 2 08, 5 [illegible], 5 14, 6 28, 8 21 P. M. Sunday—5 45, 8 28 A. M., 2 [illegible], 6 35 P. M.

Leave Easton 6 05, 7 00, 8 53, A.M., 12 52, 4 04, 7 [illegible], P. M. Sundays—7 15, 10 52, A. M. 6 40, 7 30, P. M.

PLAINFIELD AND LAKE HOPATCONG.

Leave Plainfield 9 54, a. m., 5 05 p.m.

WESTWARD CONNECTIONS.

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5 45 A. M. for Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport and Tamaqua.

7 10 a. m. for stations to High Bridge, connecting for stations on High Bridge Branch.

8 16 A. M. for Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9 54 A. M. for Flemington, High Bridge branch, D L & W R R, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Pottsville, Nanticoke, Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c. Through coach to Williamsport.

12 46 p. m. way for Easton, connecting at Junction for stations on D. L. & W. R. R.

2 08 P. M. for Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Sunbury and Williamsport, Wilkes-Barre and Scranton. Buffet parlor car to Mauch Chunk.

5 05 p. m., way for Easton, connecting at High Bridge for stations on High Bridge branch.

5 14 P. M. for Flemington, Easton, Bethlehem, Bangor, Allentown, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, Mauch Chunk, Shamokin and Tamaqua. Buffet parlor car to Scranton.

6 19 P. M. for Flemington.

6 28 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading and Harrisburg.

8 21 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

5 45 A. M. Sunday for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Wilkesbarre and Scranton. 8 28 a.m. Sundays for Easton, 2 08 p. m. Sundays for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Reading and Harrisburg, 6.35 p. m. Sundays for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, &c. and at Junction for D. L. & W. R. R.

For Atlantic City, 3 37 a. m. 1 18 p. m.

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Leave Plainfield 3 37, 8, 10 37, a. m., 1.18, 3 51, 5 54, p. m. Sundays—(except Ocean Grove) 8 52, a. m., 3 30 p. m.

For Perth Amboy, 3 37, 5 38, 8, 10 37 a. m., 1 18, 3 51, 4 50, 5.54, 7 08 p.m. Sunday—8 52, a. m., 3 30 p. m.

For Freehold 3 37, 8, 10 37 a.m., 1 18, 3 51, 4 50 p.m.

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Leave Plainfield for Philadelphia, 5 45, 8 16, 9 48, 10 46, a. m., 2 08*, 5 14*, 6 [illegible], 8 21, 9 37* p. m., 1 12, night. Sunday—5 45, 8 [illegible], a. m., 2 08*, 5 14*, 6 45 p. m., 1 12, night.

For Trenton 5 45, 8 44, 9 40*, 10 46, a. m., 2 [illegible], 2 08*, 5 14*, 6 28*, 8 21, 9 37* p. m., 1 12 night. Sunday—5 45, 9 34, a. m., 2 08*, 5 14*, 6 [illegible] p. m., 1 12 night.

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From 24th and Chestnut—3 55, 7 58, 9 21, 11 12 a.m., 3 40, 6 12, 8 10, 11 45 p. m. Sunday—3 55, 7 58, 12 19 p m, 3 30, 6 12, 8 10, 11 45 p. m.

Leave Trenton, Warren and Tucker sts., 1 [illegible], 4 58, 9 06, 10 25, a.m., 12 15*, 2 10, 4 28*, 5 44, 9 0[illegible] p. m. Sundays—1 00, 4 58, 9 06, 10 37 a. m., 1 16*, 4 [illegible], 6 48*, 6 23 p. m.

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WASHINGTON NEWS.

THE FINANCIAL PROBLEM WHICH IS TROUBLING OUR STATESMEN.

Indications that the Democrats Will Not Follow the President's Lead. Foreign Views of Difficulties. American Honor Discredited.

The speech of Mr. Joseph C. Sibley, the Democratic representative from the Twenty-sixth Pennsylvania district, delivered in the House, January 8, and "withheld for revision," now appears in the official record. It is preceded by a caption and a poetic contribution, as follows:

"Money has been defined as the wheels of commerce. We have taken away one-half the wheels and are engaged in guessing why commerce moves so slowly.

"We have read in the lore of long ago
That a symbol of our life below
Is a boat with palsied men to row,
And a blind man at the rudder."

The alliterative passage in the speech which excited so much comment at the time of its delivery appears in the revised version as follows:

"Mr. Chairman—If I have read the Constitution of the United States correctly, it defines the position and duties of the Chief Executive and the powers and duties of membership of the House; and I tell you if ever a rebuke was needed to one who has tramped down the prerogatives of the people, it is needed to-day to that man who has used his influence, or attempted to use it, to create himself the sole governing power of this nation. [Applause on the Democratic side.] It has come to a time when to be the government of this people requires something more than a combination of brains, belly, and brass. [Renewed applause.] The members of this House have duties to perform, rights to be respected, and are answerable to their own consciences, to their own people, and not to the President, and in the discharge of those duties are not to be awed into a violation of duty by an exercise of executive powers outside his constitutional prerogatives."

The speech is accompanied by voluminous addenda, consisting of "extracts from writings and speeches of dead and living statesmen, political economists, philosophers, and patriots, relative to the effect of a shrinking volume of currency upon the prosperity of the country."

All attempts to bring the Democratic party together in support of President Cleveland's financial recommendations, or any financial bill whatever, have failed, and it is now apparent, even to the most sanguine, that there will be no financial legislation at this session of Congress. The Administration men in the House are still hopeful, or they profess to be, that some proposition can be patched up that can get a majority, but in the Senate all hope has been abandoned. The attitude of the Republicans in the present emergency has given rise to the report that if an extra session is called they will not favor the enactment of legislation affecting the currency, but will pass an act merely increasing tariff duties, and thus putting money into the Treasury. The two or three speeches which have been made by Mr. Reed during the present session indicate that this is the popular Republican policy. He has held all along that all that is necessary to relieve the financial situation is to have the receipts of the Treasury exceed the expenditures.

The financial crisis in the United States is regarded as the gravest feature of the general monetary situation in London and in all European business centres. A careful canvass of representative London opinion yields results which deserve serious consideration. It may be said at once that Mr. Cleveland's message failed to produce any effect in monetary circles in London. This was chiefly because the message was everywhere accompanied by the announcement that there was hardly any possibility of its recommendations becoming law in the present Congress. The President's ideas are approved by most London bankers. The only important criticism was a charge of inconsistency, wherein the President declares that all money should rank alike, and later suggests that interest on the bonds should be payable only in gold. The opinion of London bankers with American connections regarding the causes of the enormous transfers of gold to Europe is highly significant. All agree that Englishmen have stopped making fresh American investments. The dividends and interest from American securities, which are usually reinvested in that country, must now be paid in cash. This, of course, can only partially account for the flow of gold. A more important explanation is found in the general discrediting of American finances, public and private, which has undoubtedly taken place throughout Europe. This has caused a great change in the manner of conducting commercial business within a few months. European exporters until recently sent their goods to America on six months' credit. A large proportion is now demanded in cash. The effect of this, especially with the increased foreign trade under the new tariff, has been a tremendous, extra, but temporary drain upon American treasuries. London bankers believe the new practice has become so extensive that it will account for a much greater movement of gold than has yet occurred. When confidence is restored and old methods are resumed, there will be another flood in the opposite direction. ROGER LEWIS.

His Will on a Postal Card.

The Philadelphia Public Ledger says: Register Smithers yesterday issued letters of administration, with a will annexed, on the estate of Edward F. Vansciver, who committed suicide in the county prison on Jan. 9. His personal effects were valued at $200. The testamentary writing which was admitted to probate was a postal card addressed to "Louis Sacks, 232 East Cambria street, Philadelphia, Pa.," containing the following words:

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And the editor really felt relieved when he made her exit and slammed the door.—Washington Star.

THE CAT HELPED HATCH THE EGGS.

In Return, Biddy Saved Isham's Life in a Fight With Three Muskrats.

Gifford Bogue, of Washington's Crossing, N. J., owns a remarkable cat. The animal is of immense size and extremely pugnacious. It is a famous rat catcher, and Bogue declares that it has got more common sense than some whole families.

Last summer Bogue set a hen in a shed adjoining the barn. The barn was infested with enormous rats, and one day he heard the hen squawking as if in great distress. He started for the shed on a run, but before he got there Isham, the cat, dashed past him, and when he reached the shed he found the cat engaged in a fierce struggle with an enormous rat, which had evidently tried to rob the hen of the eggs on which she was setting. It was nip and tuck between the rat and cat for awhile, but Isham finally won, and the rodent's neck was snapped.

From that time a strong attachment existed between the cat and the hen, and when Biddy left her nest to take a constitutional Isham would crawl into the nest, curl up, and defy the whole colony of rats. Thus were the eggs kept warm and intact, and when the hen had rounded up her three weeks of labor she walked off the nest with thirteen pretty little chicks. Every egg was hatched.

Rats have a keen appetite for fresh young chickens, and those around the barn did their best to get a choice morsel out of biddy's brood, but Isham hung around her night and day until the chickens became capable of self-defence, and biddy went back to her roost and resumed business as a common, every-day layer of eggs.

This was an opportunity for the hen to repay Isham for its kindness to her presented itself, and she waded in to cancel the debt in a way that proved her gratitude. Muskrat skins are worth from 20 to 30 cents a piece at this season, and Bogue picks up a good many odd dollars in winter through them. Early in the season he conceived the idea of training the cat to hunt muskrats. He believed that if he could get a live muskrat and arrange a fight between it and the cat Isham would look for that particular game thereafter. He set a box trap on the bank of the canal and caught a muskrat. It was a good-sized animal, and when Isham was shut up in a room in the wagon house with it, it was apparent right away that there was going to be the liveliest kind of fight. The cat walked around the muskrat a few times and then jumped at it. The rat met the assault bravely, and set its sharp teeth into Isham's leg. The cat didn't take kindly to the trick, and entered into the contest with renewed vim. It was a hard fought battle, but the cat won.

After that the cat haunted the canal and made relentless war on muskrats. Not a day passed that it didn't bring one animal up to the house and sometimes it killed three. Bogue estimates that in the last two months the cat has been worth to him an average of twenty-five cents a day.

Last week Isham got rather more than it bargained for. It was down by the canal looking for game and it spied a muskrat fooling around the rotten timbers of an old barge in the basin. The cat sneaked up on the animal, and when it got within jumping distance it made a leap. It reached its prey, but had hardly alighted when two other muskrats jumped in to help their companion out of the scrape. The cat hadn't counted on this onslaught and it began to retreat up the bank, keeping up as much of a show of dignity as possible. The three muskrats kept close to its heels, and when Isham humped its back, crubbed its tail, and started for the house, the rats threw it down and fairly mopped the ground with it. In its distress Isham let forth a chorus of howls that attracted the attention of its friend, the hen, who was quietly feeding a short distance away. Biddy took a quick survey of the situation, and at once proceeded to help the cat out. She flew upon the struggling mass of fur and dug her claws and bill into the muskrats until they gave her some attention. This gave Isham an opportunity to get on its feet, and encouraged by the hen's presence, it waded into the fight with renewed vigor. The hen did good service. She aimed her blows at the eyes of the muskrats and soon had them blinded. Meantime Isham's fury was increasing, and it fought with such vigor that the three rats were soon stretched out lifeless.

The scrimmage yielded forty-five cents to Bogue, but it came very near costing him a valuable cat. The hen saved Isham's life.

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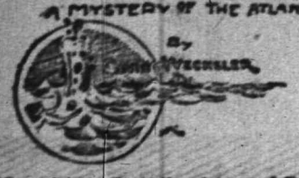

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A dead silence followed this extraordinary story. It had been told in such a way as to convince us that there was something in it. Even Capt. Lorton appeared to ponder over the facts. After a long pause Moxly said:

"I remember once hearing an old skipper from Dundee tell pretty much the same story."

It was plain to be seen that Linklater's strange yarn had made a deep impression upon every man present. After that last remark no one spoke. Perhaps if it had been told under different circumstances it might not have taken such a hold upon us; but somehow the pounding of the billows on the beach, the rumble of shingle and the furious gusts of wind that sent the rain dashing against the window seemed to deepen the effect.

"What do you think of all this, Capt. George?" I said, at length, turning towards him.

"I think Capt. Linklater is right," he answered.

"You believe in this mysterious rock, then?"

"I have seen it."

"Well, if that Scotch skipper could be found, three of us could bear witness to the fact, at any rate," remarked Linklater.

"It may be as you say, of course," said Capt. Lorton, doubtfully, "but how is it, if such a rock really exists, it has remained so long unknown?"

"I have my own theory as to that," replied Capt. George.

"Would you mind giving us the benefit of it?"

"My belief is this: that rock appears and disappears at intervals."

"Impossible!"

"Why so? How can you or I tell what goes on in the bed of the ocean? It is a sealed book to us. We are told there are hills and valleys there, just the same as on land. How do we know what forces are at work in these submarine tracts? In South America, and other parts, an earthquake will change the whole face of a district in half an hour. If such an alteration can take place on land, who dare venture to say it cannot occur at the bottom of the sea?"

"I should be slow to believe it," said the surveyor.

"Look at the Pacific," continued Capt. George, who appeared strangely interested in this question. "There you will find that not only a rock, but a whole island, will come to the surface in a single week. If you go to look for it a month later, most likely it will have vanished. What is to prevent a thing of this kind happening nearer home? Why, only the other day the hull of a brig which had been burnt at sea fifty years ago, was thrown up off the Faroe islands and towed into Galveston harbor. How do you account for that?"

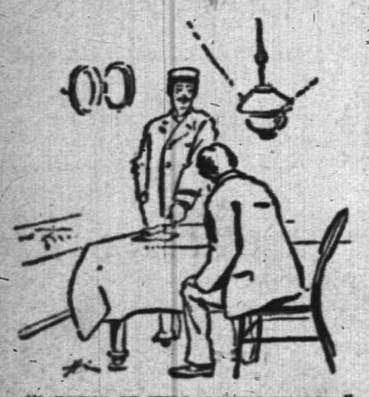
The question led to a pretty lively discussion, and it was eight o'clock before the party broke up. By that time the rain had ceased, and the wind was dying down. Capt. George asked for a lantern to signal the Wanderer to send a boat on shore.

"Come on board with me, Lawrenceson," he said, as he was leaving. "I want to have a chat with you about this matter we have just been discussing."

When we reached the wet, slippery deck of the yacht he led the way into the saloon, turned up the lamps, and pointed to a chair near the table. I sat down. He folded his arms, and walked backwards and forwards with gloomy look.

"A snug cabin this, Capt. George," I said, glancing around.

"Rather too large for my taste," he replied, "but one requires a roomy boat when their home is on the sea.



"I THINK IT WILL CONVINCE HIM."

It is strange, Lawrenceson, what disappointment will do for a man; it drives some to drink, some to a monastery, and some to an asylum. It has driven me to the sea."

I didn't exactly know what to say, for I had never seen him in one of these dark moods before, and thought it best to remain silent.

"Well," he said presently, brightening up a bit, "I didn't bring you off here to listen to my growling. About this rock, you heard what Linklater had to say, though, perhaps, you may think he was mistaken. He was not. I can give you pretty fair evidence of its existence."

He went to a sort of writing table at the head of the saloon, unlocked one of the drawers and took out a piece of torn, discolored paper.

"Read this," he said, laying it on the table before me. "You can take it on shore if you like and show it to your surveyor. I think it will convince him."

The writing was blotched and blurred, as if the paper had been under water a considerable time. Nevertheless, I had little difficulty in making it out. I have that scrap of paper still; I keep it with a few other curious relics of the sea. Here it is:

"Nevada struck unknown rock in mid-ocean. God have mercy upon us. We are all lost.
H. B. WEST. Elmira, U. S."

"A strange message," said Capt. George, "and it came into my hands in a very singular way. Some years ago I was cruising off the west coast of Ireland. One morning we put out a trawl, and in making a haul we captured an enormous codfish. When the cook opened it he found in the maw a silver match box, a plain gold ring and a small case of cedar wood. That case, which bore the initials 'H. B. W.' contained this scrap of paper. Though the water had soaked into it, I fancy it must have been floating when the greedy fish got hold of it. I infer this from the fact that there was an inch or so of string hanging from the case, as if it had been originally attached to a bottle, a piece of cork, or something of that kind."

"The Nevada," I said, repeating the name. "I fancy I remember hearing of that vessel."

"Very likely," he replied. "She was an Atlantic boat, running between Boston and London. If I'm not mistaken,

"MAKING A RUSH WITH THE MAILS," CAPT. GEORGE REMARKED.

she was lost in '78—another of those ocean mysteries, you see, for her fate is still a matter of mere conjecture in the shipping world."

"I suppose you endeavored to trace the friends and relatives of this Mr West? for it looks like a man's handwriting."

"Not I. What good would it have done? His friends or relatives, if he had any, had long ago given him up for lost. Why should I open an old wound?"

"But at any rate you communicated with the owners of the vessel?"

"I did nothing of the kind. I should only have brought their representative down upon me; probably he would have followed me from port to port, and I had no fancy to be pestered in that way. Very possibly a newspaper man would have been set on my track, and I couldn't have given him the slip so easily. If he failed to find me in port he would have started off in chase of the Wanderer, and tried to interview me on the high seas as one of them did, you remember, in the case of Capt. Morrell of the Missouri."

"So you kept this information entirely to yourself?"

"I made good use of it. I went and searched for that rock; and I found it."

"Where does it lie?"

"You shall see for yourself; that is, if you agree to a proposition I have to make. When I discovered the position of the rock I determined, some day or other, to make a careful survey of the spot on my own account by sending down a diver to examine its formation. The conversation this afternoon has revived my—well, whim, fad, or whatever you like to call it. I am ready to set out on the expedition whenever I can find a diver bold enough—"

"I'm your man, Capt. George!" I exclaimed.

"Good; I couldn't ask for better. I think you will find it as profitable employment as staying at home and taking your chance of wrecks. This is not exactly the best time of year for the enterprise, but no matter! It will take a week or so to get the Wanderer properly fitted out and ship sufficient stores. Can you be ready within ten days?"

I told him I had no other work in view once we had finished with the Magellan, and, after that day's storm, I fully expected she would give us little further trouble.

"I will drop into Landport at the end of next week," he said. "Meanwhile, keep this project to yourself; I don't want it talked about, or to have any fuss made in the newspapers."

He accompanied me on deck, the boat was hauled up alongside and I returned to the shore. When I awoke next morning and looked out over the bay the Wanderer was gone.

On the 27th of September we commenced our remarkable voyage. I felt somewhat depressed, I don't know why, at leaving home on that occasion. There was something attractive in the idea of solving this great Atlantic mystery, which, if it really existed, must have caused untold disasters. Still, I was not altogether carried away by Capt. George's views, and entertained considerable doubt as to our success.

We steered west-sou'-west for several days. We sighted some of the big Atlantic liners in the distance. One evening a huge Cunarder passed within a mile or so of us, lights all aglow, her funnels belching out columns of smoke that trailed away far behind.

"Making a rush with the mails," Capt. George remarked as we watched her.

Next day it was blowing rather fresh, and we had a choppy sea. It struck me as strange that, up to the present, Capt. George had made no direct reference to the object of our voyage. That morning, however, after breakfast, he said to me:

"We must take our bearings at noon, Lawrenceson, or we may overshoot the mark."

We did so, and when we had picked out our position on the chart, the course was altered to sou'-sou'-west. This brought us more out of the track of Atlantic steamers, though we still sighted a number of sailing ships. I noticed that Capt. George kept a close eye on the chart during the next few days.

One morning, when he had made the usual daily reckoning, he came down into the saloon with a paper in his hand, upon which was marked the latitude and longitude.

"Get your diving gear ready, Lawrenceson," he said. "You'll want it before long."

"Is the rock in sight?"

"No, nor likely to be. Probably it is submerged, as I believe is generally the case, though at what depth is another question. All the same, we are not far off it."

That evening the engines were slowed down. Capt. George stood on the bridge, and for upwards of an hour he took entire charge of the vessel, altering the course from time to time. Then he gave the signal to stop.

The men in the bows were ready with the anchor, and presently I heard it splash into the water. We were provided with a special deep-sea cable, but I was rather surprised to find the depth was not so great as I had fancied. Capt. George descended from the bridge, and joined me.

"To-morrow morning we will get the long-boat out, if the weather holds fine," he said. "You will have to proceed more to the south, before you make your first descent."

I confess I did not sleep much that night. My mind was too full of the mystery of this ocean rock. Was the story true? Did the terrible spot really lie within reach of us? If so, what an appalling sight would meet my view when I stood beneath it, and gazed around at the havoc it had wrought! I felt I might be on the verge of some startling discovery.

I lay awake until long after midnight. Then I determined to get up and go on deck. As I passed Capt. George's cabin I could tell by his heavy breathing that he was sleeping soundly. I moved on, and stepped out into the cool night air.

How well I can recall the scene from the Wanderer's deck at that silent hour! The moon was on the wane; she was wading slowly through a mass of dark clouds emerging occasionally to flood the ocean with her silver light. Not a sound was to be heard, save the melancholy moan of the sea or the splash of the water against the yacht's side.

In the morning I felt more like myself; perhaps I was too busy with my preparations to think much of anything else. Following Capt. George's directions, we rowed away to the south, and when we got about half a mile from the yacht I went down.

[TO BE CONCLUDED]

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From a letter written by Rev. J. Gunderman, of Diamondale, Mich., we are permitted to make this extract: "I have no hesitation in recommending Dr. King's New Discovery, as the results were almost marvelous in the case of my wife. While I was pastor of the Baptist Church at Rives Junction she was brought down by pneumonia succeeding la grippe. Terrible paroxysms of coughing would last hours with little interruption and it seemed as if she could not survive them. A friend recommended Dr. King's New Discovery; it was quick in its work and highly satisfactory in results. Sold by L. W. Randolph druggist. Regular size 50c and $1; our price 45c and 90c

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NOTICE.

To the Township Committee of the Township of Fanwood, in the county of Union and State of New Jersey:

The petition of the New York and Philadelphia Traction Company respectfully represents that it desires to construct, operate and maintain a railroad, with one or more tracks and necessary turnouts, to be operated by electricity or other motive power except steam, and to erect necessary poles, conduits and wires, power plant and necessary buildings along and upon the following named streets, avenues lanes, roads, highways and public places in the township of Fanwood, to-wit:

Beginning at the intersection of Park avenue and Mountain avenue in the township of Fanwood, and running thence southeasterly along Park avenue to its intersection with Midway avenue

Beginning again at the intersection of Forrest avenue or road with Midway avenue and running thence southeasterly along said Forrest avenue or road, to its intersection with North avenue, near the Fanwood station of the Central Railroad of New Jersey.

And for that purpose prays that the permission of your honorable body may be granted to it, to construct, operate and maintain such railway, to be operated by electricity or other motive power, except steam, upon and along the above named streets, avenues, lanes, roads, highways and public places within the said township of Fanwood.

Attest: FRANK A. MAGOWAN, Pres.
J. H. Darrah, Secy. 2214

NOTICE.

Whereas, It is reported that a rabid dog has been running at large through the village of Scotch Plains and other parts of Fanwood township, and

Whereas, It is common rumor that a number of dogs owned by various residents within the limits of said township have come in contact with and been bitten by said rabid dog, therefore, be it

Resolved, That all owners of dogs within said township of Fanwood be and are hereby urged and requested to keep such dogs as may be owned by them tied, muzzled or in some safe manner confined for the space of 30 days and all dogs known to be bitten be killed forthwith.

Fanwood, N. J., Feb. 1, 1895.
226 E. L. HAND, Township Clerk.

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A NEW JERSEY REFORMATORY.

Plan and Purpose of the Proposed Institution, to Be Established in Union County.

Assemblyman Eisele of Essex proposes to make a vigorous fight for a State reformatory in spite of the fact that the "steering committee" of the Republican majority has decided to push the bill for enlarging the State Prison. Mr. Eisele says he can tell the committee something which will open their eyes about the State Prison when the time comes.

The State reformatory scheme has been before other Legislatures. Gov. Werts stated in his last message that he favored such an institution rather than enlarging the State Prison, but he thought the latter could be done at less cost, and there was immediate need of some relief for this crowded institution.

The proposed reformatory is to be for the custody and confinement of criminals between the ages of 16 and 30 who have not previously been sentenced to a State Prison, and of persons convicted for the first time of a crime not involving moral turpitude. A commission of six persons is to have charge of the construction of the building, and to act as the board of managers after its completion until otherwise ordered by the Legislature. The commission is to be appointed by the Governor, and to receive $500 a year each. The institution would be erected on the Edgar farm in Union County, which belongs to the Sinking Fund, and the commission can spend $10,000 on the site for necessary adjoining property. The building must be planned to have a capacity of at least 1,000 prisoners. Two hundred and fifty thousand dollars is appropriated for the work. Provision is made for two acting managers, a warden, deputy warden, clerk, assistant clerk, steward, and physician. The warden is to hold office for five years. There are to be superintendents of different industrial departments, whose salaries are fixed at $1 200 a year each. Criminals may be employed in agricultural or mechanical labor as a means of support and reformation. The system of labor shall be that known as the "piece-price plan".

How to Help Them.

There exists in the minds of many persons in Plainfield and elsewhere considerable doubt as to the best way to help the poor man or woman who applies at the door for assistance. Some are tempted to give money, others food and clothing; but of late we are getting to realize how hurtful to the applicant indiscriminate giving is. Others again, fearing to encourage pauperism and fraud, refuse aid altogether, but not without a certain regret and dissatisfaction.

The plan offered by the Citizens' Organized Aid Association seems a happy solution of the difficulty, and we urge the charitable people of Plainfield to avail themselves of the opportunity of helping the poor effectually which is furnished by the "householders' tickets". It is designed that each family of the city and borough shall be provided with a packet of these tickets to be given to persons asking for help at the door or in the street. When the recipient of a ticket presents it at the office of the association, he will receive prompt and careful attention, and, if so desired, a report of his case will be returned to the householder who sent him. In this way, if general co-operation can be secured, vagrancy and imposture will be checked, while genuine need will be speedily and wisely relieved. The association should have the hearty support of Plainfield's enlightened citizens in this attempt to promote social order and individual welfare. Packets of tickets may be obtained free of charge at the office, corner of North and Park avenues.

Any tramp asking for food in the daytime may be sent with a ticket to the wood yard of E. H. Holmes, 208 Madison avenue, where enough work will be provided to enable him to earn a good meal.

Sparks on a Windy Night.

Policeman Robinson sent in a still alarm at 10:15 last evening, the fire being in the attic of Caleb Dickinson's house on East Fifth street.

Mr. Dickinson started a fire in the third story of his house, causing sparks to fly promiscuously, and giving the policeman the idea that the roof was afire. Chief Doane and No. 2's hose wagon went to the place, but were not needed.

A Des Moines woman who has been troubled with frequent colds, concluded to try an old remedy in a new way, and accordingly took a tablespoonful (four times the usual dose) of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy just before going to bed. The next morning she found that her cold had almost entirely disappeared. During the day she took a few doses of the remedy (one teaspoonful at a time) and at night again took a tablespoonful before going to bed, and on the following morning awoke free from all symptoms of the cold. Since then she has, on several occasions, used this remedy in like manner with the same good results, and is much elated over her discovery of so quick a way of curing a cold. For sale at Reynolds's pharmacy, Park and North aves. T. S. Armstrong, manager.

THE INCOME TAX.

Facts Which Everyone of Large Income Should Know.

Notwithstanding the fact that The Daily Press has twice (on Dec. 14 and 26, 1894), published details of the income tax bill, many citizens seem yet to be in the dark regarding its provisions or method of collection.

One of Plainfield's leading jurists has been frequently approached with regard to the carrying out of this enactment, and states that he finds some who are not yet aware the law was ever passed, more wholly ignorant of its requirements, and many who are of the opinion that they need do nothing until called upon by the proper official in the matter, and few or none who are aware that all who have an income of $3,500, from whatsoever cause, be it gain from business, commercial or professional, partnership, bonds, stocks, mortgages, real estate, rents, interest, farming operations, dividends, "and from all sources not above enumerated", are required by the law to make accounting of same to the collector of their district or his deputy, on or before February 10, 1895, the said accounting to be computed on the business of 1894, and papers being returnable on or before the first Monday in March. Blanks will be furnished by the collector or deputy to all who are thought to come within the limitations of the act, but, failure to receive blanks will not be considered any excuse for not making such returns, the act providing that in case of such failure it shall be the province of the collector to make return for such delinquent based upon the best information obtainable, and shall add these to the 50 per cent. of the tax thus found to be collectable. Further, should the return made by anyone be found to be false, the collector shall add 100 per cent. to the amount collectable, but, it is further provided that the party or parties affected by either of the above provisions of this act shall have redress by applying to the collector, and can further appeal from his decision to the Commissioner of Internal Revenue at Washington. Returns having been made the money is payable on or before July 1, failure to pay which will incur a penalty of 5 per cent. on the amount payable and an additional sum of 1 per cent. per month each month thereafter until paid.

Bills are payable to the Collector of Internal Revenue, who for this district is James F. Connelly, of Newark, J. M. Pruden of Elizabeth, deputy, and all moneys so collected will be receipted for by John H. Mason, Commissioner of Internal Revenue at Washington. Hon. Jacob Klotz is the newly appointed deputy of Somerset County.

Affidavit must be made before a notary as to the correctness of the account submitted.

MAKING FUN OF FANWOOD.

New York Grins at the Suburban Institution Where the Greengoods Game Was Worked.

(From The Sun.)

When for the one hundreth time Mr. Suburbanite pointed out to Mr. Young Husband, while at luncheon, the desirability of a home in Fanwood, N. J., be reserved as a climax for his argument the beauties and convenience of the Fanwood Club-house. Not only did the club possess one pool table and two bowling alleys, but Charles VanDeventer of Plainfield, N. J, was its caterer, and served luncheons in the dining room on the second floor. A parlor furnished with a carpet, one chair, and a table adjoined the dining room. In this room Suburbanite, Jr., was in the habit of meeting Miss Fanwood after a bowling match. Whether the House Committee thought one chair was enough for two or considered the young man no better than themselves, and concluded that he could sit on the table, as they did, was never explained satisfactorily to the caterer, who supplied only one chair for one room.

The club-house was built and is owned by the New Jersey Land Improvement Company. In turn it has been the home of the Plainfield, the Crescent Oval, and the Fanwood clubs. Each one has been divided by internal dissensions, and the history of the revolutions is as intricate as the annals of a Central American republic. None of the clubs was self-supporting for any length of time. After the 8:30 p. m. train leaves Fanwood station the commuter locks up the town and goes to bed. It was necessary, therefore, to leave the club-house to young Clarence VanDeventer, who kept the alleys in shape, set up the balls on the pool table, and on dull nights rented the ball-room to the young people of Plainfield for dances. He charged the club members a nominal rent for the alleys on Wednesday and Friday evenings. Wednesday was ladies night and the attendance was large. The young club manager became so popular that the house was spoken of as "Van's" in the same way that a New Yorker speaks of "Del's."

—The ventilators at Dreier's store, corner of Front street and Madison avenue, were left open last evening, and this morning both front windows were filled with snow. There was slight damage to stock.

THEIR EARLY STRUGGLES.

How Hardy New England Life Developed the Manhood of Two Great Americans.

In her lecture in the Friends Meeting-house Wednesday night Elizabeth Powell Bond told many interesting stories of the life of Wm. Lloyd Garrison and Ralph Waldo Emerson.

Garrison's father, she said, died while he was yet at an early age, and, there being a scarcity of money in the family, the future abolitionist was apprenticed to a shoemaker, but, finding this to be too much of a strain on the boy's health, he was bound over for a time to a cabinet maker; finally, however, finding his natural avocation in a printing office he became expert in the craft that he used frequently in later life, setting his own editorials without the aid of copy. He always held his mother in most tender and reverent regard, giving up his position in Newburyport, Mass., to be present at her death in Maryland, a journey which in those days took three weeks to accomplish.

When the abolition of slavery first became prominent in this country, Garrison devoted himself heart and soul to the movement, bringing to bear on the subject all the vast energies of a mind stored with the knowledge acquired by years of study and research, aided by his wonderfully retentive memory. He soon became the recognized leader of the movement and it was through his efforts, both by speech and through the press, more perhaps than those of any one man, that the matter was finally brought to its crisis.

Differing from Garrison, whose knowledge was almost wholly acquired by reading and observation, Ralph Waldo Emerson received the most careful and thorough early training, being obliged to parse a sentence of grammar and repeat a passage of Scripture daily before his breakfast. Emerson's parents were not rich in this world's goods, and the young man paid his way through college by being a waiter, his genial and kindly disposition being his marked characteristic, even at that early age.

The ministry was always his ideal, in fact he fitted himself for the church, but his marked ability as a writer decided him to follow this as a lifework.

NEW MARKET NOTES.

(From The Dunellen Call.)

Foreclosure proceedings have been instituted by the executors of the Peter Wooden estate against Mr. Crane, for money which was advanced on his property when owned by the late Dr. Abel Titsworth. Some years before his death the doctor traded the land with a Mr. Neilson for property in Plainfield who in turn traded with Mr. Mackin of Newark for a Delaware farm. The mortgage was transferred from one owner to another, but Mr. Crane claims that Mr. Mackin warranted the property to be free and clear from all incumbrance when he sold it to him and upon this statement he deemed it unnecessary to have the title searched. The sale will take place March 19.

George Cummings formerly a police officer of New York, has sold his market garden farm on Rock avenue, near Dunellen, to a man from Algiers, Africa, and has purchased the large farm below New Market formerly owned by John T. Brewster. He will build two greenhouses each 100 feet long and will also have 125 hotbeds for growing vegetables and plants for market. A 12 horse-power boiler will supply steam heat to the greenhouses and dwelling, to which he will entertain his many friends in old-time Connecticut style next Winter. Mr. Cummings has placed H. A. Stowe as general manager of his place, which will be known as the Cold Spring Market Garden Farm.

Wipert Is Heard From.

A Somerville despatch says: "Daniel Wipert of Martinsville, supposed to be lost in the mountains after his narrow escape from death by being dragged into the Dead River by his runaway horse near Liberty Corners, is lying in the hospital at Elizabeth with his skull fractured. Wipert's long absence and his final appearance with severe injuries so far away from home cannot be accounted for by his friends at this place."

To Join the Parade.

One member was initiated in Franklin Council, No. 41, J. O. U. A. M., last evening, and one proposition was received. The Council received an invitation to join in a large parade in Brooklyn Washington's Birthday. The attendance was good considering the severe storm.

Four Big Successes.

Having the needed merit to more than make good all the advertising claimed for them, the following four remedies have reached a phenomenal sale. Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption, coughs and colds, each bottle guaranteed—Electric Bitters, the great remedy for liver, stomach and kidneys. Bucklen's Arnica Salve, the best in the world, and Dr King's New Life Pills, which are a perfect pill. All these remedies are guaranteed to do just what is claimed for them and the dealer whose name is attached herewith will be glad to tell you more of them. Sold at L. W. Randolph's drug store.

SNOWBOUND.

Substantial Reminder of the Blizzard of March 12, 1888.

THE WISE COMMUTER STAYS HOME.

Jersey Central Train Service Badly Crippled—Street Cars Blockaded—School Children Have a Holiday, and Business Is at a Standstill.

The fine powdery snow that began to fall heavily late yesterday afternoon was whisked by the high winds of the night into hard-packed drifts which interfered greatly with the morning traffic. The snowfall of the night was heavy, and though the moon tried to struggle through about 10 the storm kept up all night and well on to noon today, when the sun after sundry efforts succeeded in showing himself to the snowbound earth. The high winds continue, however, and the snow that has fallen is blown about as though a blizzard was still raging.

The Jersey Central passenger trains managed to pull through nearly on time up to 2:08 a. m., but freights were way off schedule. Officials Ohausen, Peddie and Chief Despatcher Freck of the Central were at the Jersey Central Station at an early hour this morning, getting despatches from all parts of the system regarding the storm. Fortunately telegraphic communication was complete in all directions, all railroad wires being in good condition. The first train for Jersey City pulled out of Plainfield station at 6:23 packed to the doors and was nearly two hours reaching its destination. Much trouble was also experienced in crossing the ferry, fully forty-five minutes being consumed in the trip

The next eastbound train, which was equally well loaded, pulled out at 8:29 and made but little better time than its predecessor. The train due at 8:27 from Dunellen arrived at 9:05. Train No. 2 from Easton due at 8 p. m., puffed into the station with two snowclad engines in the lead, 35 minutes overdue.

The blue line flyer from Philadelphia, two hours overdue, was roofed over with a solid mass of frozen snow over six inches thick, and the engineer sitting on his box by the open window was encased ina glistening coat of mail from hat to waist, so hard that it had to broken from his clothing with a hammer. Trains No. 4 and No. 6 were stalled for over two hours at Somerville, and 5:04 from Philadelphia on the "P and R", due here at 10:08 was delayed at Belle Mead by three coal trains which stood on the switches unable to move because of the storm. They were finally dug out sufficiently to make a passage for the express, which arrived at 11:23.

The Newark and the Long Branch divisions are still blocked solid by the drifts.

The South Branch road from Flemington was opened sufficiently to allow the train due here at 7:58 to arrive at 11:08 Conductor Sam Johnson and Engineer Joe Case of this train report frequent drifts between Somerville and Flemington seven and eight feet high, and state that the snowplow worked all night in a fruitless endeavor to keep the tracks free. 514, the East-bound Philadelphia express due here at 6:05, with two big moguls in the van, pulled into sight at 11:16, having been instructed to cover the trip of No. 6 from the west due at 10:04, as well as its own.

516, the eastbound Philadelphia express, which also brings through Pullmans from the West, due at 2:14 a. m., was nine hours overdue. Local trains were made up at Somerville and Dunellen to take the place of express trains whenever possible, and were run necessarily with but little regard to schedule time. Up to noon no western mails arrived in the city. Deep drifts are reported from Fanwood cut and Bergen Point curve. The "stable" (round-house) at Jersey City was filled to the doors with engines unable to get out because of the frozen switches, and the only westbound train to reach this city up to noon was the paper train which left Jersey City at 7:30, arriving in this city at 9:05. The train covered the time of Nos. 1 3 and 5, had two engines attached, and even then was forced to leave the passenger coaches at Fanwood and plow its way through, with but one baggage and one mail car, returning later for the day coaches. The switches in the Jersey City yard were frozen and badly drifted, the flying snow filling them up almost as fast as the nearly exhausted yard hands, who had been working all night, could shovel them free. The levers in the switch tower, which in most cases operate several switches each, could hardly be moved, and the result was a practical suspension of all westbound travel until a late hour. It took the ferryboat "Plainfield", which left the New York side at 2:30 a. m., over an hour to make her Jersey City slip.

For over two hours this morning the waiting rooms, telegraph office, and baggage room were filled with a jolly crowd of would-be passengers, chatting, laughing, smoking or keeping Operators Schermerhorn and Stults busy sending messages to New York business houses announcing non arrivals because of the storm. "It's an ill wind that blows nobody good" said he of the luxuriant white beard, as with his hand still on the key he glanced up with his accustomed smile from a big pile of silver coins which lay in front of him, "but I hope it won't blow this way all day".

No. 501, the Blue line flyer, 9 00 from New York, arrived here at 12:16, the second train to reach here from Jersey City today; and 517 which followed at 1:17 reported the road in fair condition. No further delay was between here and New York, but the early afternoon trains are late.

Milkmen from all suburban points report the roads badly drifted. A. B. Wolfe of Plainfield avenue and city line plowed through drifts fully four feet high at 6 this morning to reach his patrons.

W. H. Dorlan broke the roads from Oak Tree at 3 this morning through five foot drifts. Milkman Barrett of Greenbrook says the drifts along the Dunellen road are worse than during the blizzard of '88, while Mr. Slight from Rahway found travel with a wagon so difficult that he was tempted many times to turn back, but the thought of many little children in Plainfield crying in vain for milk urged him on and he arrived here at 5:30 chilled to the bone from his eventful trip.

Mr. Rose of Netherwood farms is almost the one from the suburbs who found the roads passable, the high winds having cleared the roads nearly the entire distance.

Some of the Plainfield commuters rash enough to trust to the trains this morning had to walk nearly a mile in Commonipaw, the trains getting stalled at the switches.

The morning papers and mails being hours late, and few people venturing outdoors, Plainfield business is practically suspended today.

HIGH SCHOOL NOTEBOOK.

When the bell rang at 8:20 this morning as the signal that school had commenced, there were sixteen boys, three girls and two teachers present, but new recruits kept straggling in until the total was raised to about forty.

Of course there were no regular classes, and all the students adjourned to Assembly Hall, where, until 10, when all were dismissed, most of the time was spent in singing. Miss Grace E. Overton of the Junior Class gave a thrilling recitation, "Jack", and afterwards read another selecton in response to he generous applause.

About twenty were present in the Grammar School classes in the High School building.

The Class of '96 held a class meeting yesterday afternoon. Miss Grace E. Overton gave a recitation in her usual excellent manner; after which several amusing games were played.

Charles Noble was elected class editor in the place of Miss Elizabeth Allis.

Miss Grace E. Overton was elected vice-president in the place of Miss Alice Thompson, who has left school. After the meeting, refreshments and a social time were enjoyed.

North Plainfield School.

About 100 pupils attended the North Plainfield school this morning, but all were dismissed, and no school was held.

The Electric Cars Blockaded.

The electric cars were run up to 2 this morning, and in making the last trip to the house the cars and the sweeper got caught near Plainfield avenue, where they remained the rest of the night.

Nothing more was done till this forenoon when the scraper, attached to Frank Hand's horses, was taken out and an attempt was made to clear the tracks. Little headway was made, however, as the heavily drifting snow covered the tracks almost as fast as they were cleared. An extra effort will be made this afternoon to open the road.

The Somerset street branch is blocked from end to end.

Broke a Shaft.

Jed Smalley was out this morning on his butcher wagon, and in turning from East Third street into Washington avenue the wagon struck a stone The horse was frightened, and started on a run. Mr. Smalley succeeded in holding the horse, but the shaft was broken, and it was with difficulty that he got back to his stables.

His Ear Frostbitten.

While Frank Manchester was clearing the snow off the walk in front of his home on Lafayette place, this morning, his ears were frozen. He suffers considerable pain.

—David Weaver of North Plainfield reports the weather as 4 degrees below Niblo's at 5:30 this morning, and the wind west by northwest three points west off Washington Rock.

Mrs. Emily Thorne, who resides at Toledo, Washington, says she has never been able to procure any medicine for rheumatism that relieves the pain so quickly and effectually as Chamberlain's Pain Balm and that she has also used it for lame back with great success. For sale at Reynolds's pharmacy, Park and North aves. T. S. Armstrong, manager.

EARLY INTELLIGENCE.

—The Royal Blue train due here last night at 9:48 did not arrive till 12.

—"Shaft No. 2" being stormbound and not able to reach Plainfield, Music Hall will be closed tonight.

—Many grocery and market clerks took their orders afoot this morning, travel for delivery wagons being very bad.

—U. B. Crane says you can keep warm this weather by putting on wool gloves, caps and sweaters. His store is 120 West Front street.

—Edwin Barbour's thrilling melodrama, "Land of the Midnight Sun", will be the attraction in Music Hall Monday evening, Feb. 11.

—At the Commercial Palace about 12 of the women clerks are absent today. A few customers called, which the small force of clerks were able to wait on.

—An electrician has been rearranging the system of electric bells in the High School; several old ones have been replaced, and the one in the yard was put in order.

—The piano which did such satisfactory service at the Y. M. C. A. entertainment Tuesday night was loaned by Vanderbeek & Sattels from their large and excellent stock.

—A wire of the North Plainfield fire-alarm system parted on Westervelt avenue last night at 11:30, sending in a blow. The break will be repaired by Manager Runyon of the Telephone Company.

—Garrett Dreier and his brother Harry dissolved partnership today. The latter will conduct the business. Garrett has connected himself with a large clothing business in New York and Brooklyn.

—The police deny that any man applied to them for lodging Wednesday night. The Mayor's orders are for them to accommodate any that apply, and if a person is found injured from the elements through their neglect they will be held responsible.

—An immense pressure of business was put on the telephone exchange this morning. The operators were kept at a steady rush from 6 a. m., every wire being constantly in use, with many waiting for a chance to talk to their New York offices or elsewhere.

—The Plainfield Tea and Grocery Company, under the experienced management of H. F. Williams, announce their opening for tomorrow. They give in their ad today a sample list of prices, which though lower than ordinary are to prevail at their store every day.

Forgot Her Order.

A young woman in North Plainfield went to a butcher store yesterday to purchase some bacon for supper. When she reached the store, her memory failed her, and she had some trouble in remembering what she wanted. She asked finally for a slice of bacon, and wanted it cut very thin.

Her purchase cost one cent, and she went home with her package. She had invited a friend to take supper with her, and her embarrassment was felt when the one slice of bacon was brought on the table. An explanation was made, and additional bacon was sent for.

Does Not Affect Plainfield.

Vice-Chancellor Bird yesterday gave an opinion in a Paterson case that there is no State law against the use of music in barrooms. Corporation Counsel Marsh told The Press that this would not affect Plainfield, as the Plainfield ordinance was based on the city charter, which gives exceptional powers. Therefore the Plainfield ordinance against barroom music stands.

Surgical Instrument Factory Burned.

The factory belonging to Charles Castell of Gillette was burned down Tuesday night. The manufacturing of surgical instruments was carried on in the mill, and it contained a large stock, which, together with the machinery, would bring the loss up to $3,500, insured for $1,500. Another insurance policy had run out but a short time ago.

PATRIOTIC NEW JERSEY.

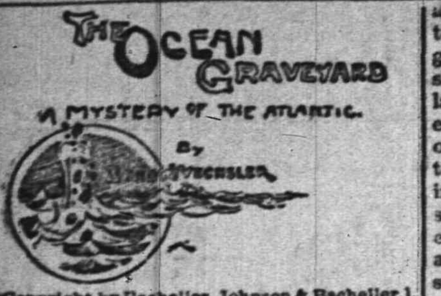
No Flag But the Stars and Stripes.

The bill which prevents the raising of any flag except the American flag over State building passed the Legislature yesterday unanimously.

Church Voices Wanted.

It is probable that a solo quartette will be needed for the choir which is being formed by Frank J. Smith, organist of the Crescent Avenue Church. This seems to be a good opportunity especially for sopranos and altos to make application. Mr. Smith will be at the church Saturday afternoon at 5.

O. W. O. Hardman, sheriff of Tyler Co., W. Va., appreciates a good thing and does not hesitate to say so. He was almost prostrated with a cold when he procured a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. He says: "It gave me prompt relief. I find it to be an invaluable remedy for coughs and colds." For sale at Reynolds's pharmacy, Park and North aves. T. S. Armstrong, manager.



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On reaching the bottom I stood for a minute or two looking around me. Which direction should I take? I struck out to the right and made a wide circle, but there was nothing unusual to be seen. The bed was hard, rising and dipping here and there, with loose rock lying about, and hardly any weeds. I paused again. I tried to remember in what direction the yacht lay, and moved, as I thought, away from her. I walked on and on, until it was time to ascend, and on getting to the surface I found I had wandered east of the vessel.

"Try further south this afternoon," said Capt. George, when I made my report. "By the way, what did those loose rocks look like?"

"Most of them were rough and jagged," I replied. "In some places they were thrown together in heaps, and in others only two or three were to be seen."

"Ah, I thought so! Don't despair, Lawrenceson, you're not far from the mark."

At three o'clock I made a second descent, a good deal further to the south. Soon after I touched the bottom, I found something that aroused my interest. It was an iron stanchion, evidently torn from a vessel which must have foundered close at hand. I went on, and then stood still.

What was it made me pause? I scarcely knew at first, but I had a sort of instinctive feeling that I was near some unseen danger. I moved on very cautiously, and halted a second time. With a strange sense of awe stealing over me, I became aware of a singular circumstance for which I could not account. There was a slight but peculiar tremor in the water around me, much like the vibration in the air after a distant peal of thunder. Once or twice, too, I fancied I felt a faint heaving in the ground under my feet.

It was some little time before I could bring myself to proceed. I walked first ahead, then to the left, then to the right, and back again towards the point from which I had started. I made no further discovery. Sometimes the tremulous motion in the water seemed to grow more distinct; frequently it died away until it was hardly perceptible. I was puzzled. I thought it better to go up, and see whether Capt. George could give any explanation of this singular occurrence.

"You were within reach of the rock," he said, when he had heard what I had to tell. "The next time you go down try and ascertain from what point that tremor proceeds. Follow in this direction; *it will lead to your goal.*"

The next morning I set out again. I was now thoroughly bent upon pushing on with the search, no matter what risks might lie in the way. I had placed a buoy over the spot where I had descended the previous day, and told the men to keep rowing slowly to the south while I was under water, for that was the direction I was determined to take.

I still noticed that strange tremor I have described, but I soon grew accustomed to it, and walked boldly ahead. As I proceeded the disturbance increased; the ground seemed to sway under me; it was as if waves of motion were passing beneath my feet. Once or twice I felt half inclined to turn back; I was just a little bit—well, I remembered I had a wife and family depending upon me, and it looked like tempting Providence to proceed further. But I set my teeth hard and pressed on.

Presently, the ground began to shelve downwards. The commotion around me was now so great that at times I had some difficulty in keeping my feet. I was nearing the awful spot, then! I grew reckless. I cast aside every fear. If I succeeded in locating this rock, what an inestimable service I would render to mankind.

As I descended into a kind of hollow, I became aware of something like a dark wall rising before me. At first I thought it was the rock; but no; it was long, low, and regular in outline. I approached it; then I gave a sort of gasp inside my helmet. Good heavens! It was a ship!

A big steamer, too! What a sight she presented as she lay there on her side, rising and falling with the undulating

I HELD UP MY LAMP AND READ.

motion of the ground! Her masts and funnels were gone, her decks torn up, and her bows battered in, almost down to the foremast. Around her, the place was littered with wreckage, cargo of every description, and the bones of her gallant crew. *What was her name?* I groped my way to the stern, held up my lamp, and read: "Ontario, Liverpool."

Scarcely had I left her, and moved further along the hollow, than another hull appeared in sight. A sailing ship this time! After that, almost every step I took brought me in view of a sunken vessel. They lay scattered around in all directions, and in all positions; some mere shells, others just beginning to break up, and a few which showed they had been afloat within the last year or two. The battered bows of each told the same terrible story. Ships of every size—and of almost every nation, I suppose—were huddled together in this awful valley of death. Here stood the remains of an old three-decker, and by her side lay the skeleton of a small vessel, not much bigger than a schooner. I turned away; I had seen enough!

At the opposite side from which I had approached, I noticed there was an upward tendency in the ground. I determined to proceed in that direction. After walking for a few minutes the ascent grew steeper. I made slow progress, and was nearly hurled back into the hollow more than once. I went down, and tore an iron bar from one of the vessels. Armed with this I renewed the attempt, and found it afforded me great assistance in the climb.

Steadying myself with the bar, and taking advantage of every piece of projecting rock which might aid my ascent, I crept up the steep slope. On I went, panting, and half stifled, not daring to pause lest I should be swept away by

I TURNED AWAY. I HAD SEEN ENOUGH.

the strong current which seemed to beat down upon me from above. At last I reached a sort of narrow platform, and stood there, with my bar thrust into a crevice. I looked up. Above me rose a great, towering, irregular mass of solid rock!

I scarcely remember how I got back to the boat, for I was feeling terribly exhausted, and my head was dizzy. When I reached the deck of the yacht, it was only to drop into the nearest seat. I must have looked scared and white, for Capt. George hurried to my side.

"Whatever is the matter, Lawrenceson?" he said. "You look as if you had just escaped from the jaws of some sea monster."

"I have escaped from the jaws of death itself!" I replied.

"You found the rock?"

"I did."

He turned hastily, and gave an order to one of his men, who darted away towards the saloon. Presently the man came running up with a glass and a bottle of brandy.

"Here, swallow off this," said Capt. George, handing me a pretty stiff dram. "I can well imagine the sight was enough to give any man a bit of a shock."

After dinner he made me go through the whole story of my adventure that morning. He listened attentively, never interrupting me once.

"Just as I thought," he said, when I had finished.

He rose from his seat, and walked up and down in silence, as if pondering deeply over what he had just heard.

"Do you know, Lawrenceson," he said, suddenly halting before me, "I would like to go down and have a look at the place myself."

"Don't do it, Capt. George," I replied, hastily.

"Why not? It is not often a man gets a chance of witnessing a sight like that. The risk, if there is any, does not deter me; I shall ask for the loan of your diving dress this afternoon, and make the attempt."

I knew he was not the sort of man to be lightly turned from his purpose, so I had to give in. I told him he would have little difficulty in finding the spot, as the boatmen had stationed a buoy over it. I did not accompany him, for I was feeling a bit out of sorts, and laid down on a couch in the saloon. I was soon fast asleep.

An hour or two later I was aroused by a step on the cabin stairs. I looked up, and saw Capt. George entering the saloon. He went straight into his own cabin, without even glancing in my direction.

When he had changed the diving dress for his ordinary yachting suit, he came out into the saloon, and sat down.

"Well, Capt. George, what did you think of it?" I asked.

"It might well be called 'The Graveyard of the Ocean,'" he replied, solemnly.

There was silence for a minute or two; then he said:

"That three-decker must be the old Redoubtable, I fancy. She left Bermuda in the autumn of '63, and has long been returned as 'missing' at the admiralty."

After another pause I ventured to say:

"Now that we have found the rock, what's to be done next?"

"Blow it up," he answered, gravely.

I looked at him in amazement.

"I have brought out a quantity of tonite for this very purpose," he went on. "It is a rather powerful explosive, four times the strength of ordinary blasting powder, and equal to No. 1 dynamite. As the rock appears to be fissured, it will save us the trouble of boring. The cartridges must be encased in waterproof packing or india rubber bags. When you have laid the charges, we can retire to a distance, and explode them by means of an electric cable and battery. If we even succeed in splitting the rock, it would answer our purpose."

I entered heartily into the scheme for my whole thoughts were bent upon getting rid of the danger. Though I might have to encounter some risk in placing the charges, it was a small matter compared to the advantages that would follow if we were successful. For several days I was busily engaged in inserting the powerful cartridges, and, as I had some experience of this kind of work, I laid the charges so as to give the explosion the greatest effect possible.

At last the work was completed, the cable laid, and all in readiness for the final moment. It was a bright, sunny afternoon, I remember, not much like the general run of October days. I looked around the wide expanse of ocean. Not a sail was in sight.

The Wanderer had weighed anchor that morning, and had full steam up, ready to depart for home. Capt. George stood on deck, with the battery before him. He was about to attach the ends of the cable.

"Now," he said, when it was done, "prepare to see the last of this mysterious rock!"

I kept my eyes on the spot where the buoy still marked the position of the rock. Suddenly a column of water rose into the air, and we heard a dull report as of distant thunder. But we were little prepared for the full result. Almost instantly with the first report—so quickly, in fact, as to appear part of it—came the roar of a mighty detonation that shook the yacht from stem to stern. A vast body of water was flung to a height of several hundred feet, and carried with it huge masses of rock, some of which fell thirty or forty yards away. It was a grand, but an appalling sight! Never before had I witnessed such a mighty upheaval. The foundations of the sea seemed to have been torn up.

The commotion on the surrounding surface was so great that the Wanderer wsa lifted on an immense ridge of water, and carried away at such tremendous speed we had to hold on to the woodwork to keep ourselves from being dashed across the deck. When all was still again Capt. George turned to me, and said:

"We didn't count on the pent-up forces which lay beneath that rock. The explosion of the tonite must have given them vent, and they finished the work more completely than we ever could have done. I expect there is little left either of the rock itself or the vessels that lay around it. Well," he continued, gazing back towards the spot from which the Wanderer was fast gliding away under full steam, "I owe little to mankind, and, as yet, mankind has owed little to me. From henceforth, however, those who traverse this sea in future, will, without knowing it, be debtors to me for their safety."

[THE END.]

Marvelous Results.

From a letter written by Rev. J. Gunderman, of Dimondale, Mich., we are permitted to make this extract: "I have no hesitation in recommending Dr. King's New Discovery, as the results were almost marvelous in the case of my wife. While I was pastor of the Baptist Church at Rives Junction she was brought down by pneumonia succeeding la grippe. Terrible paroxysms of coughing would last hours with little interruption and it seemed as if she could not survive them. A friend recommended Dr. King's New Discovery; it was quick in its work and highly satisfactory in results. Sold by L. W. Randolph druggist. Regular size 50c and $1; our price 45c and 90c

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When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria.
When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria.
When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

NOTICE.

To the Township Committee of the Township of Fanwood, in the county of Union and State of New Jersey:

The petition of the New York and Philadelphia Traction Company respectfully represents that it desires to construct, operate and maintain a railroad, with one or more tracks and necessary turnouts, to be operated by electricity or other motive power except steam, and to erect necessary poles, conduits and wires, power plant and necessary buildings along and upon the following named streets, avenues, lanes, roads, highways and public places in the township of Fanwood, to-wit:

Beginning at the intersection of Park avenue and Mountain avenue in the township of Fanwood, and running thence southeasterly along Park avenue to its intersection with Midway avenue

Beginning again at the intersection of Forrest avenue or road with Midway avenue and running thence southeasterly along said Forrest avenue or road, to its intersection with North avenue, near the Fanwood station of the Central Railroad of New Jersey.

And for that purpose prays that the permission of your honorable body may be granted to it to construct, operate and maintain such railway, to be operated by electricity or other motive power, except steam, upon and along the above named streets, avenues, lanes, roads, highways and public places within the said township of Fanwood.

Attest: FRANK A. MAGOWAN, Pres.
J. H. Darran, Secy. 2 2 14

NOTICE.

Whereas, It is reported that a rabid dog has been running at large through the village of Scotch Plains and other parts of Fanwood township, and

Whereas, It is common rumor that a number of dogs owned by various residents within the limits of said township have come in contact with and been bitten by said rabid dog, therefore, be it

Resolved, That all owners of dogs within said township of Fanwood be and are hereby urged strenuously to keep such dogs as may be owned by them tied, muzzled or in some safe manner confined for the space of 30 days and all dogs known to be bitten be killed forthwith.

Fanwood, N. J., Feb. 1, 1895.
226 E L HAND, Township Clerk.

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In this enlightened age, the old theory held by physicians—to get as much medicine in the least possible time into the system of a patient, even at the expense of stomach, blood, brains, nerves, and often, in the end, life itself—has been abandoned.

The old way was to "dose." If the patient had a tremendous constitution, he sometimes "pulled through;" if not, which was more often the case, that special disease was considered more dangerous, as it had claimed another for its own.

But this is all changed now. All prominent physicians agree on one subject, anyway. It is this—build the patient up first, give him new blood and strength, add flesh to his bones. He's then ready to receive the benefit of proper medical treatment.

To do this effectually, that must be given which will, in the least quantity, produce the greatest amount of vitality,—not a stimulant which quickly reacts disastrously, but a genuine food, a muscle, bone, and blood maker. Such a food was long sought for, and at last discovered in that original and only raw food extract—Bovinine.

By the use of this wonderful life-generating preparation, every organ of the body becoming strengthened by nourishment, naturally begins to perform its ordinary functions, and at once the patient is on the road to recovery.

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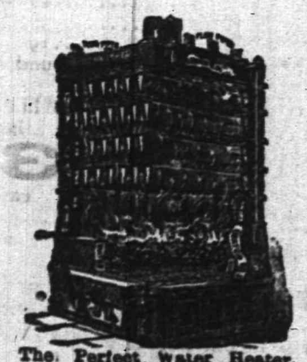

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Questionable Methods of a Crafty Woman. Accusal of Forgery Nearly 30 Years Ago Recalled By Suits Now in the Courts.

That remarkable character, Mrs. Hetty Green, the richest woman in America, whose closeness and eccentric habits of life most readers are familiar with, is about to figure in the court once more in a suit in which the most remarkable charges will be made on either side.

In Mrs. Green's suit against Henry A. Barling, the sole surviving executor of her father's will, for an accounting has already been going on for three years. Very recently Mrs. Green, in addition to her charges that, through the executor, many hundreds of thousands of dollars have been withheld from her, she also made the startling accusation that both her father, Edward Mott Robinson, and her aunt, Sylvia Ann Howland was murdered.

From these two relative who died nearly thirty-three years ago, Mrs. Green received about $10,000,000, which little nest egg she has rolled up like a snowball until her present fortune of $65,000,000 has been amassed.

If the affidavits which she has collected purporting to show that her father and her aunt was foully dealt with, are used in the coming trial, there is every likehood that the old charge of forgery against Hetty Green, which came so near being proved 30 years ago, will be revived.

The N.Y. World says:

The Howland will case is famous in court annals. There never was another case like it before or since. Hetty Green was the contestant. Three years after the death of her aunt, Sylvia Ann Howland, she came to the United States Circuit Court in Massachusetts with a will which she wanted substituted for the one

MRS. HETTY GREEN.

already probated. The will was in Hetty Green's own handwriting, and the most famous experts of the day declared under oath not only their belief, but their almost positive assurance, that the two signatures which it contained were not made by the aunt, but were traced by Hetty Green herself over an original signature of Sylvia Ann Howland.

After a litigation in which some of the most famous lawyers in the country were engaged, and the expense of which amounted to $172,000 the case was dismissed in the lower court on a technicality.

While an appeal was being made to the Supreme Court of the United States, a private settlement was reached among the litigants, and as the whole matter was thus taken out of court, the charge of forgery could not be formally proved against Mrs. Green, who at the time was Miss Hetty Robinson.

The public knows that Hetty Green is miserly, tricky, ungrammatically in her speech, shabby in the extreme as to her dress and even untidy in her personal habits. They know that she has lived in hall bedrooms in cheap boarding houses, and eaten her meals in the kitchen with the servants from choice. They know that she walks daily across the Brooklyn Bridge to save three cents fare. She is not a woman of refinement, of culture, or of polish, but—and this a fact about Mrs. Green which is not generally realized—her family is one of the oldest and best in this country.

She is a Howland of New Bedford, belonging on her mother's side to the "Round Hill Howlands," so called from a certain locality in New Bedford, where the family has resided continuously for nearly three centuries. The old maritime city of New Bedford was founded by her ancestor, John Howland, the Puritan, who christened it after Bedford in England, his family home.

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"Out in Oregon," said a man from that State, "the air is so clear that you can see the peak of Mount Shasta, in California, from the peak of Mount Hood in Oregon, a distance of 276 miles."

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The Lackadaisical Youth—You do me an injustice to call me idiotic because I let my hair grow so long. I do it intentionally to accentuate my individuality.

The Man—Then I take back what I said. It's not idiocy, but malice.—Chicago Record.

A Friend—If you love her old fellow, why don't you marry her?

Bachelor Doctor—Marry her? Why, she is one of my patients.—Life.

Everything Except Preaching is Illegal and the Law is Enforced Rigidly.

"Toronto is probably the tightest tied-up town on this continent on Sundays," said a traveller, as he called attention to the news that a Toronto newspaper publisher had been fined for printing an edition of his paper to give the news of a big Saturday night fire.

"Connecticut's old blue laws are mild compared with the modern ordinances of the second city in Canada. Every kind of business except preaching, must suspend absolutely on Sunday, and about the only legal thing a citizen can do is to go to church, and he must be careful to go there in legal fashion.

"Street cars, omnibuses, cabs, and all public conveyances stop running Sundays, and it is against the law to hire a rig at a livery stable. The only way to get around is to walk, and the people wearily plod out to the city's beautiful park and are so tired when they get there they are unable to walk about in it and appreciate its attractions. I don't know if its against the law for a man to use his own carriage on the streets Sundays, but I don't remember seeing any vehicles about during many Sundays I have been there. Everybody walks. Maybe its against the law to run; I would not be surprised.

"The saloons, of course, are closed tight and totally. They close up early Saturday night—about 8 o'clock, I believe, in order to remove temptation from the path of the workingman, just in possession of his wages—and remain closed until Monday morning. There are no side doors. All the stores are closed, too, and it is impossible to buy a cigar or a stick of candy on Sundays.

"Sunday newspapers, of course, are not allowed. Nor alone this, but it is against the law to buy or sell a copy of Saturday night's paper on Sunday. A great many American newspapers are subscribed for in Toronto, but none are delivered on Sundays, and you get two newspapers on Monday morning. Maybe Toronto's Sunday closing laws are no stricter than those of some cities this side the line, but they are rigidly enforced, and Toronto is the driest and dullest town on this continent on Sunday."

HE GOT HIS PAY.

An Odd Coincidence That Occurred Between Borrower and Lender.

"Here is one of the odd coincidences of life," said my friend Williams. "Some time ago an acquaintance came to me and told me that he was in great need of $15, and at considerable trouble to myself I let him have it. He promised to return it in a few days.

"When three weeks had elapsed I mentioned the matter to him, casually, and he was profusely apologetic—would send it to me the following day, sure. It did not come, though, nor did I get any message from him. About two weeks after that I met him. He declared it was a shame I hadn't got my money, and vowed he wouldn't let another day pass without paying me.

"It went along, then, for a week or ten days, and, as my expenses were very heavy, I was considerably embarrassed, and needed the money badly. One night when I was feeling particularly discouraged, I sat down and wrote him a note. I said:

"'My dear sir—About six weeks ago I loaned you $15. Lest the paying it should occasion you any inconvenience, allow me to hereby make you a present of the money.'

"That will bring it if anything will, thought I. Judge of my surprise when by the next morning's mail I received a letter from the man, enclosing the $15. By the same mail exactly he must have received mine making him a present of it, and by the dates, both letters were evidently written at about the same hour."

NORTHERN INDUSTRIES GO SOUTH.

New England May Lose Its Prestige for Various Reasons.

A Boston journal publishes an interview with Mr. T. Jefferson Coolidge, the treasurer of the Amoskeag Manufacturing Company, on the subject of the removal of mills from New England to the South. Labor at the South, he declares, is lower than in the North, the mills are nearer the cottonfields, and there is a large saving in freight charges. Again, Southern railroads take cotton as fifth-class freight, while Northern ones take it as second and third class. Then, coal in New England costs $4.50 a ton, while in the South it does not cost more than $1.50.

It appears to be the opinion of Mr. Coolidge that, for the reasons which he gives, the number of Southern mills will continue to increase. He furnishes also another reason to which very little attention has been paid so far, but which certainly deserves a prominent place as one of the most important considerations in determining the course of our manufactures. Employers in the South are not hampered by the restrictions established by trade unions. They are not menaced by strikes. They are not interfered with by legislation advocated or secured by labor agitators; and the spectacle of the walking delegate or the strike manager is not constantly present before their eyes. Commercial business is permitted in Southern States to run in the ordinary channels established by the law of supply and demand; and many New England manufacturers, harassed by the artificial conditions established by some New England Legislatures, are betaking themselves to the South. Thus there has been of late a very marked increase in the number of mills and factories in that quarter.

Fire-horse Flash's Joke.

A horse in the Marion, Ind., Fire Department displayed rare intelligence this week. Flash is a sorrel of powerful build and full of playful tricks. Tuesday Flash grew tired of standing in his stall, and by some means opened the doors, releasing himself and mate. He then went to the fire-alarm switch board, and with his mouth turned the key, sounding the alarm. Both horses then backed under the harness, ready for the usual run. The firemen were about to drive out when the trick was discovered. The horses looked at each other in a knowing way, evidently enjoying the joke they had perpetrated on the astonished firemen.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

What Henry Clay Did With His Razor.

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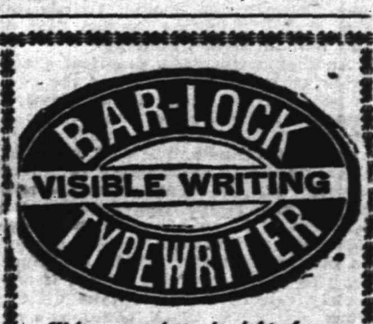

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The Statement of Mr. Edward Teel, Jr., of Dunellen, N. J.

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We made every effort to obtain a cure but they all resulted in bitter disappointment, although a number of physicians of excellent reputations for skill in that direction had treated her case. She grew worse and worse all the time, the pain became perfectly unbearable and I felt she could not bear the strain of her condition much longer. In this extremity, a friend of mine, Mr. W. R. Dilts, a resident of Roselle, N. J., a passenger conductor on the New Jersey Central told me that he had been similarly affected, and had been permanently cured by Dr. Lighthill, after other medical skill had failed. He assured me that the doctor would cure my wife, no matter how severe her case may be, and his prediction proved perfectly correct. In spite of her desperate condition, Dr. Lighthill, I am glad to say, has effected a complete and perfect cure in her case, and has given her new life.

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PLAINFIELD, N. J., FEB. 8, 1895

Storming of the "Swamp Angel."

Feb. 8 is the anniversary of Burnside's capture of Roanoke island in 1862. Landing while the gunboats shelled the bluffs and woods, the troops found the solitary road across the island blocked by a little fortress mounting three guns. The road led though a wooded swamp almost impassable for infantry, and the ground in front of the redoubt had been transformed by heavy rains into a sea of mud.

The brigades of Foster and Reno chased the graycoats along the road as far as the swamp, where the roadbed was elevated to form a causeway through the dense morass. Wherever the ground appeared solid enough for a foothold the surface had been barricaded with fallen trees. On the right and left of the battery there were long log and earth parapets sheltering 2,000 soldiers, so that the cannon, with their rifle re-enforcements, easily turned the advance of Reno's and Foster's men into a bloody march. Nothing daunted, however, they went on. Finally, Reno put three of his regiments to the charge on the right, Foster rushing his troops in on the left. There was no halting because of the enemy's bullets; only for miry pitfalls. The last Union regiment to come up was Hawkins' zouaves (Ninth New York). Stealing through the woods, ankle deep in mire like all the rest, the red capped line dashed by the left flank into the road and giving a wild cheer, which was started by Major Kimball "on his own hook," the zouaves stormed the sally port, bayonet in hand. Three Union battleflags arose above the parapet about the same moment.

Roanoke lacked not a hero among heroes. Colonel de Monteil of the D'Epinenil zouaves, a regiment not engaged, fought in other ranks as a private. When Hawkins' men leaped into the road and started on the run for the sallyport, he was among the foremost. Cheering on his comrades, he was a shining target and soon went down, shot through the temple, the only one of the party killed in that charge.

GEORGE L. KILMER.

Important changes in the time-table of the Plainfield mails are made today. The official list is published in another column of this paper.

A bill introduced in the Assembly by Mr. Codding of Westfield proposes that public school pupils shall be regularly drilled and instructed in military tactics and be enrolled in a military body to be called the American Guards. It is in line with a movement that is being advocated in many States, but the Newark News opines that it is one that even those well disposed toward it might desire to see begun on a smaller and experimental scale.

A most excellent bill, and one which Congress ought to pass, is Senate bill 2523. It in no way interferes or infringes upon the constitutional prerogative of the President of the United States in relation to the power of appointment and discharge. The bill is now in the hands of the Hon. Postmaster-General for his approval, which is confidently expected as it is identical with his famous order No. 235, dated June 28, 1894, and is in line with the policy he has pursued from the beginning, so aptly expressed by President Cleveland—"A public office is a public trust"—a sentiment destined to live and flourish in the hearts of the people; while that of President Jackson, "To the victor belong the spoils," will be dishonored and forgotten.

The bill reads as follows:

"That on and after the passage of this act no letter carrier, postoffice clerk, or railway postal clerk shall be removed or requested to resign (except when arrested for a crime, when suspension or removal may take place at once in the discretion of the Postmaster General) until after written charges shall have been preferred against him, and after the charges shall have been examined into by the Postoffice Department upon such reasonable notice to the person charged and in such manner of examination as the regulations of the Postoffice Department may prescribe; but letter carriers, postoffice clerks, or railway postal clerks may be suspended by the Postmaster-General pending the examination herein provided for."

The proposed legislation is in the direction of a just and wholesome change, for no substantial benefit to the service or to any party in power can be subserved by subjecting the class of employes referred to to the political whims of the head of the Department. Their duties are clearly non-political, they should have none other than non-partisan recognition, there should be no considerations of party favoritism in their appointment. The Washington Post well says that their removal for political reasons should only be in cases where they render themselves amenable to penalty by offensive partisanship on their own part; and of whatever dereliction they may be accused, they should assuredly have fair opportunity of self-defense.

—In spite of the raging storm, two women visited the store of the Two Vans about 9:30 this morning to make needed purchases. The senior Van and one clerk were the only attendants able to weather the storm up to that time.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

Dr. G. H. Clark is able to be about the house.

Charles Davis of North avenue is out again after his recent illness.

Mrs. Wilbur Fiske of Arlington avenue gives a tea tomorrow afternoon.

Edward S. Weaver of West Second street is confined to his home by illness.

Mrs. Seeley Edsall and Mrs. John L. Edsall are confined to their homes by illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry C. Adams of East Sixth street gave a dinner party last evening.

The mother of Chief Grant's wife, Mrs. Cornelius Stults of Jersey City Heights, is very ill.

Miss Mabel Wilson of Putnam & DeGraw's was detained at home today by the storm.

Mr. and Mrs. Groendyke left town for New York today, to spend the rest of the Winter there.

Mrs. R. H. Trewin is very ill at the home of her father, G. R. Rockafellow of West Second street.

Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Banks give their bridal homecoming reception in Hotel Netherland today.

Ebenezer Hoyt, uncle of Dr. Rushmore, died this morning at the home of Dr. Rushmore's mother, where he was visiting.

Mr. Travell, teacher of the Senior class of the High School, is still confined to his home with a return of the grip. His place was temporarily filled by Miss Sherwin.

Rev. Dr. Studdiford of Trenton and Rev. Dr. D. J. Yerkes of Plainfield will exchange pulpits Sunday. Dr. Studdiford will be the guest of his cousin, Mrs. Charles W. McCutchen.

J. M. Pickell of New York, who has many friends in Plainfield, has accepted a position in the Plainfield Tea and Grocery Company's store, 106 East Front street, and has leased a flat in Manning's Block, West Front street, which he and his family will occupy next week.

BY THE WAY.

—As this issue goes to press, the despatches bring no news from the overdue ocean steamships.

—The Y. M. C. A. meetng Sunday will be specially devoted to the coming convention. W. D. Murray will lead.

—The awning in front of J. H. Tier & Son's candy store on Park avenue was blown down during the gale last night.

—George Conover's van, with a load of Mr. Sutton's furniture from Brooklyn for Plainfield, is stormstalled in Elizabeth.

—Frank Day, old-timer though he is, seldom had a more unpleasant drive than while coming from Bound Brook yesterday afternoon. On arriving here his eyelids were frozen and he was numb from the cold.

—F. L. C. Martin and a party of friends braved last evening's storm to attend a dance in Dunellen. They were driven up by Tom Stevens in Adam Blair's wagonette, and returning, at 4 a. m., suffered much from the cold and wind, Stevens being almost unable to climb down from his seat on arriving at the stable. Capt. Hand was to take the party up but changed his mind because of the storm.

The Plainfield Boys in Trenton.

Past-Commander William C. Smith of Winfield Scott Post, No. 73, left the Encampment at Trenton last night at 5:40 to come home and attend the business meeting of the Reform Club. He arrived here about 7:30. He says the Plainfield delegation is getting along all right. Capt. Wm. Hand returned last night from Trenton. Mr. Smith was not able to go back to Trenton as he had anticipated, on account of the inefficient train service.

Death of R. W. Rice.

Robert W. Rice, head of the North Plainfield firm of R. W. Rice & Co., died last night in Philadelphia of Bright's disease and heart trouble. Mrs. Rice was with him. He leaves one son.

—The officers of Senate lodge K. H. were installed last evening.

—As usual during severe storms Chief Doane has taken extra precautions in case of fire. The horses will be doubled up on all hose wagons, and a team of four is in readiness to pull the heavy steamer if required.

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Newark's Unemployed in a Pitiable Condition—Cold Weather Hard on Those Who Feel the Pinch of Poverty as Well as the Biting Winds Help for the Unfortunate.

Newark, N. J., Feb. 8.—The poor of this city have, indeed, been having a hard time of it since the mercury started to manoeuvre around the zero point. It was during the past few days that the resources of the city's poor and alms department and the various socities whose work is given to charity have been taxed to their capacity in affording relief.

Overseer of the Poor Baldwin had until Feb. 1, last, 1,232 names on his list, and for the six days of this month the new applicants for relief averaged ten each day. Each and every one of these applicants is entitled to bread and coal tickets, and the clerks have been busy since Monday in distributing the pasteboards to worthy applicants. Coal, especially, is in great demand, and the month's supply of one-quarter of a ton to each family is almost all distributed at the present time. Yesterday alone the number of coal orders given out was 292. The overseer says that Monday and Tuesday were just as busy days as the last, so it would seem that the poor folks are doing all they can to keep the bitter cold out of their humble abodes. Bread tickets are also given out in large numbers.

At the office of the bureau of associated charities Superintendent Smith said the cold snap had not driven many people to his society, as the number of applicants or transient customers had not been materially increased during the past few days. A different tale is told by Superintendent Kimball of the Children's Aid society. It is at the little antiquated building of this society, on Market street, that newsboys and street urchins are wont to congregate. Mr. Kimball says his permanent lodgers have not increased of late, but in the early part of the past few nights the rooms were crowded with youngsters, who were glad to escape the piercing wintry blasts, which made outdoors so unbearable.

At Police Headquarters.

The lodgers' rooms at police headquarters have also been more than usually well patronized during the past two or three nights. As many as 200 men have been crowded into the two well heated, zinc floored, twenty-two feet square rooms on the top floor of the William streeet building.

Another really good, practical charitable work for the benefit of the poor is being carried on at Bethel mission, located at the head of the city dock. Here each day over one hundred men are fed with soup and bread. The meal is provided by the Christian Endeavor society of the Park Presbyterian church and is distributed under the direction of Duncan Forbes, who presides over the mission. It was started on Monday last and will be continued for two weeks, probably longer, if any society can be found to take up the work where the Park church people will leave off.

A reporter visited the mission as the daily rations were being distributed. The time set for the meal is 1 o'clock, but long before that time an unusual crowd of men could be seen loitering around the bridges and corners in the vicinity, cracking their heels together and clapping their hands in their efforts to keep the blood circulating. All eyes seemed turned toward the humble little building over which the sign "Bethel Mission" can be seen. A look of wistful expectancy was noticed beneath the rough countenances of the uncouth and rugged characters.

Waiting for Him.

Presently a pleasant-faced, well-dressed man approached the building and disappeared within. This was Mr. Forbes. The crowd evidently knew him, for with one impulse every one of the loiterers was moving toward that building.

"We won't be late to-day," remarked one to another as the pair passed the reporter. Soon a crowd of perhaps fifty surrounded the door and shivered, waiting for admission. When the proper time arrived the pleasant-faced man again appeared and, opening the door, he greeted the throng with a smile and bade them enter. The first to get inside was a forlorn-looking ragged little urchin, whose patched clothes did not shield his knees from exposure. He carried a huge basket that had seen better days and a tin pail. He was followed by another and another of the same stamp of youngsters, each carrying baskets and pails, and a few moments later the trio emerged from a side door, their baskets containing bread, and steam escaping from the pails showed that they had been filled with hot soup. The lads hrurried off in different directions, apparently to their homes.

In the meantime the seats within Bethel mission were being rapidly filled by men of all sizes, ages and color, who had whetted their appetites for what was to be in many cases the first meal of the day. While the stream of humanity was pouring in two men were busily engaged in a rear room filling pint mugs with hot soup, the odor of which was extremely appetizing in itself. On a side table bread was stacked up in high piles, and it looked enough to feed a small army.

Died at Monte Carlo.

Medina, N. Y., Feb. 8.—News has been received here of the death at Monte Carlo of S. Manville Burroughs, of the big wholesale drug firm of Burroughs, Welcome & Co., of London, England. Mr. Burroughs was a native of Medina and lived here until the death of his father a few years ago when he went to England and built up a prosperous business throughout that country and her colonels.

Arthur and the Southern Pacific.

San Francisco, Feb. 8.—Chief Arthur and the grievance committee of engineers met the Southern Pacific railroad officials yesterday but failed to arrive at any settlement. It is believed, however, that there will be no strike.

CAPT. ROBT. COOK, Camden, N. J., says:

"I had been seriously troubled for some time with indigestion, constipation, and a weak stomach, my system becoming all run down, and losing fifty pounds in weight. I had about given up hopes of again being a well man, when I came across

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KILLED BY THE TROLLEY.

While Going at the Usual Terrific Rate it Kills a Boy.

Brooklyn, N. Y., Feb. 8.—Henry Havemeyer, aged 18 years, was instantly kiled last night by being run into by a trolley car of the Myrtle avenue line, at Sumner and Myrtle avenues. The car was in charge of Motorman Edword P. Mahoney and Conductor Christopher H. Crowell. Both men were arrested and locked up the Thirteenth Precinct station house charged with homicide. Havermeyer was driving a coal cart along the Sumner avenue track when the collision occurred. From spectators who witnessed the collision it is said that the car was going at a terrific rate of speed. Havemeyer had got half way across the Myrtle avenue track when a car on that line came along and struck his cart in the centre. The force of the collision overturned his cart, throwing him from the seat and he rolled under the wheels of the car. Before the brake could be applied the car passed over his body, killing him instantly. The body was taken to an undertaking establisament and Coroner Kene notified.

Marion Canfield, 34 years old, of Chicago, Ill., a non-union motorman in charge of trolley car 3,338 of the Cross-town line, this afternoon collided with a coal cart at Columbia street, near Harrison. Canfield was intoxicated. He was taken to the Third Precinct station house, where on being searched a 44-calibre revolver, fully loaded, was found strapped to a belt around his waist. The driver of the cart escaped injury. Canfield will havea hearing in the Butler street police court to-day.

LEFT THIS WORLD OF SORROW.

Died Under a Stroke of Paralysis on a Visit to a Relative.

Rochester, N. Y., Feb. 8.—Jefferson Adams, 79 years of age, who was enleavoring to make his way from Carnile, Me., to Toledo, O., where he has a brother-in-law, suffered a stroke of paralysis just as he stepped into the police station to ask for lodging and assistance. The old man fell unconscious and was taken to the hospital. In his pockets were found a testament and papers, including recommendations from prominent citizens of Portland, Bangor and Carmile, Me. The Y. M. C. A. at Carmile had furnished Adams transportation to Portland. Up to 1891 Adams was engaged in the hardware and lumber business in Carmile. He and his partner were forced to assign because Adams' brother-in-law failed and Adams was on his paper. He lost $5,000 and was left penniless.

During the same year Adams' wife and child were killed in a railroad accident at Carmile.

Adams is a member of the Patriotic Order Sons of America, Sons of Temperance and American Sons of Liberty and the Presbyterian church.

FOUGHT LIKE TIGERS.

Dr. Riegel Carried a Revolver, but Cried for Mercy.

Belvidere, Feb. 8.—In the Riegel-Bibler trial here yesterday Dr. Riegel gave his version of the duel with Bibler, alleging that the latter opened fire on him and he acted in self-defense. The doctor's account of the affair was thrilling. He exhibited his clothing that was punctured by bullets, and described what he called his hairbreadth escape from death.

When the defense opened Bibler, the prisoner, was placed on the stand. His manner was rather pleasing. He told of the stormy meeting at Beers' and of the walk on the railroad track and the duel which followed. He said he saw the doctor feeling in his pocket for his revolver, and at once drew his and began firing. After both had emptied their pistols they clinched and fought like tigers, the doctor getting the worst of the fight and crying for mercy. The case will go to the jury to-day.

Died at His Door.

Montpelier, Vt., Feb. 8.—Nelson Pratt, aged 55, was found dead in his dooryard, two miles out from Worcester, thisfi morning, with arms and legs frozen. He left a store in Worcester last night to walk home. When his wife looked out this morning she saw his body lying in a snow bank, the hands pressed over his heart. It was a bitter cold night, and it is supposed that his exertion brought on an attack of heart difficulty just as he entered the yard which caused death. He leaves a wife and one child.

Killed His Brother and Himself.

New York, Feb. 8.—Two young men, believed to be the brothers Don Ernesto and Enrique Marques, from Guatemala, were shot and almost instantly killed last night in a private dining room attached to the saloon and restaurant of Mrs. John H. Meyers, at 517 Lexington avenue. It is supposed by the police that Don Ernesto, who is thirty-six years of age, shot and killed his brother Enrique, 26 years of age, and then turned the weapon upon himself.

Close Their Mines.

Columbus, O., Feb. 8.—A special to the Post Press from McArthur, O., says: "The Maderia Coal Company, of Chillicothe, have closed their mines at Elko, this county, on account of the low price paid for coal. For several days there has been a war waged by the operators in the Jackson district, and the result is that coal is selling in the markets for less than it costs to mine it."

An Inventor Missing.

Boston, Feb. 8.—John M. Parker, an inventor of Pawtucket, R. I., is missing, not having been seen by his friends since he left his home, January 10, on his way to Portland, Me. He was interested in a spool machine, and intended to visit Locke's mills, Maine, to look after his interest in his patents.

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As I have progressed from one improvement to another, I find that if I fulfill my plan, I must, of necessity, add a first class Grocery Department, in order to compete with New York and Brooklyn department stores, as many of my patrons are buying these goods there, and desire me to furnish them with their Groceries together with their Dry Goods, Housefurnishings, etc.

I am very much surprised as I have talked to people in regard to this movements, to find that there is such a large proportion of this trade going to New York department stores, and I shall make a strong effort to induce it to remain at home—where it belongs.

I shall do all I can to counteract the too prevalent idea abroad that Plainfield is an expensive place to live in on account of the high prices on articles of food, as real estate agents often say they are obliged to meet this objection when trying to sell or rent houses to New York and Brooklyn people.

We shall, therefore, sell our goods, which will always be of the best quality to be had, at what may be known as cut prices

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Bahama sliced pineapples, very fine, worth 30c at... 19c can
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Soda crackers, first quality, at... 5c pound
Ginger snaps, " ... 6c pound
Ground coffee, good quality... 24c pound
Very best Old Government Mocha and Java coffee... 34c pound
Mixed tea, regular 40c quality, for... 29c pound
" " 45c " ... 34c pound
Very fine Oolong tea, regular 60c quality, for... 49c pound
Very fine Young Hyson tea, regular 70c quality, for... 59c pound
Oyster Bay asparagus, flat cans, for... 19c pound
Edsall's baking powder, warranted to give satisfaction, ¼ pound 4c; ½ pound 7c; 1 pound 12c

While they last, 3c each. Just received—another lot of white plates, all sizes and perfect; 50 dozen tea cups and saucers, St. Denis shape. The above items for Saturday only. While they last, 3c each.

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TWO WARSHIPS SUNK

The Chinese Lose Their Largest Vessels.

Storms and Cold Weather Block the Opposing Forces — Bombarding Li-Kunk from Outside the Bay—China Increasing Her Forces Near Yeng Kow.

London, Feb. 8.— The correspondent of the Central News at Wei-Hai-Wei telegraphs, under date of Feb. 7, that the Chinese ironclads Chen-Yeun and Ting-Yeun have been sunk.

Great loss of life is feared as both vessels were heavily manned.

They were the most powerful ships belonging to an Asiatic power. Each had a displacement of 7,430 tons and 5,200 horse-power. They had belted 14-inch steel compound armor and heavily armored barbettes. The primary battery of each consisted of four 30½ centimetre Krupp rifles, two 15-centimetre rifles and four one-ton guns.

The Ting was launched in 1881, the Chen the next year. They were fourteen-and-a-half-knot ships, with dimensions as follows: Length, 308 feet 6 inches; breadth, 20 feet; beam, 59 feet.

Both vessels were engaged in the great battle at the mouth of the Yalu river early in the war, when so many Chinese ships were sunk, but escaped with slight injuries.

Blocked by Ice.

A dispatch from Tokio says the ministry of marine has received reports that on account of violent storms and extreme cold, the naval operations at Wei-Hai Wei heve been slow. From Jan. 31 until Feb. 3, the squadron maintained a heavy bombardment upon the forts at Zhih and Eastern Li-Kunk from outside the bay. The warships Ting-Yuen and Lai-Yuen, with two gunboats, assisted in the defense of the forts, keeping up the fight each day until dark.

Latterly the firing from the Zhih fort became greatly diminished. The principal Japanese squadron has been waiting outside the bay expecting the Chinese fleet would either engage the Japanese ships or be destroyed by Admiral Ting to prevent them from falling into the hands of the Japanese.

Soldiers retreating from Wei-Hai-Wei continue to arrive at Che-Foo.

The correspondent from Shanghai says:

"The Ting-Yuen and Chen-Yuen were struck with torpedoes in three fathoms of water.

"The peace envoys have now been fully empowered to treat and will remain in Japan. Both countries are anxious to conclude the war, but Japan does not mean to leave China a loop-hole for backing out."

CONSCIENCE STRICKEN.

The Pension Bureau Reaps the Reward of Religion.

Washington, Feb. 8.—The bureau of pensions has received a letter from Augustus Bannigan, of Paterson, N. J., enclosing a check for $419 which he returns as pension money received by him, to which he says he is not entitled.

In his letter Mr. Bannigan says that he was converted by the Salvation Army and since conversion desired to make amends to the pension bureau. He had his pension discontinued last fall and since then saved this amount, which he states is about what he had drawn. The check has not yet been cashed and the contribution will be forwarded to the office of the treasurer of the United States.

He Felt the Depression.

Ithaca, N. Y., Feb. 8.—Edwin M. Hall, carpet dealer here for six years, and for twelve years of the leading dry goods firm of Marsh & Hall, has surrendered to business stress. Inventory not yet made. He has made no assignment but five chattel mortgages aggregating some $12,000 were filed yesterday by the bank at which he did business and by those to whom he is indebted for cash loans. His surrender is a startling surprise as he ranked the brightest, most popular and successful young merchant here. He has returned large shipments of goods which had been sent to him. His indebtedness for goods is entirely in New York. Universal sympathy accompanies his failure because of his high business standing and personal popularity.

Could Not Confuse Debs.

Chicago, Feb. 8.—The cross-examination of Mr. Debs occupied the entire afternoon session In a deliberate manner he narrated the part he took in the proceedings of the American Railway union convention and during the continuance of the strike until the members of the American Railway union were discharged from the employ of the Pullman company, when he ordered a boycott of the Pullman cars. All efforts of the government counsel to confuse the witness were without avail, he carefully considering each question put to him before answering. He will resume his testimony to-day.

Perished from Cold.

Hastings, Neb., Feb. 8.—Reports reached here last night that a family in this county had perished from cold. Their names could not be learned. According to the report, the father had gone to the village of Juniata for provisions, but was overtaken by the blizzard and froze to death and his family perished during his absence. Coroner Irwin said that he had received no official notice to hold an inquest. The weather is so bitterly cold that an investigation has been delayed.

On Trial for Murder.

Detroit, Mich., Feb. 8.—Mrs. Nellie W. Pope was arraigned in police court here on a charge of murdering her husband, Dr. Horace E. Pope. She pleaded not guilty and her examination was set for Feb. 21. Wm. Brusseau, her paramour, will be arraigned to-day or to-morrow.

He Sympathizes.

New York, Feb. 8.—Mr. Beerbohm Tree yesterday afternoon at Abbey's theatre acted Captain Swift for the first time in America and gave the receipts of the day to the afflicted sufferers of the wreck of the steamer Elbe.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report

Royal Baking Powder

ABSOLUTELY PURE

NO DOG IN HER HOUSE.

A Boarding House Keeper Tells Why She Has Made This Rule.

Persons with dogs and other pets meet with a cold and clammy reception in New York boarding houses. They may occasionally steal into fashionable flats, where the landlord or agent has no direct means of circumventing them, but when it comes to the boarding house things are a little more definite.

A nice looking married couple went into a Twenty-third street boarding house the other day and were made comfortable. After the first dinner the lady was observed scraping together some dainties from the board to take to her room. The landlady, who is a woman of great decision of character, heard of it, and her knock was shortly afterward heard at the door of the new boarders. The latter were immediately notified that either they or the dog must vacate at once.

"If I cannot keep my darling Xenophon, we'll move," protested the owner of the dog, who practiced the principle of "Love me, love my dog."

"Then you'll have to move," said the landlady firmly. "I'm not keeping a dog kennel."

"How in the world they ever got that dog in here without my seeing it," said she, after the obnoxious Xenophon had been disposed of, "is more than I can understand. I've had all I want of dogs. A gentleman used to keep a small but ferocious bulldog in his room where I once lived. He was the ugliest brute I ever laid my eyes on—the dog, not the man. That dog wouldn't let anybody but his owner tamper with him. The man used to lug him around with him everywhere he went. One night, when the man came in, he was feeling so oblivious to earthly things that he left his dog locked in the vestibule. The next boarder who came in got no farther than the vestibule and landed down the steps with a square yard of trousers missing. He was soon joined by another boarder, who wanted to come to bed. They rang the bell until several of us came down to see what was the matter. On opening the door the dog sprang for us as if he hadn't been fed for a week and wanted anything that came handy, but we slammed the door to again just in time. As we could not awaken the owner we had to leave the dog there till morning, and those who were outside had to go to a hotel. In the morning everybody had to go and come by the servant's entrance until the owner of the animal came down and got us out of the fix."

"What did he say?"

"Say! Why, he abused us all as a set of brutes for keeping his dog locked up there and gathered it up under his arm and took it up stairs as if had been a piece of Dresden china! And the boarders who had been locked out left the house for good the next day. We got rid of the dog, but not until it had half depopulated the establishment."—Chicago Tribune.

A Bearded Freak.

One of the earliest of the American bearded freaks was Louis Jasper, who lived in southern Virginia at about the time of the close of the Revolutionary war. His beard was 9½ feet long and correspondingly thick and heavy. He could take his mustache between his fingers and extend his arms to their full length, and still the ends of the beards were over a foot beyond his finger tips.

The press is the best instrument for enlightening the mind of man and improving him as a rational, moral and social being.—*Thomas Jefferson.*

Wounded by Unknown Men.

New York, Feb. 8.—Andrew Tonso, of Spuyten Duyvil, was taken to the Charles street police station yesterday suffering from a fractured skull. He was walking along Tenth avenue, near Fourteenth street, with the blood streaming from a wound in his head. He said that two men assaulted him and one had struck him with a club.

Cherokee Bill Guilty.

Fort Smith, Ark., Feb. 8.—The jury in the case of Bill Cook, "Cherokee Bill," has returned a verdict of guilty. The conviction is for robbing the Wells-Fargo Express Company and the St. Louis and San Francisco Road at Red Forks, I. T., on the 8th of July last.

Just the Same.

She stood at the window of the water tax office and the clerk to whom she had paid her money asked her what else he could do for her.

"I want a recipe," she answered.

"Madam," said the clerk, "this is not a cooking school; we give receipts, not recipes, here."

"All right," she tittered. "I don't care what you call it. I know I had to stew and boil to get the money to pay it. S'long." And she pocketed the paper and sailed off.—Detroit Free Press.

$100 Reward $100.

The reader of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly on the blood and mucous surface of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer $100 for any case that it fails to cure.

Send for list of testimonial.

F. J. Cheney & Co., Props. Toledo, O.

Sold by druggists, 75c.

Salvation Army.

The meeting at the Salvation Army Hall last evening was successful, notwithstanding the severe storm, and a good-sized audience was present.

Col. Eadie, Chief Secretary of the United States Army, and Adjutant Wood commanding the newly-formed Northern New Jersey Central Division, with the staff brass band from New York were present.

Col. Eadie read the Scripture lesson, and made a few remarks. Adjutant Wood conducted the meeting. Several new songs were introduced, and members of the band sang a number of solos.

The original plans for the meeting were disturbed somewhat on account of the weather, but the service was an exceedingly interesting one.

—George Schwab, with his two children, aged four and six years respectively, and a sky-terrier dog, journeyed from Union Village to Plainfield in the storm last night and took passage on the 1:12 a. m. train for Cleveland, Ohio, where he goes in search of work.

The experience of Geo. A. Apgar, of German Valley, N. J., is well worth remembering. He was troubled with chronic diarrhoea and doctored for five months and was treated by four different doctors without benefit. He then began using Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, of which one small bottle effected a complete cure. It is for sale at Reynolds's pharmacy, Park and North aves. T. S. Armstrong, manager

A Plainfield Partnership Suit.

For the first time Vice-Chancellor John R. Emery occupied the bench in the Chancery Chambers in Newark yesterday. He heard an argument in the suit of Boise against Allen for the division of property. The case has been in the courts for some time and was referred to Mr. Emery by the late Vice-Chancellor VanFleet as an advisory master. The Boise-Allen corporation are the Plainfield concern manufacturing tooth powder.

Karl's Clover Root will purify your blood, clear your complexion, regulate your bowels and make your head clear as a bell; 25c., 50c. and $1. Sold by all druggists.

Captain Sweeney, U. S. A., San Diego, Cal., says: "Shiloh's Catarrh Remedy is the first medicine I have ever found that would do me any good." Price 50c Sold by all druggists.

Shiloh's Cure, the great cough and croup cure, is in great demand. Pocket size contains 25 doses, only 25c. Children love it. Sold by all druggists.

CLAIRVOYANT

Mrs. Dr. Edwards

Will remain one week longer until 7 a. m.,

Saturday, February 9.

Will leave positively on that date.

CITY HOTEL, ROOM 2,

one flight up. See sign up stairs. Ladies 50c. to $1.00. Gentlemen $1.00. Office hours from 9 a. m. to 9 p. m.

Can be consulted at the City Hotel, Room 2, one flight up. 2 26

WANTS AND OFFERS.

Advertisements under this heading, 1 ct. a word, each insertion. (Less than ten words, ten cents.) Cash must accompany ads.

LOANS NEGOTIATED. J. T. Vail, Broker. tf

THE employment committee of the C. O. A. A. are prepared to recommend a limited number of women for days work in washing or cleaning For full particulars apply at the office, corner Park and North aves., between 9 and 11 a. m. 2 6 4

FOR SALE—New six room house; 15 minutes walk from depot; 3 minutes from street railroad, in good neighborhood; a good chance to get a home; will sell on easy terms. Address for particulars C. R., care Press. 2 8 tf-eod

WANTED—A neat white girl as waitress. Call 219 Hillside ave. 2 7 3

FOR SALE—Two fine fox terrier pups, 8 weeks old. Apply Frisby, 122 East Fifth street. 2 7 3

TABLE boarders wanted in private family. Apply 303 West Fourth st. 2 7 tf

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OFFICES and flats to rent in Babcock Building. Inquire of J. A. Hubbard or W. M. Stillman. 1 30 tf

LADY wishes to place her two children in good family; must have a piano. Address Mother, care Daily Press. 2 2 tf

CASH buyer can get first-class upright piano at bargain. Address Starr, care Press. 2 2 tf

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WANTED—Position at book-keeping, collecting or general office work. Address Experienced, care Press. 1 12 tf

WANTED—Good reliable life insurance agent to take charge of Plainfield; also agents in every town and city in New Jersey for an old and reliable company (no industrial business). Address J. W. Shallcross, Ribsam Building, Trenton, N. J. 1 4 tf

NOW ON HAND,

Diphtheria Antitoxine.

FOR IMMEDIATE DELIVERY.

So limited has been the supply of GENUINE ANTITOXINE heretofore, that sales have been made only on condition of immediate actual use. But amid so large a population as ours, an urgent demand for the new treatment may arise at any hour, night or day, Sunday or week-day. And delay in obtaining it might result fatally. I have therefore, with some difficulty, and at considerable expense, provided a complete outfit of Antitoxine Serum (with injector) and am prepared to meet such demand The cost of an outfit (serum of two powers and Koch injector) is now about $12being only one-fourth of the earlier price. At present sales will be made only on the order of a practicing physician.

Reynolds's Pharmacy, Park and North Avenues.

E. E. Marshall & Co.,

Painters and Decorators.

167 NORTH AVENUE. (Formerly with A. D. VanSciver)

Wall Paper,

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We have just received 10,000 rolls of Wall Paper, which we guarantee to be 1895 goods, and that is what you cannot find elsewhere in the city. Our prices are lower than ever before. People contemplating papering and painting can save money by calling on the above named firm. We do no work but what is first-class and solicit your patronage.

106 East Front Street— NEW STORE, NEW GOODS.

Grand Opening of the Plainfield Tea and Grocery Co., Saturday, Feb. 9.

"EVERY DAY PRICES."

Fine quality mixed tea	25c	Can tomatoes, solid packed	8c
" Oolong tea	30c	Can peas, early June	8c
" Young Hyson tea	40c	Can corn, fine goods	8c
" Japan tea	40c	Fine butter	24c
XX soda crackers	4½c	Groud coffee	17½c
Ginger snaps	5½c	Java and Mocha coffee	32c
Nic-nac crackers	6c	Extra fine Maricaibo coffee	30c
California peaches	17c can	" Rio coffee	24c
All goods warranted as represented.		Lard	8c

H. T WILLIAMS, Manager.

Quick Action

Yes, and a good hit.

Randolph's Beef Iron and Wine

Acts Quickly,
Has Made a Great Hit,
A true tonic.

Pint bottles 50c For sale only by

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GOODS MARKED LOWER THAN EVER.

Special discount of 10 per cent on all Fall and Winter Goods.

Are you looking for an Overcoat or Ulster? Remember we have them and are closing them out at slaughter prices.

Our Men's, Boys' and Children's Goods are all put in at the same cut rates.

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Save your pennies, the dollars will take care of themselves.

Buy your Muslins now at the following prices:

Bleached Pillow Muslins.

1¼ yard wide	8c yd
1¼ yard wide	9c yd
1½ yard wide	11c yd

Bleached Sheeting Muslins

2 yards wide	14c yd
2¼ yards wide	15c yd
2½ yards wide	16c yd

One Yard Wide Bleached Muslins.

Fruit of Loom, Dwight Anchor, Hill, Lonsdale, Barker, Gold Medal, Arcade, extra heavy, all at...6½c yd

Van Emburgh,

Corner Store, Babcock Building.

MUSIC HALL.

Varian & Sohl, Lessees and Managers.

Telephone call 49B,

Monday Evening, Feb. 11

Land of the Midnight Sun.

A. Y. Pearson's melodrama is composed of some of the oldest actors on the American stage and is said to be an unusually strong one.

Prices 25, 35, 50, 75c, $1. Box office now open.

Gold Dollars for Fifty Cents.

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BUT FULL VALUE.

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We introduce a new principle in the retail dry goods trade. That is we will refund money on all goods bought at our store that are not satisfactory, and do it as cheerfully as we sell the goods. We don't mean giving a credit check but giving you the cash.

JUST TRY US.

There is an attraction about our way of doing business that makes shopping a pleasure You can come, buy or not, just as you please; the store is yours.

Good Things.

Not for a day, but as long as they last.

30 inch China silks, all shades, 50c
54 inch Covert cloths, all shades, 49c; cost to import 75c.
45 inch imported drapery 13c; cost to import 40c.
22 inch all-linen glass toweling 8¼ cents; value 13.
30 inch plaid jackonets 6c yard; value 12c.
25 pieces fancy trimming silks 39c yard; value 75.
Our special prices on muslins and sheeting still go on.

The sale of granite ironware has stopped the sale of tinware. No one seems to want tinware when they can buy granite ironware at the same prices. Visit our house-furnishing department; you will find many things you want, and the prices are in your favor.

WHITE,

OF Plainfield.

TALK IS CHEAP!

but our Coats and Capes are cheaper. This week we have inaugurated the Greatest Coat Sale ever held in the city. We have marked our entire stock 33 per cent. lower than the original price. Our prices enable everyone to buy one. You need a coat; we need the room and money. We give you a large bargain for little money. We would rather sell them for half their original cost than carry them over.

Housefurnishing Goods.

3c Sale 3c in Basement 3c

Any article on our 5c counter for 3c for one week only. We wish to inform you that this department is below our first floor and prices below other houses.

Glassware.

7 piece fruit set 50c, regular price 75c.
7 piece water set 90c, regular price $1.25.
7 piece lemonade set $1.39, regular price $1.75.
Initial tumblers, fine blown glass, 98c doz.

Decorated Toilet Sets.

A $2 50 toilet set for		$1.96
A $3 25	"	$2.50
A $5 50	"	$4.50

Tea Set Sale.

56 piece tea set $3.45, former price $4.50.

DRESS GOODS.

Now is the time for you to get bargains in our Dress Goods Department.
Our 25c worsteds 28 in wide, 15c.
Our 40c flannels 38 in wide, 25c.
Our 65c black serge 45 in wide, 45c.
Our 75c " 45 in wide, 49c.
Our $1 Covert cloths 54 in wide, 75c.
Our $1 15 black henrietta 40 in wide, 75c.

Just received a beautiful line of Embroideries at astonishing prices. The only house in the city that carries a complete line of Fancy and Plain Silks.

Our prices on Coats and Capes will surprise you.

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All kind of help furnished on short notice. We have first class help always on hand or can be had on 3 days notice. Satisfaction guaranteed. 1 19 2m

MARY A. LIVERMORE.

A DISTINGUISHED WOMAN OF THE PRESENT CENTURY.

She Did Valiant Service During the Civil War and Became a Patriotic Platform Orator. Retiring from Active Life to Pursue Literary Duties.

No woman was ever more appropriately claimed by every portion of her own extended land than Mrs. Mary A. Livermore. No woman was ever more widely known personally. She has lived in the North, the South, the East and the West. She has lectured in nearly every State in the Union, and even Europe has its claims upon her, for she has lectured in England and Scotland, and on the Continent, through interpreters.

Mrs. Livermore is a link between two generations. She knew and thought with the great thinkers of a generation ago. Garrison and Wendell Phillips were her compatriots. She not only lived with Emerson, Whittier, Longfellow, Lowell, Hawthorne and their contemporaries, but, with Mrs. Julia Ward Howe, she has lived to see the "last leaf" flutter from the bow where it clung, for Dr. Oliver Wendell Holmes was the last man of a group of brilliant literary lights of which Boston may well be proud.

A mere slip of a girl, she left her father's home to go into what seemed the far South, in response to a call from a family school in Southern Virginia.

While she was in the South, Mary Ashton Rice, as she was then known, saw unutterable deeds of barbarism, and was brought face to face with the miseries of slavery, which she did not fail to study, and which fired her with enthusiasm for a cause to which a good portion of her energies were to be devoted, for she had not then thought of the suffrage question, in which she is now so deeply interested.

When she left her position in the South and returned to Massachusetts, teaching a school of her own in Duxbury, and afterward relinquishing it, in 1845, to become the wife of the Rev. D. P. Livermore, she was ready to sympathize with the anti-slavery sentiments constantly growing warmer in the North, and after moving with her husband to Chicago in 1857, she made use of the columns of the paper Dr. Livermore published there for soliciting the co-operation of the public in behalf of the Union soldiers of the civil war.

After moving to Chicago Mrs. Livermore wrote for every department of her husband's paper, besides attending to all her household duties, and the care of her children, at the same time furnishing stories and sketches for periodicals. But with the work of the United States Sanitary Commission began the most telling work of her life.

MRS. MARY A. LIVERMORE.

It was about that time that the lyceums, which were always on the lookout for novelties, frequently asked her to go and relate her experiences in working for the soldiers on condition that she was to have the entire evening's proceeds for the benefit of the commission. Such offers were not to be refused, so she always went.

"I had never dreamed that anybody knew who I was," said Mrs. Livermore, in relating her experiences, "or that my experiences were of interest to any body, until we began to have our great sanitary fairs for the benefit of the commission, and then I began to read in the papers that Mrs. Livermore had done this or that, and with the success of our first fair began the real trials.

"There had been a great deal of anxiety on our part, for the starting of the fair had involved a debt of $10,000. But there were no fears after the first day, when we took $25,000. Everybody entering the halls in which the fairs were held was obliged to pass under the national colors, and even the traitors not only passed under the colors, but came to ask us if there was anything they could do to help us."

In beginning her lecturing, however Mrs. Livermore's interest in the suffrage question was by no means cooled. She had in one savings bank $8,000 in her own right. She informed her husband that with this she intended to establish a paper to be devoted to the cause of woman suffrage.

The result was a pronounced success for the Agitator. When in 1870 the Boston suffragists wished to establish a paper there was nobody among them who felt competent to assume the responsibility, and Mrs. Livermore was asked to become its editor. William Lloyd Garrison, Colonel Thomas Wentworth Higginson, Lucy Stone, Dr. Henry Blackwell, and Mrs. Julia Ward Howe were the founders of the Boston publication, but of them all only Garrison had had any newspaper experience, and Susan B. Anthony's Revolution in New York was the only publication of the sort in the country, aside from Mrs. Livermore's.

And now, after an active public career of forty years, one of America's most famous women has decided to make herself a little less of a living sacrifice to public demands.

Such is the life of a wonderful woman of the age, who has witnessed progressive changes in every sphere relative to women, who has seen the development of philantrophies, the establishment of colleges, the revolutionized attitude of the press and the legislation for women where a half a century ago there was practically none. All this she has witnessed, in all these things she has participated, yet, never failing to mingle with the young people surrounding her, she has failed to grow old.

Beauty without amiability is a flower without fragrance.

CAN ANTS TALK?

The Precocious Insects of Merry England Evidently Can.

A correspondent of the London Quiver says:

I was one day standing in my garden near the trunk of an old willow tree, up which a scattered line of ants was crawling. After a time I observed an occasional straggler coming down in an opposite direction. Here and there a couple of ants, ascending and descending, happened to meet, but there was no stoppage and no talk. Presently, at about five feet from the ground I smeared a little hollow in the trunk with a large spoonful of thick treacle, to see how long it would remain undiscovered.

I then went away for a short time, and on my return found about a dozen ants busily feasting on the treasure. A minute or two later one of the feasters came slowly down the trunk with heavy feet, and when near the ground met a friend, whom he suddenly arrested on his way up, and with his atennæ, which he plied vigorously, held a good talk. What was said I know not, but the friend knew, and thereupon marched steadily on up the tree to the newly-found treasure. Meanwhile the bearer of the good tidings made his own way quickly back to the nest, a few yards off in the grass, to which I watched him. He was soon lost to view, but, beyond all doubt, he soon spread the news of treasure trove throughout the colony.

Within half an hour of that time a long line of hungry ants was marching direct to the tree, making straight for the feast, remaining there for a time, and then returning to the nest in another line on the other side of the willow. This procession of ascending and descending termites went on for some hours, in fact until dusk, when the numbers of advancing guests grew less and less, and finally ceased. Before it was dark not a single ant was to be seen, though early the next morning a fresh band of adventurers set out in the same fashion, coming and going all day until every morsel of the sweetness had disappeared.

Contrasts.

I. Lady (on the pavement, to her husband)—Look at the splendid carriage Councillor A—— and his lady are driving about in. *I only wish we were as lucky!*

Privy-Councillor's Wife (to her spouse)—I am getting quite ashamed of this old coach. Look how the people stand still and look at us with contempt. If you don't wish to drive me to despair, you must buy a new turnout.

II. Woodchopper—Here I've to chop firewood for that rich property owner, while he sits doing nothing the livelong day. I'd give anything to change places with him for one week.

Property Owner—I am the unhappiest man in the world, or I am much mistaken. It doesn't look as if I should ever get well again. The doctor says I ought to work. To be sure, if I had a strong constitution like that woodcutter outside there, I would chop wood from morning till night, and be as happy as the day is long.

III. Briefless Barrister—When I see His Excellency overwhelmed with honors and distinctions on the occasions of his jubilee, I feel as if I could burst. How miserable to pass through life unnoticed and uncared for!

Prime Minister—I would gladly forfeit all these distinctions if for one short year I might be young once more like that young lawyer, for instance, who is carrying on an animated conversation with his fair companion at the other end of the table.

IV. Young Man—There goes Lieutenant N—— with his wife, the loveliest and most amiable creature I ever set eyes on. Aye, these lieutenants always have the pick. Ah! poor me!

Lieutenant N—— (to his wife)—It will perhaps be best for us to part. You have made me wretched enough. I'd rather have wedded the poorest and plainest girl in creation than put up with such a vixen as you are!—Humoristiche Blatter.

Brother Jones Cracks a Chestnut.

An amusing incident occurred at the close of Sam Jenes's sermon at Pulaski the other day. Stepping down from the pulpit and looking solemnly over the audience, the revivalist said:

"I want all the women in this crowd who have not spoken a harsh word or harbored an unkind thought towards their husbands for a month past to stand up."

One old woman, apparently on the shady side of sixty, stood up.

"Come forward and give me your hand," said the preacher.

The woman did so; whereupon Jones said:

"Now turn around and let the audience see the best looking woman in the country."

After taking her seat the revivalist addressed the men:

"Now I want all the men in this crowd who have not spoken a harsh word or harbored an unkind thought towards their wives for a month past to stand up."

Twenty-seven big, stapping fellows hopped out of the audience with alacrity.

"Come forward and give me your hands, my dear boys."

Jones gave each one a vigorous shake, after which he ranged all of them side by side in front of the pulpit and facing the audience. He looked them over carefully and solemly, and then, turning around to the audience, he said:

"I want you all to take a good look at the twenty-seven biggest liars in the State of Tennessee."—Argonaut.

Exceptionally Honored.

A good old Methodist lady attending service in a Methodist Episcopal church one Sunday became happy under the preaching of the Word, and ejaculated "Glory!"

She was admonished to keep quiet by two of the brethren and nodded assent, but soon becoming forgetful responded, "Hallelujah!"

The brethren again called her attention to the annoyance and told her that if she did not keep quiet they would be compelled to remove her.

The sermon proceeded and the old lady, becoming very happy and forgetful of her surroundings, shouted out:

"Glory to God!"

This was too much for the brethren, who tried to lead her out; but she refused to walk, so they carried her. On the way she said:

"I am honored above my Master, for while he was carried by an ass, I am carried by two."—Philadelphia Record.

Love and reason are like the sun and moon—the one cannot rise before the other has set.

Good at all times.
Better than anything else.
Best of all external remedies

Allcock's Porous Plaster

For lame back, stiff joints, sore muscles, soreness in the back, chest or side.

The Only Safe Way, when suffering, is to insist on having "ALLCOCK'S."

Allcock's Corn Shields,
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Have no equal as a relief and cure for corns and bunions.

Brandreth's Pills
are purely vegetable; a safe and effective remedy for young and old.
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FAST LINE leaves Philadelphia 12 25 p m daily with Pullman Vestibule parlor and sleeping cars for Pittsburg, Northern and Eastern Pennsylvania.

6.37 P. M. WESTERN EXPRESS, with Pullman Vestibule sleeping cars, dining car daily for Pittsburg, Chicago, Cleveland, daily except Saturday, for Toledo. Williamsport, Rochester, Buffalo and Niagara Falls.

8.24 p.m.—SOUTHWESTERN EXPRESS with Pullman vestibule sleeping car, daily, to Columbus, Cincinnati, Indianapolis, St. Louis, and Memphis. Dining car Altoona to Richmond.

8 42 p. m.—PACIFIC EXPRESS with Pullman vestibule sleeping cars, daily, for Pittsburg, Columbus, Chicago, and Toledo, daily, except Saturday for Cleveland.

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Leave Newark 6 10, 7 19, 7 55, 8 30, 9 00, 10 10, 11 35 A. M., 1 15, 1 35, 2 20 Saturday only, 2 50, 3 35, 4 05, 4 40, 5 04, 5 34, 6 00, 6 20, 7 15, 7 35, 8 45, 10 05, 11 35 P. M. Sunday—7 30, 9 45, 9 35, 11 35, A. M., 1 10, 2 35, 4 10, 5 40, 7 20, 9 25, 10 20 P. M.

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Leave Somerville, 6, 6 30, 7 00, 7 25, 7 35, 7 45, 8 00, 8 05, 8 48, 11 40 A. M., 12 51, 1 43, 3 05, 3 23, 4 35, 5 25, 6 35, 8 17, 9 45, 11 05, P. M. Sunday 8 25, 9 45, 10 55 A. M., 12 05, 1 20, 5 05, 6 45, 8 02, 8 05, 9 40 P. M.

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Leave Easton 6 05, 7 00, 8 52, A.M., 12 52, 4 05, 7 00 P. M. Sundays—7 15, 10 52, A. M. 6 40, 7 30, P. M.

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8 16 A. M. for Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R. Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

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2 08 P. M. for Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Sunbury and Williamsport, Wilkes-Barre and Scranton. Buffet parlor car to Mauch Chunk.

5 05 p. m., way for Easton, connecting at High Bridge for stations on High Bridge branch.

5 14 P. M. for Flemington, Easton, Bethlehem, Bangor, Allentown, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, Mauch Chunk, Shamokin and Tamaqua, Buffet parlor car to Scranton.

6 19 P. M. for Flemington.

6 35 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading and Harrisburg.

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For Perth Amboy, 3 37, 5 33, 8 10 37 a. m., 1 18, 3 51, 4 50, 5.54, 7 09 p.m. Sunday—3 14, a. m., 3 30 p. m.

For Freehold, 3 37, 8, 10 37 a.m., 1 18, 3 51, 4 50, 5 p.m.

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IN THE DEEP, DEEP SEA.

Fishes that Are Killed by Falling Up from Its Profound Depths.

At the monthly meeting of the Society of Natural Science of Hartfor, dProf. H. W. Conn of Wesleyan University delivered an interesting lecture on the "Bottom of the Sea."

Prof. Conn had a large number of instructive views of apparatus used in sounding and dredging, as well as photographs of many of the unspeakable creatures that the dredges has brought up. There is no sensible amount of light at a greater depth than 300 or 400 feet, the most sensitive photographic plates being unaffected even by prolonged exposure. The fishes are therefore obliged to hunt their food by the aid of dark lanterns, as Prof. Conn expressed it; in other words, they are phosphorescent, and see by the aid of the light that they themselves emit.

One of the great difficulties of deep-sea exploration is that it takes about all day to throw out one dredge and haul it up again, even although the line is worked by steam power. The dredges used until recently had a habit of becoming tangled immediately upon being thrown overboard, so that the day was entirely wasted. The great pressure at the bottom of the sea (from three to six tons on a square inch) will crush glass to a fine powder, so that it has been difficult to obtain good measures of the temparature in the deeper parts. The professor described an ingenious thermo-electric apparatus by means of which this difficulty has been overcome.

The greater part of the bottom of the ocean consists of red mud and globigerina ooze, the dead shells of a minute foraminiferous creature, so abundant that its shells make up a big part of the ocean floor. There is no life below three miles. In speaking of some of the fishes that inhabit the lower depths, the Professor said that they often "fall upward" to the surface and are killed by the reduction of pressure. The air in their swimming bladders, he explained, is compressed by the pressure of the ocean into very small space. When the fish is so unwise as to leave its native haunts to explore regions half a mile or so above him, the deminution in pressure causes the air to expand, and the fish become so buoyant that he cannot swim back again, and the further he rises the worse his plight becomes; and after a time he reaches the surface, by which time the expansion of the air has become so great that the fish is often literally blown to pieces, and is found floating about in this condition.

The Professor said that in the lower depths of the sea the quiet is so profound that in comparison with it the most barren deserts on the surface of the earth are scenes of the greatest activity; for on the desert there are variation in wind and in temperature, and alternations of day and night, while in the great depths of the ocean there is no life, there are no currents, the temperature is uniformly 33 degrees year in and year out, and night reigns perpetually. The surface of the ocean is the poet's favorite metaphor for unrest, but there is nothing so quiet and changeless as its profoundest depths.—Hartford Times.

Menaced by a Waterspout.

Capt. Echoff, commanding the Dutch tank steamship, La Hesbaye, from Antwerp, tells of a thrilling escape from being engulfed in the centre of a tremendous waterspout, which, during the prevalence of a terrific snow storm on the afternoon of the 21st inst., shot under her stern.

The huge and destructive water spiral by reason of the condition of the atmosphere, was not seen until it was almost on board the ship, although the deafening noise of its approach was heard fully three minutes before it was seen. Had it struck the vessel, as it would but for the prompt manoeuvring of the ship by her officers, none would have been spared to relate the experience. All on board for a time were panic stricken, and those who were on deck were drenched through and through by flying spindrift.

In speaking of the waterspout Capt. Echoff said that at the time it passed under the vessel's stern a dense and blinding snow storm was raging, and it was almost impossible to see the ship's bow from the bridge. The seas were rough and their washing up against the vessel caused the spindrift to fly in all directions. Dead ahead the deafening noise of the rapid approach of this phenomenon was heard, and in a few minutes it appeared a little on the port side of the ship. It was a huge formation fully a hundred feet in width through the centre, and had it struck the ship she would have been rent asunder.—Philadelphia Press.

Caprices of a Princess.

Although the Princess of Wales has not yet reached the throne, she is credited with some queenly caprices. When she travels a favorite white cat must always go with her, and another indispensable accompaniment is an assortment of little china animals, such as can be had in any toy shop. This latter necessity means no little trouble to her attendants as she never permits her room to be dismantled until the last moment, and the packing of the fragile pets has been the means of losing more than one train.

Jersey Ladies' High Hats.

Mr. Duncan of Newark has introduced a bill in the New Jersey Legislature which is intended to prevent women from wearing high hats in theatres or other public halls, at entertainments where an admission fee is charged, and where an unobstructive view is necessary. The penalty is to be summary ejection, and, on conviction before a court, a fine of $10. The bill was referred to the Committee on Miscellaneous Business.

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And the birds will break into sweetest song—
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Though the storm may rave and the ship be tossed,
We'll get to the end bimeby!
The roughest sea will be safely crossed,
The light will shine for the sailor lost—
We'll get to the end bimeby!

—Atlanta Constitution.

Denied.

Colonel—Are you one of the "advanced" women, Miss Passe?

Miss P. (haughtily)—Indeed I am not. I was 23 last birthday.

Husband—The most beautiful and accomplished women sometimes have the most commonplace husbands.

Wife—Oh, go along! You are such a flatterer!

FREAKS OF NATURE.

MADE SO BY THE GRAFTING AND SPLICING PROCESS.

Dr. Born Makes Playthings of Tadpoles. He Cuts Them Up and Destroys Their Individuality by Giving Them Other Bodies to Grow Up With.

One of the most startling pieces of scientific intelligence has recently come before the public, masquerading in the staid garb of a matter-of-fact paper read before a German scientist society. It is a description of a series of experiments by Dr. C. Born, but it reads like an extract from the laboratory notebook of a mediaeval wizard.

Dr. Born has been carving up living creatures into bits and piecing the bits together in all sorts of ways. This, of course, is easy enough. The late P. T. Barnum was a pioneer in the art when he pieced together his celebrated mermaid with a monkey's body and a fish's tail. Dr. Born, however, can not only go him one step better, but he makes that step across the widest chasm in nature—the gap that separates death from life—the abyss between a pulsating, wriggling growing creature and a lump of flesh fast becoming putrid.

He not only pieces his bits together, but actually makes them live and grow, thus producing things with tails growing out of their heads, things with two tails and no head or with two heads and no tail things with two hearts and things with no hearts at all—enough to make the astonished beholder flee at once to his home and sign the pledge in an agony of remorse.

The creatures that Dr. Born has succeeded in patching together in this marvellous way are tadpoles and allied forms or amphibians—frogs, toads and the like—in the larval or undeveloped stage, when they are half flesh and half reptile.

This is as far as he has gone yet, but then he has only made a start. When he gets his hand in well there is no telling how far he may go, and the sanguine imagination refuses to allow its horizon to be hemmed in by a tadpole. It expands far beyond the Reptilia and ascends to mammals, and even unto the human family itself. Why not?

Tadpoles show such a wonderful ability to heal wounds and such unequalled energy of growth that the first hesitating blundering experiments are naturally made with them. But men can heal as well as tadpoles, and the human frame can take to itself bits of foreign tissue, too—witness the wonderful surgical transplantations of recent years!

This is how Dr. Born was led to make these experiments:

He was trying to see how far he could carry the wonderful power of regeneration shown by these larval amphibians and found that when one was cut in two the wounded surfaces soon became covered with skins and the pieces lived separately for eight days.

Curiously enough, he had the best success, not with two pieces that, when put together, would form a normal tadpole—that is, with the head of one, and the tail of another—but with two tail pieces. These experiments succeeded not with only two individuals of the same species, but also with those of different species, different genera, or even different families. He thus produced a monstrosity that was half frog and half toad. None of these lived to complete its metamorphosis from the larval stage into that of the full grown animal, but there seemed to be no reason why, with sufficient pains, they should not be made to do so.

Lest any one should suppose that the union was a mere growing together of the outside skin, Dr. Born dissected many of his productions, and established the fact that the entire tissue had grown into one so that the resulting creature was a physiological unit.

Startling as this discovery may seem, it is yet consistent with a principle pointed out by Darwin, but whose significance has not yet been fully realized by the scientific world. This principle is that nature does not oppose the growing together of two living substances not only of the same family but of different families.

We see every day a tree of one kind grafted upon another. Many varieties of luscious fruits have thus been artificially produced. You can tone down the acidity of a pear by grafting upon the tree when young a slip of a peach or plum tree.

In the animal kingdom the results of such experiments are even more surprising. Thus a mule was invented. Mules are a unique species. They were never seen until somebody crossed the horse and donkey families.

Theodore Roosevelt, in his book, "Hunting Trips of a Ranchman," mentions an extraordinary dog which was one of the household at his ranch in the Bad Lands. This dog was half dog and half wolf. In the daytime he was a dog, barking like other dogs; but at night he was a wolf, and he gave the true howl of the wolf on the still, northwestern plains.

These are the results of cross-breeding. They show that different species and different families can be ingrafted, the one upon the other and that nature is favorable to the process.

Now comes Dr. Born to prove that, while yet alive, living animal organisms can be spliced. This, however, is merely an advance upon what surgery has done in pumping the blood of one man into the veins of another, or in grafting the skin from one person to another, where as everybody knows, it grows and remains healthy.

To Make Sure.

Dashway—You believe in the efficacy of prayer, uncle. But suppose a chicken from your neighbor's yard should hop by your kitchen door and you should get down on your knees and pray for that chicken to enter, do you think your prayer would be answered?

Uncle Ebony—Mos' sartinly do, sah. But in dat case, sah, I should sprinkle a few grains of corn on the step.—Life.

Kansas's New Senator.

Mr. Baker is a fairly good lawyer and an honest man. He is always being hit unexpectedly. When Tom Thurston shot at Big Anthony on the streets of Leavenworth, the bullet hit Lucien Baker who happened along at just the right time, as he did in the Republican caucus at Topeka last night.—Atchison Globe.

The Alternative.

Bandmaster—A leedle somethings for dot leedle Suerman band, please.

Householder—Why, you have not played yet, have you?

Bandmaster—Nein; but we vill if we don'd get some money.—Judge.

TIRES OF HIS HOBBY.

A Millionaire's Peculiar Freak Will Go For a Song.

The New York Herald says that in a few days the house No. 929 Fifth avenue, which millionaire William Pickhardt, a wholesale dealer in chemicals, has been building for nearly fifteen years, will be sold at auction, with its costly stables.

The house is a four story brownstone one, with a handsome entrance and very large windows. In height the house is almost as tall as a downtown seven story office building. It has never had a tenant. Fifteen years ago Mr. Pickhardt determined to erect a home in proportion to his wealth, which would rival if not surpass, A. T. Stewart's mansion at 34th street and 5th avenue, which at that time was considered the acme of palatial residences. He purchased the ground at Seventy-fourth street and Fifth avenue, facing Central Park, and immediately sought a competion of English, German, and American architects for the plans of his new home.

The plans submitted by one of the Americans were accepted, and orders given to at once prepare the ground for the foundations. The question of cost was not to be considered. Each stone which went into the building was to be imported, and a special representative was sent to Germany to watch the stone quarried and cut to order.

When the foundations were laid work was suspended for a time, as the owner wanted to change the plans. In about a year work was resumed on the building and progressed rapidly until the first story had been erected. The walls were three and a half feet thick, and the rough raw edges of the stone gave the building a commercial appearance. Several changes were made and work resumed till three stories of the house had been built, when one day the owner of the house went to the architect and said there were some changes he wanted made and mentioned them. The architect replied that to make such changes the building would have to be torn down and built over again. After remonstrating with Mr. Pickhardt, who threatened to pull the building down himself and spend every dollar he owned rebuilding it to suit him, the architect withdrew and resigned his contract.

A contractor named Knaut was then engaged by Mr. Pickhardt. New and elaborate plans were drawn up by him for the mansion, which necessitated the demolishing of the two upper stories. Before Knaut's plans had been carried out he returned to Germany for a short vacation, but he died there shortly after his arrival.

On hearing of Knaut's death, Mr. Pickhardt remarked:

"It looks as though fate were against my home, but I'll not stop now, I'll try it again."

A third architect, an American, was engaged, and the building resumed. It proceeded very slowly on account of the frequent and important alterations insisted on by the owner. Finally, in 1889, when the walls were up and the roof was on, and little to do except finish the inside of the house, Mr. Pickhardt was dissatisfied with the result of his labors and expenditures, and said:

"The house isn't as I want it at all; it isn't what I intended it should be, and I'll never live in it, never! It has cost me already over $1,000,000, but that is not enough to ever make me live in such a house."

The only tenant the house has had since its erection is the watchman. A $50,000 organ which Mr. Pickhardt imported specially for his house nearly seven years ago has never been unpacked and is now lying in a storage warehouse.

Making Newspapers in Syria.

A learned Syrian traveller, at present enjoying a sojourn in Buffalo, said that the Syrian papers probably contained not the most distant allusion to the massacres in Armenia. After observing the ways of American newspapers he declared that the Yankee editor was in Paradise and didn't know it.

In Beyrout, said he, there is a censor, an officer of the Turkish Government, and to him must be submitted the first copy of every newspaper, and until he approves it not another one may be taken out of the pressroom. As there are some thirteen daily papers in Beyrout, it is easy to imagine what an inconvenience this is. It will not do to give the censor proof slips. He must see the entire sheet as it is intended for circulation. While the press waits the censor runs his eye over the journal. If there is a line of news which the Government would prefer not to have published, if there is a leader reflecting in the slightest degree upon the conduct of affairs in Constantinople, the censor draws his pencil through it, and the matter must come out.

In anticipation of such an occurrence, Syrian editors always keep in reserve several columns of matter in type. This is all most laudatory of the Grand Vizier, of all Turkish officialdom. It is carefully made up in portions of varying length, stickfuls, two-stickfuls, half columns, columns and squibs. If the censor orders part of the first forms out, these tales of fulsome flattery are immediately substituted, a fresh impression is taken, the censor approves, and the presses are started up.—Buffalo Courier.

The Barber Meant Well.

"I don't object to religion or its attendant features unless my life is endangered by it," remarked the club kicker yesterday, as he fished a piece of lemon peel out of the bottom of his glass. As nobody paid any attention to this rather irrevalent remark, he continued:

"You see, my barber was shaving me the other day and I was almost in a doze when he had finished lathering my face. He hadn't said a word during this operation, but suddenly he leaned over with his razor poised just over my jugular vein, and hissed in my ear:

"'Are you prepared to die?'

"Well, frankly, I wasn't, and I didn't propose to die in that way, at any rate. So I gave him a shove, sprang out of the chair, and made a bolt for the street. As my face was full of lather, one of the other barbers followed me to see what was the matter, and caught up with me just outside the door, when he explained. Do you suppose that barber had designs upon my life? Not a bit of it. He was merely concerned about the welfare of my soul. I heard that he had gotten religious, and had adopted this rather startling mode of spreading the Gospel."—Phil. Record.

Anti-Crisis In Persia.

The Shah, of Persia, is said to drink a bottle of brandy a day. This may or may not account for the fact that we never read of a crisis in Persia.—Oil City Blizzard.

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SNOW STORM RAGING

The Weather Is Still Intensely Cold.

Great Suffering Among Settlers—Fears Entertained That Many People Are Frozen in Kansas and Nebraska—Travel Greatly Delayed All Over the Country.

Chicago, Feb. 8.—The weather is forestalling the prophecies of the weather bureau. According to schedule the thermometer was to have begun falling slightly before noon yesterday and from that time on it was predicted its downfall would be rapid. The thermometer did not wait, however. After hovering in the neighborhood of 6 degrees above zero all night it began early in the morning to drop. Between 7 and 8 o'clock the fall was 8 degrees, and the cold increased every minute. The wind blew from forty to fifty miles an hour, but the fall of fine dry snow stopped after obstructing all the street railway lines and crippling the mail trains on every system running into the city. Without exception, all mail trains due here were several hours behind time. Last night the temperature fell to fifteen below zero.

Great Suffering.

All sections of the country heard from so far report that the cold wave is holding on firmly, with little prospect of cessation. In Kansas and Nebraska great suffering prevails on account of the severe blizzards, which were general over both states. In the latter state sand mingled with the snow. Illinois and Indiana are in the grasp of the snow storm and business is almost entirely suspended in some of the smaller towns and villages. The storm is due to an exceedingly high area which developed in the far northwest. Accompanied by a furious northwest wind, it came down the Missouri valley with a rush. It is good for two more days at least. At Milwaukee the thermometer registered 8 degrees below. The snowfall was general throughout Wisconsin. About four inches fell on the level. All railroad trains were from two to six hours late.

At St. Louis the wave arrived on schedule time and at 9 o'clock in the morning the quicksilver touched 5 degrees below. A strong northwesterly gale is blowing accompanied by flurries of fine, hard snow. The worst blizzard in several years is raging this morning.

Worst in Years.

At Dennison, Tex., the mercury reached 5 degrees below. Throughout Missouri and southern Iowa a fearful storm raged all night, and reports state that there is no sign of abatement.

Dispatches from the Des Moines weather office to 100 postmasters notified them of the coming blizzard which came upon the state early yesterday morning, although not in so serious force in the central sections as was expected. Trains on all railroads are delayed. The Rock Island has abandoned all freights in Iowa and Nebraska. The mercury stands at zero here and the wind is blowing twenty-five miles an hour, but at Council Bluffs, on the western border, the mercury is 8 degrees below and the wind velocity forty miles. Snow is drifting badly this morning and a general blockade of the railroads is expected.

Cold of unexampled severity prevails throughout the upper peninsula of Michigan, and great suffering is reported from the homestead country, where the inhabitants are isolated and live in scantily furnished cabins exposed to the winds. Several fatal cases of freezing have been reported.

The oldest inhabitant of Wichita, Kas., fails to remember any such storm as that which is raging here now. A fearful storm of sand and sleet prevailed here yesterday. News from many points in southern and western Kansas tell of the same conditions and the suffering among the settlers on the bleak prairies must be terrible.

The weather at Little Rock, Ark., was the coldest ever known there yesterday, the temperature falling to 3 degrees below zero.

Fifty Miles an Hour.

A howling blizzard with the wind blowing fifty miles an hour is the report received from Denison, Tex. It is the worst storm in years. Thousands of cattle are dying from exposure.

Oklahoma Territory reports that the blizzard raging there is the worst that the territory has experienced in twenty years. All day yesterday the thermometers registered from 10 to 15 degrees below zero. The wind blew a hurricane from the north. No trains have arrived here since Wednesday night.

Condition of the Iron Trade.

Pittsburg, Feb. 8.—The American Manufacturer in its editorial on the official quotation of the iron and steel trade will say: It is evident that there is something of an improvement in the iron and steel trade, as the better condition noted some weeks ago continues, and there is considerable activity in several lines. At the same time the better state of affairs has not yet produced any effect on prices which with a few exceptions remain as they have been for some time past.

Boiler Explosion.

Roanoke, Va., Feb. 8.—As an eastbound freight train was going into a switch at the curve tank here the locomotive boiler exploded and Fireman Dean Henry was instantly killed and Engineer John King died from his injuries. He was blown to the river bank, some distance away, and his body was not found for thirty-five minutes. Both men reside in Roanoke.

Mated but Not Matched.

Richland, Mich., Feb. 8.—Jos. Grant, aged 77, shot his wife twice yesterday, once in the hand and once in the head. He then turned the revolver against himself and fired a shot into his breast, dying instantly. Mrs. Grant is not fatally injured. Family quarrels were the cause of the shooting.

Killed in a Coal Mine.

London, Feb. 8.—Seven men were killed by an explosion in the Timsbury colliery near Bristol yesterday.

ARE THE VESSELS SAFE?

La Gascogne Five Days Overdue and the Teutonic Late.

New York, Feb. 8.—With a blinding snow storm prevailing off Fire Island and at Sandy Hook it would be impossible this morning to convey the tidings of the sighting of the overdue French line steamer La Gascogne, even should she make her way up through the ice floes.

The marine observer at Sandy Hook telegraphed last night that the weather was so thick that he could not see the channel, and signals from any incoming steamer would be unobserved. The first news, therefore, will probably come from Quarantine, should La Gascogne make this harbor this morning.

While La Gascogne is now nearly five days overdue, the White Star steamer Teutonic, which should have reached here Wednesday morning, has not been heard from.

August Forget, the agent of the French line in this city, said to-day that he had not yet begun to grow anxious. He is confident that some trifling accident has happened to La Gascogne's machinery.

The anxiety about the ship has taken practical form among the marine underwriters in this city.

The Rhynland, from Antwerp, is also more than a day overdue, all of which sets forth the fact that the delay is general all round.

A dispatch from Halifax yesterday afternoon is the effect that the steamer Alpha, from West Indian ports, is three days overdue, and it is thought possible she may have some information regarding the missing French.

ELBE'S AGENTS INDIGNANT.

They Object to the Publication of Sensational Stories.

New York, Feb. 8.—The North German Lloyd Steamship company has sent out the following statement:

"Pending the official inquiry into the collision and sinking of the, Elbe neither the company nor its agents can make reply to the sensational stories and charges printed, further than to point to the conflicts in the statements made."

Passengers' stories must always be received with even more than the proverbial grain of salt, and the stories going the round of the press with respect to the behavior of the crew on board of the Elbe in that terrible moment do not seem worthy of credence. The North German Lloyd has been practically found to blame by some journals on the strength of a few distorted facts given by irresponsible people laboring under the excitement naturally born of a great disaster, and eked out by other details which are on the face of them conflicting.

The same papers publish a letter signed by British shipowners strongly urging a suspension of judgment in the face of the conflicting statements, pointing out that the mouths of the crew, owners and agents are closed pending the official inquiry.

THE STORM ON THE OCEAN.

Ships Arrive Telling of Violent Gales and Heavy Seas.

New York, Feb. 8.—The Anchor line steamer Circassia, from Glasgow, Prince line steamer Black Prince, from Mediterranean ports, and Trinidad, from Bermuda, arrived last evening, each in turn telling a story of extremely violent gales and heavy seas during the latter part of their voyages.

On Feb. 5, the Black Prince, during a heavy westerly gale, was boarded by tremendous high seas, which started and smashed two of her port bow plates, flooding the gangways and forecastle. Bales of waste were used to fill up the holes in her bow. The vessel had bad weather all the passage.

The Circassia ran into easterly gales when she crossed the banks and had a succession of gales to port, but sustained no damage.

The Trinidad had heavy west and northwest gales all the voyage and was twenty-four hours late.

The Alvena, from the West Indies, had strong northeast gales throughout her voyage.

Children Meet Death.

Concord, N. H., Feb. 8.—At Andover Centre yesterday, two little girls, children of Frank J. Boyd, a brakeman on the Northern railroad, were burned to death in their home. Mrs. Boyd went out to make a call on a neighbor, leaving the children to amuse themselves by cutting paper dolls. When the mother returned after an absence of less than half an hour she found the older child dead and the other so badly burned that she died in two hours.

Last of the Cook Gang.

Tulsa, I. T., Feb. 8.—Jim French and "Verdigris Kid," two of the members of the Cook gang, were killed last night while attempting to rob the general store of W. C. Patton & Co., at Cattosa, fifteen miles east of here. Sam B. Irvine, manager for W. C. Patton & Co., was shot and seriously injured, although it is not known how badly. These outlaws were members of the noted Cook gang and are the last of the desperate lot.

Wreck on the N. O. & N. Railroad.

New Orleans, Feb. 8.—A northbound freight on the New Orleans & Northeastern railroad was wrecked near Purvis, Miss., about one hundred miles north of here yesterday, killing one negro tramp and mortally wounding two others. The train was ditched, smashing fourteen loaded cars. The train crew were uninjured. The accident was caused by a broken drawhead.

Death of a Journalist.

Washington, Feb. 8.—Edward Quinn, formerly correspondent here of the Milwaukee Times, and afterwards of the Milwaukee Journal, dropped dead in the rooms of the National Capital Press Club at an early hour this morning. He was lately engaged as press agent of Prof. Fanciulli, of the Marine Band.

Whiskey Did It.

Binghamton, N. Y., Feb. 8.—Elmer Walker, 34 years of age, coachman for Dr. J. G. Orton, took a large dose of carbolic acid while in an intoxicated condition Tuesday evening and died from the effects of the poison yesterday.

Bank Robbery.

Durant, Miss., Feb. 8.—Burglars entered the bank here last night and secured between $500 and $1,000. Two suspicious characters have been arrested, and a posse is pursuing several suspicious parties.

THE BOND BILL KILLED

Administration Measure Is Defeated in the House.

Bryan's Amendment Rejected—The Schemes Sprung by Reed and Others Failed—No Fire Water for Indians—Good Feeling Among Senators Restored.

Washington, Feb. 8.—The house discussed plans for financial relief three days and refused by decisive votes to pass any one of them. When the committee of the whole met, three propositionsitions were reported to the house for its action—the original Springer bill (known as the administration bill) proposing the issue of $500,000,000 3 per cent. 50-year gold bonds, as amended by the committee of the whole; the substitute proposed by Mr. Reed, authorizing the issue of 2 per cent certificates of indebtedness to meet current deficiencies in the revenue, and bonds to cover the deficiency in the gold reserve with an amendment proposed by Mr .Bryan (dem., Neb.), reaffirming the declaration of the Matthews' resolution of 1878, to the effect that coin obligation of the government are payable in standard silver dollars at its option and the substitute of Mr. Cox (dem. Tenn.), containing a rehabilitation of state banks, with an amendment proposed by Mr. Cobb (dem., Ala.), expressly declining to confer the right to issue bonds upon the secretary of the treasury.

Mr. Bryan's amendment was rejected—yeas, 127; nays, 169; then Mr. Reed's substitute went the same way by a vote of 109 to 187. This was nearly a party vote, the populists and democrats in opposition and republicans in favor of the substitute.

In the Senate.

The personal altercation between Senators Mitchell (rep., Ore.) and Harris (dem., Tenn.), a few days ago, was recalled yesterday by the action of Mr. Mitchell, in presenting the report which he had withdrawn on that occasion, and in making the explanation of it which he had been prevented from doing. The report and the remarks had reference to the claims for sugar bounties, and the effect was (as the committee on claims was equally divided), simply to leave the matter—amounting to about $8,000,000—to be passed upon by the committee on appropriations and the senate. At the close of the day's session suitable expressions of regret for the unpleasant occurrence alluded to, were made by both the senators. The diplomatic bill was before the senate up to the hour of adjournment, when it went over without action on the item for the construction of a telegraphic cable between the United States and the Hawaiian Islands.

Speeches were made by Senator Higgins (rep., Del.) in favor of the item and by Senators Palmer (dem., Ill.) and Caffery (dem., La.), against it.

Mr. Palmer, reciting a sentence from Mr. Teller's (rep., Col.), speech of the previous day: "Oh for an hour of Marcy, Clay and Webster," exclaimed "Oh for an hour of Charles Sumner, who would not consent to the annihilation of the negro republic of San Domingo. Is there no one who will speak for the helpless people of the Hawaiian islands who have been robbed and who are now governed by agencies that are as desperate as can be imagined?"

An amendment offered by Mr. Bland to redeem the treasury notes issued under the Sherman law in accordance with section 3 of that act and to coin the seigniorage of the silver bullion in the treasury into standard dollars, was defeated by a vote of 114 to 209.

The house committee on Indian affairs authorized a favorable report on the bill to prohibit the sale of intoxicating liquors to Indians under the charge of the United States or on lands allotted to Indians.

Dr. Mallory of Florida from the committee on interstate and foreign commerce reported to the house the house substitute for the senate Nicaragua canal bill. In his report he says that in the judgment of the house committee the house bill heretofore reported by it possesses essential features that will commend it to a more favorable consideration in the house than will be accorded the senate bill.

Navigation Stopped by Ice.

Elizabeth, N. J., Feb. 8.—The steamer Advance and four powerful tugs were kept at work last night and this morning breaking the ice in Staten Island sound between here and Tremley Point, so that the numerous factories along the sound could get their supplies. The vessels had hard work, and it was with the greatest difficulty they managed to make any headway, as the ice froze together again almost as fast as broken and navigation through the Kills is suspended to-day. A number of vessels are ice-bound at the wharves in this city.

Landed from a Wreck.

Panama, Feb. 8.—Some 200 passengers from the French steamer Amerique, which went ashore near Cape Augusta, several days ago, were landed at Colon yesterday by the steamship Ville de Marseille. They say that the Amerique, her mails and her cargo are a total loss. Her hull is now under water and only her masts are in sight. The passengers, who were taken ashore in small boats, lost all their clothing and most of their money, but none of them was drowned. The only person lost in the wreck was a sailor.

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Antique oak chiffoniers with mirrors, only	$8.75
Mahogany finished frame parlor suits, in silk covering, only	$40
Dining-room chairs, high back, antique oak, per set only	$7.50
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DEATH OF J. AUG. HINCHMAN.

He Was a Prominent Figure in Hotel Netherwood Life.

Col. J. Augustus Hinchman died suddenly of apoplexy yesterday morning at Van Court Inn, Roselle, where he had been spending the Winter. He was at the head of the Bureau of Information of the Metropolitan Telephone Company, 18 Cortlandt street, New York, and was well-known among the business men throughout the city. He was born in Morris County, this State, 68 years ago. In 1850 he went to California, and was for several years Assistant Postmaster of San Francisco. He returned East in 1862 to accept a position with the Western Union Telegraph Company in New York city Later he became chief clerk to Postmaster James. For the past three years he had been connected with the Metropolitan Telephone Company. For several seasons he was prominent in the social events of Hotel Netherwood, and was a valued Summer-resort correspondent of The Daily Press.

Buds That Feel the Cold.

Some rash black birches were betrayed into swelling their buds during the January thaw, with the result that the cold of the last two weeks destroyed the embryo leaves. It rarely happens that plants indigenous to the region suffer thus. The annual danger to the peach trees lies in the fact that they grow north of their natural habitat, and doubtless the same is true of the oranges in this country. The fig escapes the frosts of many Winters as far north as the southern extremity of Maryland, but it is nipped now and again, just by way of reminder that it is out of its latitude.

To Accommodate Travel to the Catskills.

Kingston, Feb 8—The Ulster and Delaware Railroad Company has decided to extend its tracks to Kingston Point, a mile up the Hudson from Rondout. This will allow the Albany day boats to load their Catskill Mountain passengers direct at the trains instead of at Rhinebeck, across the river. At Kingston Point a large dock and terminal station will be built. The work will be begun in the Spring.

Want to Get Back.

It is reported that Arthur A. Zimmerman and Harry O. Wheeler are greatly dissatisfied with professional racing and are anxious to secure reinstatement to Class B. With this object in view they propose, it is said, to apply to the National Assembly at their meeting Feb. 18.

Struck by the Blizzard.

A hackman at the North Avenue station yesterday afternoon had considerable difficulty in attending to business, on account of being under the influence of liquor. After securing a passenger from one of the trains, he had to be assisted by a friend in getting the man to his destination.

Body-Building.

Since Jan. 1, Physical Director MacPhie of the Y. M. C. A., has examined 119 young men and 46 boys for work in the gymnasium.

To accomodate the increased growth in the gymnasium classes, 30 extra pairs of dumb bells and 30 Indian clubs have been purchased and put into use.

Monday Afternoon Club.

The Monday Afternoon Club will hold a special meeting for instruction in parliamentary rules and practice, in the parlors of the Crescent Avenue Church next Monday, Feb. 11, at 3 p. m. David P. Hall of this place has kindly consented to speak on the subject.

Patriotic Red Men.

Miantonomoh Tribe, I. O. R. M., will celebrate Washington's Birthday in a fitting manner. There will be an address, entertainment, dance and collation, and all the friends of the tribe will be invited to accept their hospitality.

Haymakers to Eat.

Miantonomoh Association, No. 118½, Haymakers, will be revived Friday evening, Feb. 15. State President E. S. Lake will be present and make an address. A collation will be served afterwards, under Rule 17.

A Des Moines woman who has been troubled with frequent colds, concluded to try an old remedy in a new way, and accordingly took a tablespoonful (four times the usual dose) of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy just before going to bed. The next morning she found that her cold had almost entirely disappeared. During the day she took a few doses of the remedy (one teaspoonful at a time) and at night again took a tablespoonful before going to bed, and on the following morning awoke free from all symptoms of the cold. Since then she has, on several occasions, used this remedy in like manner with the same good results, and is much elated over her discovery of so quick a way of curing a cold. For sale at Reynolds's pharmacy, Park and North aves. T. S. Armstrong, manager.

THE BLOCKADE BROKEN.

Traffic Resumed in Town and on Railroad.

TRIBULATIONS OF THE POSTMEN.

They Plough Their Way Through Heavy Drifts, and Keep Snow-bound Householders in Touch with the Outside World.

It was a lucky thing for the men who recently took the mail-carriers civil-service examination that they were not on duty yesterday, for the strength of even the oldest, in point of service, among the carriers was severely taxed in the attempt to cover the route. Yet each man made the regulation trips in spite of the many drifts, though all were thoroughly exhausted on their return to the office.

William Demarest covered his Netherwood district on horseback and encountered numerous drifts varying from 4 to 7 feet.

E. T. Dunn, who visits Clinton avenue and adjacent points, managed to pull through many deep snow piles in his sleigh, getting stuck several times, however, and being obliged to shovel himself out.

William B. Sharp, who looks after the residents of Washington Park and its surroundings, says the drifts in many places were shoulder high in upper Rockview avenue.

E. T. VanWinkle, whose route extends from the Park Avenue Baptist church pretty well out toward Metuchen, reports that Cedar Brook was frozen over for the first time in seven years, and drifts were met with beyond the brook which were well-nigh impassable.

John Neighbor did nothing but climb to the top of a drift and use his mail-bag as a toboggan to carry him down on the other side, while covering his route in the vicinity of East Second and Berckman streets.

J. F. Mullen who is so short that he could not see over some of the drifts in the neighborhood of the Pond Tool Works, simply got down and tunneled through them, pushing his pouch in front of him. While removing the mail from the Grant avenue box the gale lifted Mullen off his feet and landed him in the middle of the road.

J. W. A. Bauersachs, who looks after the territory adjacent to Summit, Fairview, Grandview and Westervelt avenues, slipped near Westervelt avenue, and fell headfirst into a seven-foot drift, and struggled out just as the piano in a neighboring house struck up "Swim out, O'Grady, swim out."

Substitute R. J. Reville, who covers the Third ward, reports six-foot drifts near Seventh street and Plainfield avenue.

All of the carriers were frequently obliged to break their own paths, even on their afternoon trips, so rapidly did the boisterous wind refill the cuts. Many kind-hearted citizens provided steaming coffee or hot beef tea for the chilled and snow-covered men, a favor which was duly appreciated by the recipients.

There were but three mails up to six o'clock last evening, a fact which of course somewhat lessened the labor of the carriers, yet they all knew they had been working when they hung up their pouches for the night. The mails referred to were a New York mail at 9:45 a. m., a mail from the South shortly after noon, and three sacks from New York which arrived at 5:10 p. m. All of them were overdue.

The Central trains were all run without regard to time-sheet schedules, there being nothing for Philadelphia between No. 511 which arrived at Plainfield station at 12:50 and No. 525 which reached here at 7:33 p. m. Trains numbered 12 and 14 on the time-sheet eastbound from Easton were combined in one, arriving here at 8 p. m., two hours overdue. One freight only passed through this city during the day, and that was composed of sections of two eastbound fast freights. The first of these two trains is due to pass the station at 1:35 a. m., but did not reach here until 3:45 p. m.

The first train on the Long Branch division plowed its way through at 2 p. m., while the Newark branch was clear at noon and the trains followed time schedules more closely than any other portion of the Central system.

The B. and O. drawbridge over Staten Island Sound at Cartaret was caught by the wind and spun around like a top, stripping off the cogs and disabling the machinery to such an extent that the bridge must be repaired before it can be used again.

The Singer Sewing Machine Company's freight tug "Clark", carrying a crew of eleven, stuck fast in the ice of the Sound and the men suffered fearfully from the cold, one of the men being taken to the General Hospital on arriving at the dock.

The sidewheel steamer "New Brunswick", from New Brunswick to New York, is stuck fast in the ice on Staten Island Sound, and she will be obliged to remain there until the ice breaks up.

The skating is excellent all over the Sound, thousands having taken advantage of this unusual opportunity for sport yesterday and this morning.

Tom Birch, an employe of the Singer Sewing Machine Company Company, found the only weak spot in the ice yesterday morning while making a short cut from his home to the factory, and was fished out with difficulty by some dock hands, in a semi-conscious condition. The doctor who was summoned entertains grave fears that his involuntary bath will bring on pneumonia.

Many tugs are frozen fast at their anchorage. During the night trains occasionally puffed into the station, wholly regardless of time schedules, and in most cases pulled by two huge engines. A snow plow pushed by two "hogbacks" went noisily up the road at 10:33 Several passenger trains with one or two weary travelers aboard slid in and out between 10:30 and midnight. Train No. 16 from Easton due at 8:30 pulled in with two engines and a mixed crew at 12:09 and left three passengers from western points. All western trains were from two to six hours overdue. Freights were stalled all over the system, the weary trackmen and shovelers, many of whom have had no sleep since the storm commenced, having more than they could do to dig out the passenger trains. The train scheduled as No 520, due here at 6:54 p. m. from Philadelphia, pulled by two "hogbacks", ran into a snowbank in the cut just east of Belle Mead, both engines jumped the track and ploughed into the drift, blocking both tracks.

The cut is one of the worst on the road and the drifting snow soon piled high above the smoke stacks. The wrecked engines are being dug out but the tracks cannot be cleared for many hours and Superintendent Peddle of the Central division has issued orders that no Philadelphia trains will run in either direction today. South Branch trains from Flemington are arriving from twenty to thirty minutes late.

The train from Allentown via Easton, due at Plainfield station 10:04, pulled in with two snowplad engines in the lead over an hour behind schedule. Freights are not moving anywhere on the Central system and the freight-house crew are having a vacation in consequence. Mails are arriving irregularly and open very light.

The Southern mail due here at 6:15 a. m. arrived via Elizabeth at 9:32. Few New York mails had been received at time of going to press, the 8:16 which was half an hour late bringing but little as compared with the usual amount.

Very little expressage came in yesterday, delivery being suspended until 11 a. m., when a sleigh made the rounds with perishable goods. This morning only two of the usual fifteen express cars arrived up to 12 o'clock, and they were running very light.

Many edibles have taken a temporary rise in price because of this delay.

It will be days before the railroads will again assume their normal condition.

Over 200 Western Union messages were sent from the local office yesterday, by far the largest business since the blizzard of '88 and unlike that memorable occasion the wires worked perfectly all day. This morning Foreman Meyers of the New York office is putting up a solid cable at the station from which the wires will diverge to the office key board, making a much needed improvement over the old nest of individual wires. This fact has no connection with the storm however, having been contemplated for some time.

A Stranger, But Knew Where to Get a Good Coat.

A colored man, a stranger in Plainfield, passing Harry Werner's clothing store about 6 last evening, was tempted by the coats worn by the dummies.

Thereupon he lifted a nice warm ulster from one of the figures and then walked away.

John Hodgetts, a salesman for Mr. Werner, happened to be standing in the front part of the store, prior to going to supper, and caught sight of the theft.

He saw the man go into the butcher shop opposite, and started after him. The man with the coat then went down the street on a run, and when the store of the Sherman Outfitting Company was reached he threw the coat off, leaving it on the sidewalk. Mr. Hodgetts was unable to catch him. This is the third recent attempt to steal one of Mr. Werner's sample coats. Everybody covets such good clothing.

To Go to Rahway.

Iona Council and Miantonomoh Tribe have accepted an invitation to attend an entertainment and social to be given by Ahwahneeta Tribe, in Rahway, next Friday evening.

Four Big Successes.

Having the needed merit to more than make good all the advertising claimed for them, the following four remedies have reached a phenomenal sale. Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption, coughs and colds, each bottle guaranteed—Electric Bitters, the great remedy for liver, stomach and kidneys. Bucklen's Arnica Salve, the best in the world, and Dr. King's New Life Pills, which are a perfect pill. All these remedies are guaranteed to do just what is claimed for them and the dealer whose name is attached herewith will be glad to tell you more of them. Sold at L. W. Randolph's drug store.

BY THE WAY.

—Baker Henry Lieike has placed a cash register in his store on West Front street.

—A stupid mistake: she forgot to visit Peck's store before leaving town, and now she has the grip.

—Few of the stores were kept open last evening after 6, as the intense cold put business at a standstill.

—No Christian Endeavor meeting was held at the First Baptist Church last evening on account of the elements.

—The snow was removed from the roof of the East Third Street Mission building today, preparatory to a coat of paint which will be put on next week.

—J. T. Vail is kept busy securing tenants for houses and houses for tenants. He is reliable and popular not only in the real-estate business but in insurance matters as well, placing policies that are surely paid if loss comes.

—The special car containing the scenery and effects of "Shaft No. 2" company did not stop in this city yesterday as Station Agent Joseph Haynes sent word to hold it at Elizabeth, on account of postponement of the show, but the word was received too late. The car was sent on to Somerville.

Plainfielders Stormstalled.

A telegram was received from M. C. Dobbins this forenoon, dated at Hopewell, which said that the Plainfield delegation had been on the road from Trenton since 4 p. m. yesterday, and that owing to a wreck near Hopewell they were unable to get home.

They expect, however, to reach Plainfield late this afternoon.

In case the train is unable to move, a relief train will be sent from Bound Brook to Hopewell and the passengers will be transferred and brought through.

Dickie Can't Come.

Samuel Dickie, who was announced to speak at the Gospel temperance meeting in Music Hall, Sunday, Feb. 10, has been suddenly called home to Michigan.

Consequently the meeting has been indefinitely postponed. It is hoped Prof. Dickie will come to this city in the near future, as he is one of the most pleasing speakers on the platform, incontrovertible in argument, but withal kind, winsome and witty.

Lesson of the Blizzard.

There is a difference of opinion as to whether the recent blizzard was as fierce as the blizzard of 1888, but there is no doubt in the average mind as to the need of caring for the eyes, and seeking the best advice regarding the preservation of the sight. For expert information in this regard call at Collier's, where examinations are free.

Trolley Cars Run Again.

The street cars were able to make trips on the main line yesterday afternoon at 4:30, though they were not able to run on time. To-day cars are running as close to schedule as possible.

The Somerset street branch was opened this morning. The scraper was used almost all day, and it is expected that by tonight travel will be resumed on both lines on scheduled time.

Singing After Business.

The meeting of Somerset Council, No. 109, J. O. U. A. M., last evening, was fairly well attended, and very interesting After the meeting there were several vocal solos rendered by Brothers Kreitling, Guttman and Bird of 109, and Theo. Kurzhals and Harry Cook of Franklin, No. 41.

Hot Springs of Plainfield.

Cedar brook, running through James E. Martine's property, is not frozen over, neither is a pond on his premises. A vapor arises from the brook, and from the pond, but neither is frozen. The cause is said to be because both are running spring water.

Cedar Brook Hospitality.

The postman who braved snowdrifts and cold to deliver the mail at Cedar Brook Farm homestead instead of leaving it at the mail box at the entrance, was rewarded by a little hot collation by the farmer occupants.

An Indoor Cycle.

An addition to the Y. M. C. A. gymnasium will probably be a stationary bicycle for exercising the muscles of the legs and the arms.

Treatment of Eczema and Salt Rheum

These two complaints are so tenacious that the readers of The Press should know of the success obtained by using Dr. David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy. Where all other treatments have failed, it has made a complete cure.

Perhaps no more horrible case of Salt Rheum was ever reported than that of Wilbur L. Hale quartermaster, Pratt Post, G. A. R., Rondout, N. Y. Several physicians utterly failed to render him any relief; finally one of the physicians suggested that Dr. Kennedy's Favorite Remedy be tried, and steady improvement followed its use, and a permanent cure resulted.

It is used with similar success in cases of scrofula, nervousness, kidney and liver complaints, and in all diseases brought about by bad blood and shattered nerves.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

Mrs. George Moore is ill at her home on Elm street.

Lewis Bond has given up his position with I. H. Boehm.

Frank Smalley of Somerset street was taken ill with the grip yesterday.

H. A. Ostermoor is confined to his home on Belvidere avenue with the grip.

Miss Huff, Howard and Earl Huff, of Emily street, are victims of the grip.

John H. Doane has returned to the Commercial Palace after a short illness.

Miss Mattie Cook of North avenue left today to spend a week with friends in Flemington.

A whist party was enjoyed at the residence of John Messerschmidt, Jackson avenue, last evening.

Fred Smalley of Somerset street, assistant to Photographer Langhorne, is ill with a heavy cold.

Mrs. Charles E. Horne of Willow avenue returned from Brooklyn yesterday after a short stay with relatives in that city.

The Senate yesterday confirmed the nomination of Herbert W. Bowen to be Consul-General at Barcelona, Spain. The appointee is a brother of Henry E. Bowen of Watchung avenue.

Miss Elizabeth U. Yates, the attractive and talented worker for the W. C. T. U., is expected to address the meetings of the W. C. T. U. at their rooms tomorrow at 9 a. m. and 4 p. m.

Professor Samuel Dickie, who will address the W. C. T. U. meeting in Music Hall tomorrow afternoon, is chairman of the National Prohibition Executive Committee, and is known as one of the finest orators in the nation.

B. O. Bowers of LaGrande avenue was three hours reaching Plainfield from New York yesterday afternoon. A large number of commuters did not reach home at all last night, on account of the irregularity of trains.

A. M. Frazee, Dr. Adams and Wm. T. Kirk represented Plainfield at the Palestine Commandery ball in Madison Square Garden Thursday evening. Wm. Sebring went to New York with the intention of going to the ball, but the storm prevented. Mr. Frazee returned at 9:15 last evening.

Clearing the Streets.

Street Commissioner Meeker did creditable work in having the huge snowbanks on North and Park avenues leveled in the roadway for sleighing, thus saving expensive carting away.

The mountain of snow in front of the First National Bank was carted away by Mr. Meeker's gang.

J. H. McVey used a hose of hot water in freeing his sidewalk of snow and ice.

The Income Tax.

Counselor Chas. A. Reed explains for the benefit of those who do not yet understand the income-tax law, that Feb. 10 is the date by which blanks must be secured to be filled; and return of the blank, filled by the income-taxpayer, must be made by the first Monday in March.

Grace Church Mission Service

Rev. R. S. Barrett, D. D., the General Missioner of the Parochial Missions Society, will conduct a mission in Grace Church, beginning February 14 and continuing until the 24th.

The object of the services is to enlighten the conscience, and invigorate the spiritual life of those who attend them. They are not intended solely for Grace parishioners, but for the benefit of all who will come to them, and all will be welcome. Sermons will be preached and instruction given by the missioner at these services, on subjects of personal religion and Christian belief and practice.

The services will be as follows:

Sundays—An early celebration of the Holy Communion at 7:30 a. m.; morning prayer, etc. at 10; children's service at 3:30 p. m.; evening prayer at 7:45.

Other days—Morning prayer at 10; instruction in the Christian life at 10:30 a. m.; evening prayer at 4; mission service, sermon and "After Meeting" at 8 p. m.; Holy Communion on Wednesday and Friday at 7:30 a. m.

Made Way for the Vets.

Commander W. W. Cortell of Post 73, this city, who attended the G. A. R. Encampment at Trenton, says that the reception given the Veterans by the Legislators of the Capitol city far exceeded anything of previous years.

The free use of the State House and legislative halls was given without reserve, and adjournment of the Legislature was made while the delegation from the Encampment was present.

The Sound Frozen Over.

Staten Island Sound is still solidly frozen over, and a roadway is being used by pedestrians to and from the island to Elizabethport. Several vessels are frozen up a half mile from their docks. The fall of snow has hidden the Sound from view, and it cannot be distinguished from the meadows.

—The enterprising young men of the North Plainfield Public School have organized a secret society known as the Phi Kappa Phi.

Mrs. Emily Thorne, who resides at Toledo, Washington, says she has never been able to procure any medicine for rheumatism that relieves the pain so quickly and effectually as Chamberlain's Pain Balm and that she has also used it for lame back with great success. For sale at Reynolds's pharmacy, Park and North aves. T. S. Armstrong, manager.

HIGH SCHOOL NOTEBOOK.

All members of the High School will be sorry to learn that Mr. Travell's attack of the grip has developed into pneumonia. Miss Sherwin will act as teacher of the Senior class until his return.

Frank, the colored janitor, is now suffering from a badly frozen ear, which he received in trying to remove the heavy snowfall yesterday.

Neither of the French classes met yesterday afternoon, on account of the severity of the weather.

The Kappa Delta Phi met yesterday. No business was transacted, the society simply adjourning until next Friday afternoon.

The High School Lyceum held no meeting, as the members deemed it inadvisable to return in the afternoon.

Mr. Allen, teacher of the sciences, assisted by several of the members of the Geology class, spent the latter part of yesterday morning and yesterday afternoon in arranging the mineralogical collection in the hall on the third floor and analyzing a number of uncatalogued specimens.

The Senior class have secured a number of samples of class pins, but popular opinion does not seem to rest on any certain pin.

Charles F. Holck, formerly the science teacher at the High School, is seriously ill at Cornell. Overwork is said to be the cause of his illness.

Helping a Veteran.

Joseph Skelton of South Bethlehem, who has been stopping in Little Falls, Essex County, for some time past, came to Plainfield last evening about 5, with no money nor place to sleep. He was on his way to his home, and was unable to go any farther.

Mr. Skelton is a Grand Army man, and belongs to the Post in South Bethlehem. He called at M. C. Dobbins's cigar store, where friends provided him with a supper, and later they took him to Cooper's Hotel, where he was given lodging for the night and breakfast this morning.

Today he was assisted to South Bethlehem.

He did not have the appearance of a tramp, and was loth to apply for help, and only did so because he was obliged to.

The Patient Blind Hymn-Writer.

(From The Elizabeth Journal.)

Few hymns by modern writers have been sung more frequently or more fervently than those of Fanny J. Crosby. There is hardly a modern Sunday-school hymn book that does not contain several beautiful hymns of her writing. In almost every house in the land, and in every Sunday-school, her hymns are sung. Yet it is not universally known that this gifted lady is blind, and that in addition to writing hymns she does a great deal of other Sunday-school work. She recently addressed large audiences in Plainfield, speaking for nearly an hour in one church. She has been blind since her childhood, but does not now consider it a privation, since her faculties are quickened in many other ways as if in part compensation.

A Double-Century of Membership.

Royal Arcanum, No. 711, will have a glorious entertainment Monday evening, Feb 11, on its initiation of its two-hundredth member. The great and celebrated Crosier of Orange will give some of his choice selections, and will be assisted by James R. Phillips with his comic selections, Frederick J. Pope with his baritone solos, and W. E. MacClymont with piano selections.

Every member should be present, and enjoy the lovefeast.

Opening the New Building.

Following is the programme for the opening of the new Y. M. C. A. Building Tuesday evening, Feb. 12:

Scripture reading, Rev. Dr. D. J. Yerkes; prayer, Rev. Cornelius Schenck; address, Hon. Alexander Gilbert; singing double male quartette; address, President W. D. Murray; address, Rev. Dr. W. R. Richards; double male quartette; reception.

Death of Miss Terry.

The death of Miss Tillie Terry, which occurred this morning at 6:30 at her home on Richmond street, will be learned with deep sorrow by a large circle of friends.

Miss Terry had been ill for some time, but only for the past two weeks had she been confined to her bed.

The bereaved ones have the sympathy of all in their time of mourning.

The Bacon Matter.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE DAILY PRESS: You will please state to your numerous readers that the slice of bacon the young lady got and the additional quantity was not the real-estate Bacon in the Babcock Building. F. M. BACON.

O. W. O. Hardman, sheriff of Tyler Co., W. Va., appreciates a good thing and does not hesitate to say so. He was almost prostrated with a cold when he procured a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. He says: "It gave me prompt relief. I find it to be an invaluable remedy for coughs and colds." For sale at Reynolds's pharmacy, Park and North aves. T. S. Armstrong, manager.

MISS ANNA GOULD TO WED.

Announcement of Her Engagement Comte de Castellane.

Paris, Feb. 9.—The Comte de Castellane, whose engagement to Miss Anna Gould, of New York, is announced, belongs to one of the oldest families in France, their patents dating back to the years 1,000. Prior to that, the heads of the family were princes of Provence and vassals of Charlemagne. The family succession includes many chevaliers of the Ordre de Saint Esprit.

The count's great-grandfather was Marshal de Castellane, who was a famous soldier during the first empire and his grandfather was a deputy under the reigne of Louis Philippe.

His father, the present Marquis de Castellane, was a monarchist deputy in 1871, and since that time has been well known as a literature, his works on modern French history ranking among the classic writings.

The Marquise de Castellane, mother of the comte, is a niece of the Comte de Guigne, whose family is of the creme de la creme of Paris. The Paris residence of the Marquis, and likewise that of the Comte de Castellane, is at No.oo 1 Boulevard de la Tour-Mauborg, and their country residence at he Chateau de Rochecotte, Louraine, where the great Talleyrand, who was an uncle of the present Marquis, lived for twenty years.

The fortune of the marquis consists of land valued at 7,000,000 francs. The Comte de Castellane is a member of the Cercle de l'Union. He is a good horseman and a clever draughtsman.

WHAT VESSEL IS THIS?

An Unknown Ocean Liner Near Thatcher's Island.

Gloucester, Mass., Feb. 9.—The captain and crew of schooner John E. McKenzie say the steamer they saw about dark last evening was steering south-southwest and came quite near, but they could not make out her name. She was steaming slowly and was about fourteen miles south of Thatchers island. They thought at the time that she was the Teutonic. Captain McLeod, of schooner Fannie W. Freeman, who was in the locality of the McKenzie, believes that her crew was mistaken in the ship, for just before dark a large two pole masted steamer, deeply laden, spoke to them, asked how Minot's light bore and if they had seen a pilot. He gave her the course southwest, but she steered half a point south of that. McLeod is sure that the steamer he saw was not the Teutonic, as she is a three-masted ship. The steamer spoken was badly iced-up, hailed from Liverpool, but her name could not be seen. The wind has changed to the west and is still blowing heavily, but the vessels at anchor in the harbor are clear of danger. The fishing fleet suffered greatly by losing dories, fishing gear and everything moveable from their decks, while a large number lost spars, sails and rigging. Several wharves and buildings along the water front are a complete wreck and the damage done is estimated at upwards of $50,000. The mercury is below zero and still falling.

CHASED BY THE ENEMY.

Chee Foo Cannonaded by the Retreating Chinese.

London, Feb. 9.—The Central News correspondent in Tokio telegraphs that Admiral Ito reports from Wei-Hai-Wei under the date of February 7

"While we were bombarding the forts the enemy's torpedo fleet issued from the harbor. A flying squadron chased them and disabled twelve of them, either by sinking them or driving them ashore.

"Captain Samessima reports that in passing Chee Foo harbor he witnessed a heavy cannonade directed towards the harbor, into which shells from the land guns could be seen dropping. He presumed that this outrage was committed by retreating Chinese. The English, French, German, Russian and American warships were in the harbor."

The same correspondent says: "Kai Ping reports mention cannonading in the direction of Ying-Kow, where it is supposed ew troops are drilling and making ready for the advance. The enemy's scouts frequently approach the Japanese advanced lines from two directions. There are no signs of a Chinese retreat. Evidently the enemy are in camp. More than thirty guns have been counted among them by the Japanese."

Malicious Libelling.

Philadelphia, Feb. 9.—The trial of William T. Andrews on the charge of maliciously libelling Filbert Porter & Co., the builders of the Queen Lane Reservoir, by alleging that the contractors defrauded the city out of $350,000 in connection with the work, came to a sudden halt yesterday when Andrews pleaded guilty. The prosecution had finished its case and Andrews, being called to defend himself, his counsel, Joseph P. McCullen, announced that the defendant desired to plead guilty as indicted, and would ask for the court's mercy. Judge Thayer fined Andrews $1,000.

Horses Perish in the Flames.

Fishkill Landing, N. Y., Feb. 9.—Fire here this morning destroyed Peattie Brothers' livery stable and carriage repository. Twenty horses perished in the flames. A block of buildings adjoining the table, with their contents, were also burned. The loss is $100,000; insurance $20,000. On account of the blizzard, which was raging at the time of the fire, the fire department were unable to render any assistance until the buildings were nearly destroyed.

Murder in the First Degree.

New York, Feb. 9.—Among the indictments returned by the grand jury was one for murder in the first degree against Michal Considine. Considine shot John J. Malone, a saloon broker and man about town, in front of the St. James hotel on the night of January 28. Considine claimed that Malone had robbed him of large sums of money.

Safe Stolen.

Chicago, Feb. 9.—A small safe, in which the daily receipts of the American Express company's stock yards branch are transferred to the city office, was stolen from a Lake Shore train bound for this city last night. The amount of money taken was small. It is said the robbery was committed by men from a covered wagon. The safe was found on the tracks empty.

ANOTHER BOND ISSUE

Mr. Cleveland Tells Congress of a Contract.

For the Purpose of Keeping Up the Gold Reserve the President Declares That $62,400,000 Worth of Bonds Will Be Issued—Payable in Thirty Years.

Washington, Feb. 9.—Unless congress in ten days passes a law authorizing the issue of gold bonds bearing 3 per cent. interest and running thirty years or otherwise relieves the treasury in the replenishment of the gold reserve, which is highly improbable, Secretary will, by direction of the president, sell 4 per cent. bonds to the amount of $62,400,000 for gold.

Arrangements, whereby this can be done, and $65,000,000 in gold be received for the bonds, have been perfected and the contingent contract signed.

This official memorandum of the transaction was made public at the treasury yesterday afternoon:

"The contract was made with August Belmont & Co., of New York, on behalf of Messrs. N. M. Rothschild and J. P. Morgan & Co., of London, and themselves, and provides for the delivery to the United States of 3,500,000 ounces of standard gold coin of the United States, to be paid for in United States 4 per cent. bonds.

A large number of other banks and financial institutions are interested in the transaction, but their names are not mentioned in the contract itself. The department does not know in what proportions the various parties are to furnish the gold coin or receive the bonds, as this is a matter for arrangement between themselves.

"By the terms of the contract, the parties are to bear all the expense of bringing gold from abroad, and they are, so far as it lies in their power, to exert all their financial influence, and make all legitimate efforts to protect the treasury against withdrawals of gold pending complete performance of the contract.

"No bonds are to be delivered except in payment for gold actually delivered. In view of the possible failure of legislation in congress, negotiations have been pending for some time here and abroad, and the terms of this contract are the best that could be procured with a coin bond."

The contract was drawn up during the day by Attorney General Olney and Secretary Carlisle, and submitted to J. Lynde Stetson, counsel for the bankers. Mr. J. Pierrepont Morgan, the New York financer, is here and had a conference with Secretary Carlisle at the treasury when all unfinished details were perfected.

Mr. Belmont, it is understood, started for Washington but was snow bound en route, and, therefore, took no personal part in the completing details.

Messrs. Carlisle and Olney remained at the treasury depatment until nearly 1 o'clock, drawing up the contract, and when it was finished they joined the cabinet, which had assembled at 11 oo'clock.

The contract met the approval of the president and his advisers, and the memorandum subsequently made public contains the essential details of the contract.

No further gold withdrawals were reported to the treasury at the close of business. The gold reserve remains at $41,000,000 in round numbers.

When the message was read in the senate, announcing the proposed bond issue, it was received without any comment. It was referred to the committee on finance.

In the house the message was referred to the committee on ways and means.

Chairman Wilson will call the committee together to-day to consider the recommendation of the president.

The London Times on Our Situation.

London, Feb. 9.—The Times will say in a leader on the financial situation in the United States: "Whatever course Congress takes, we shall await the result with equanimity. As for the terms on which the United Sates get gold, nobody here cares a jot except the loaners, whose only concern is that higher interest be paid; but the United States treasury it will be a very real difference. The amount at stake is too large for even a rich nation to be careless about. It is for Congress, as a guardian of the public purse, to take this to account."

Cold Still Continues in Chicago.

Chicago, Feb. 9.—The official thermometer registered 13 degrees below zero yesterday—the coldest day of the winter by four degrees. The cold wave froze many ears, hands and feet, and the police found M. Carmody frozen to death at 132 West 18th street during the morning. Prof. Moore, the chief of the weather bureau here said the wave covered almost the entire country, the northwestern states and Canada getting the worst of it. Fifty-two degrees below zero was reported from across the border.

Non-Union Employes Arrested.

Wheeling, W. Va., Feb. 9.—All of the non-union employes of the Buckeye Glass works were arrested on warrants sworn out by union men, charging riot as a result of the shooting several days ago. An attempt to assassinate Manager Humphreys, of the works, was made by an unknown man, two shots whizzing by Humphrey's head. There is great excitement and fears of serious trouble at the hearing of non-unionists, which is set for this evening.

Storm in New Jersey.

New York, Feb. 9.—The storm in northern New Jersey was very severe. Country roads are completely blocked with snow and railroad cuts are filled with drifts. Trains on all roads are from five to ten hours late and many have been abandoned. Business in all towns is practically suspended.

Strangled Her Child.

New York, Feb. 9.—Mrs. Annie Pensal, aged 29 years, while temporarily insane, evidently from lack of food, yesterday strangled her six months old child, Mary. The woman was taken to the New York hospital where her case will receive attention.

THE TEUTONIC IS SAFE.

No News of La Gascogne, Which Hundreds Are Anxious to Obtain.

New York, Feb. 9.—A steamer supposed to be the Teutonic, passed in at Fire Island yesterday afternoon and Sandy Hook was looked to as the point from which something definite would be received in a few hours. However, up to an early hour this morning no information was obtainable from that point, beyond the fact that the lights of a steamer, which was anchored half a mile northwest of the light ship, had been visible twice. In vain did the marine observer flash the lantern in the hope of receiving signals from the steamer, but no answer was vouchsafed, and a thick haze setting in, excluded all objects from his view, preventing him from securing the desired intelligence which hundreds of anxious ones are eager to obtain. Had it been the Teutonic, or any large vessel, however, signals would probably have gone up from her.

No news of the French liner Gascogne has as yet been received. The agents of both lines express confidence in the abilility of their ships to reach port.

As yet there is no alarm over the late arrival of the Teutonic. The severity of the weather alone is sufficient to account for her delay, and the theory that she is standing by the Gascogne is quite generally credited. There is now little doubt that the Gascogne has met with an accident of some kind. Whether it is disabled machinery causing slow progress or something even more serious is but conjecture.

The Teutonic is reported by tug as being anchored off the Sandy Hook lightship at a late hour this morning.

Other steamers due at this port are the Rhynland, from Antwerp; Manitoba, from London; Oelbers, from Mediterranean ports, and several coasters.

HORSEWHIPPED IN AN OFFICE.

An Irate Mother Applies the Lash to Her Daughter's Lover.

Indianapolis, Feb. 9.—Fred Lorraine, who plays with Lloyd in Damon and Pythias, and who was leading man for Margaret Mather for several years, was horsewhipped in a newspaper office here yesterday by an irate mother. Lorraine was sitting with his back toward the door when the woman entered and lashed him fiercely across the back several times before any one was aware of her purpose.

The whip was taken from her by others and she sank exhausted into a chair. She told Lorraine she wished she had a revolver to shoot him. The woman's name is North and she resides in a suburb of this city.

Her daughter became enamored of Lorraine last fall while with his troupe playing in Indiana. Mrs. North claims that Lorraine is married and that he promised to marry her daughter. He procured a bogus marriage license and would have married her last Thursday had not the mother learned of the plan

PREPARING FOR WAR.

Mexico Purchases Large Quantities of Ammunition.

City of Mexico, Feb. 9.—Despite many signs of peace, Mexico continues her preparations for war, evidently distrusting Guatemala's professions. General Salamanca, chief artillery expert, left the city at the beginning of the week for Vera Cruz, to test the new Krupp guns. On Tuesday the government telegraphed him to return at once. President Diaz's aide-de-camp met him at the station with orders to start the same night for the United States to purchase one million Remington cartridges. The government has entered also into a contract for the purchase of 100 Maxim guns. It looks as if government feared President Barrios' peaceful protestation were meant merely to gain time. Still the general impression here is that war is not improbable, and the government is only taking precautions.

The hotels are full of Americans visitors, and several large purchasese of Mexican land have been made recently.

Business at a Standstill.

Rutland, Vt., Feb. 9.—The storm has ceased in this town. Nearly a foot of snow has fallen and is badly drifted. The railroads have suffered serious delays all day; trains are from two to ten hours late, while the stage from over the mountains have not been hard from. The continued cold has frozen Otter Creek so thoroughly that the mills of the Vermont Marble company at Centre Rutland are idle for want of water. The mercury has ranged from zero to 26 below for four days. Business is at a standstill.

D. L. and W. Train Telescoped.

Norwich, N. Y., Feb. 9.—The Delaware, Lackawanna & Western passenger train, due here at noon yesterday, was telescoped at Woods Corners, one mile north of this village, by a milk train. The baggage car and rear passenger coach were demolished. Both engines were wrecked. Five persons were severely injured in the head and back, but none seriously. The engineers and firemen escaped with but little injury.

She Jilted Him.

Portland, Ore., Feb. 9.—At Hillsboro last night, H. F. Dant, a veteran of the civil war, 50 years of age, shot Mrs. John Mueller and her daughter Mrs. Manning and then killed himself. He had paid the cost of divorce proceedings for Mrs. Manning in consideration of her promise to marry him. She refused and in a quarrel in which Mrs. Mueller took her daughter's part, he committed the crime. Both women will recover.

He Ran an Illicit Still.

Boston, Feb. 9.—The police yesterday discovered an illicit still running in full blast almost in the very heart of the city, and arrested the proprietor, William H. Blair, 32 years of age, who claims to hail from New York, but who has been living at the Back Bay. The place raided was in a five-story brick building at 50 Eastern avenue. Blair was turned over to the United States authorities.

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Munyon's Liver Cure corrects headache billiousness, jaundice, constipation and all liver diseases; price 25c.

Munyon's Kidney Cure speedily cures pains in the back, loins or groins and all forms of kidney disease.

Munyon's Blood Cure eradicates all impurities of the blood; price 25c

Munyon's Cathartic insures a free and natural movement of the bowels without the least pain or discomfort.

Munyon's Pile Ointment positively cures all forms of piles.

Munyon's Asthma Herbs are guaranteed to relieve asthma in two minutes.

Munyon's Cold Cure prevents pneumonia and breaks up a cold in a few hours; price 25c.

Munyon's Cough Cure stops coughs, night sweats, allays soreness and speedily heals the lungs; price 25c.

Munyon's Nerve Cure restores overworked and over-strained nerves to a healthy condition; price 25c.

Munyon's Headache Cure stops headache in three minutes; price 25c.

Munyon's Vitalizer imparts new life, restores lost powers to weak and debilitated men; price $1.

Munyon's Homœopathic Remedy Company put up specifics for nearly every disease, which are sold by all druggists, mostly for 25 cents a bottle.

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THE BUSINESS OUTLOOK

Bradstreet Reports Trade Conditions Unchanged.

While the Storm Has Restricted Orders, It Has a Tendency To Stimulate Purchases of Goods—Prices in the Main Have Shown a Favorable Tendency.

New York, Feb. 9.—Extremely low temperature, snow and high winds have visited the greater portion of the country this week, and exercised a marked influence by restricting orders received by jobbers in all staple lines. But they have tended to stimulate purchases of seasonable goods, so that some retailers who have been carrying small stocks contemplate clearing them out almost completely.

General trade at larger eastern centres remains unchanged, except for the check to orders because of delayed railroad traffic, storms and cold. Philadelphia reports continued free sales of dry goods to western jobbers and the volume of January trade showing a favorable comparison with 1894. At Baltimore bills sent south and southwest on the 1st inst. for dry goods, millinery, notions, clothing and shoes have been paid more promptly than expected.

Among southern cities Chattanooga reports that the volume of trade there for January, in spite of the lower range of prices, is equal to that for 1894. In contrast is a decrease in all lines at Augusta, with commercial collections unsatisfactory. Business has fallen off at Atlanta, but at Savannah the situation is unchanged, with jobbers cautious as to opening accounts. A fair volume of business is doing at New Orleans, but collections are poor because of non-payment of sugar bounties. No important change is reported from Memphis, Richmond, Charleston or Galveston.

General trade has been disappointing at Cleveland, Chicago and Detroit because of the check to February business. Cincinnati makes a more favorable report, gains having been shown in the iron and grocery trades, and activity is reported in leaf tobacco at Louisville. At St. Louis stocks of seasonable goods are being cleared out, and some merchants contemplate ordering spring goods more freely, trade in millinery, dry goods, shoes, hardware and groceries having been fairly satisfactory. Omaha, Des Moines and Kansas City report relatively less activity. At Seattle trade in general lines is increasing and collections are improving.

Bank clearings aggregate $979,000,000 this week, about 4 per cent. over last week and 12 per cent. more than in the first week of February, 1894. When compared with the corresponding week in 1893 the falling off this week is about 21 per cent., and even when compared with the first week in February, 1892, the decrease this week is only 26 per cent.

The New York stock market has been waiting for the results on currency legislation and the expected bond issue. The uncertainty about the latter checked buying, but the belief that the issue would be announced stopped bearish manipulation of the market.

Prices, in the main, have shown a favorable tendency, sugar alone of the more prominent staples declined in price within the week. Even cotton has remained firm at last week's closing quotation, and wool and coffee are unchanged. Prices are also steady for pig iron and for steel billets, though request for the same is not equal to expectations, improvement in this industry being in the demand for plates, bar and structural varieties. Live cattle and hogs are firm, with an upward tendency, particularly within a day or two. Advances in prices include those for leather at some points, fruit and porduce under the stimulus of the cold weather, and wheat, corn and oats and pork and lard. Anthracite coal is reported firmer, with improved demand.

Exports of wheat (flour included as wheat) from both coasts of the United States amount to only 2,020,521 bushels this week, against 2,483,000 bushels last week, 2,678,000 bushels in the week one year ago, 3,931,000 bushels two years ago, and 3,641,000 bushels three years ago. Weekly reports of wheat within the past four weeks have steadily declined from 3,564,000 to 2,020,521 bushels.

The damage by the Florida freeze was exaggerated. A large portion of the orange crop had already been marketed. Late crop and that held for higher prices was caught and destroyed. Some young trees were hurt, but old groves were practically uninjured. Heavy losses fell on large growers. A good but small crop is expected this year. Results of Florida naval stores and phosphate industries, truck and berry farming are said to have been fairly satisfactory.

Severe weather in the province of Ontario has interfered with the volume of trade, yet merchants at Toronto and elsewhere in the province regard the outlook for spring business hopeful. Similar features are reported from the province of Quebec, where mercantile collections have improved when compared with the corresponding period last year. Halifax wires that general trade in Nova Scotia is fair, but commercial payments are slow.

Heavy Loss by Fire.

Binghamton, N. Y., Feb. 9.—Fire broke out about midnight in the basement of the three-story brick building in Washington street, occupied by Bloomer's dry goods store and owned by Harvey Westcott. After a stubborn fight the firemen succeeded in confining the flames to the basement. The loss, which is almost wholly confined to Bloomer's stock, is about $25,000 with $15,000 insurance.

Suffocated by Gas.

Baltimore, Feb. 9.—Joseph Whitcombe, 40 years old, of Wrightsville, Pa., was found dead in bed yesterday in his room at Duke's hotel. The gas cock was turned on and death was caused by suffocation.

The Law Satisfied.

Fort Madison, Ia., Feb. 9.—J. K. Cumberland was hanged here at 11 o'clock this morning. He was unmoved, and protested his innocence to the last.

IN THE STORM ALL NIGHT

Terrible Experience of a Woman in the Woods.

Loses Her Way While Proceeding to Bloomfield—Amputation Necessary to Save Life—The Sufferer in a Terrible Condition—Cared for by a Stranger.

Montclair, N. J., Feb. 9.—An unknown German woman, almost frozen to death and likely to lose both her feet and hands, is lying in a darkened room in the home of Mrs. Peter Coffman, who resides on the old Kenter estate in Somerset, N. J. It was about 10 o'clock yesterday morning when Mrs. Coffman heard a strange sound at the door. The thoughts of a visitor in such weather never entered her head, but she went at once to the door.

There to her horror she saw a woman apparently about twenty years old, lying exhausted on the doorstep. The unfortunate creature was blue from the cold; her dress was like a sheet of tin, so bright and hard it looked. Mrs. Coffman wasted no time. She summoned aid and had the frozen woman carried to a warm room, where she was then placed in a bed. Simple remedies were energetically administered while the sufferer moaned pitifully. Everything that could possibly alleviate her pain was promptly done by Mrs. Coffman, and word sent for Dr. A. H. Van Riper, who arrived in due time.

The physician was amazed at the condition of the patient, and at once declared that she must have been exposed in the cold for many hours. He proved to be correct on this point but the patient was unable to tell her story at that time and no one thought of questioning her until she should be in a better condition to talk.

The doctor made a hasty examination, and confirmed Mrs. Coffman's suspicions by saying that the young woman's feet were frozen. The proper remedies were applied by the physician and after making a more careful examination he made the sad announcement that the amputation of the sufferer's feet would be necessary to save her life, and he had grave doubts as to whether or not her hands could be saved.

Under the doctor's treatment and the kindly ministrations of Mrs. Coffman the sufferer revived sufficiently to tell her story piecemeal. She talked with great difficulty. To her sympathizers she said that she had started on Wednesday to visit her sister in Bloom field. She did not stop to consider the cold nor the distance, and started off at a brisk walk for her sister's home. Before she had gone far the cold began to affect her, and she pushed bravely on until she discovered that she had lost her way.

The pain in her hands was intense, and her feet were cold but gave her no particular distress. On and on she went, but the further she walked the more bewildered she became. Finally she got to a point in the woods where the wind howled dismally around her. Her screams and calls for aid brought no assistance, but simply snapped her remaining strength.

Like one under the influence of liquor the woman staggered on for a short distance, and then, cold, worn, exhausted, and numb from the cold she sat down to rest. This action did not cause her death is a miracle, and her auditors were astonished beyond words when she told them in a voice almost inaudiable that she had been in the woods all night, at times walking, then running, again sitting down, and at times lying at her full length on the cold ground.

When daylight at last came she made a mighty effort to find a place of refuge, and after walking a great distance discovered the isolated house occupied by Mrs. Coffman. Joy filled her heart and bouyed her up to renewed efforts. She alternately cried and screams, but no one hard her cries of distress. With courage born of despair she struggled bravely on, and with one last effort reached the Coffman house. She gave a long cry of mingled pain and relief and sank down at the entrance to the house, where she was found by Mrs. Coffman.

The story told, the young woman sank back on the bed utterly exhausted and though she revived somewhat soon after she was not questioned further, not even to acertain her name.

She is in a terrible condition, and the fact that she is alive is a most surprising one. Physicians said there was hope of saving her feet, but amputation of the hands may not be necessary.

Trains Snow Bound.

Asbury Park, N. J., Feb. 9.—The storm has abated somewhat along the coast. The snow drifts are several feet deep throughout the town. Two trains on the Pennsylvania railroad are reported snowbound at Elberon. The road runs through a deep cut there mail arriving from Nrta:0, nt'shrdluu which is filled with snow.

Sixteen Hours in a Box Car.

Harrisonburg, Pa., Feb. 9.—Henry Gabelen, whose family lives on Forty-fifth street, New York city, was found in a box car on the Pennsylvania railroad yesterday almost frozen to death. He had been in the car sixteen hours. His feet are badly frozen. He was taken to the hospital.

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CHEESE—Firm. State, full cream, fanAcy, 11@11¼c.; common to fair, 9@9¾c.

EGGS—Firm. Western, 30½c.

BEEVES—Firm. Inferior to choice, 4.00@5.25; dressed native sides, 7@8½c.

SHEEP—Steady. Common to prime, 3.75@5.00; dressed native sides, 7@8¼c.

LAMBS—Firm. Ordinary to choice, 4.00@5.75; dressed lambs, 8@9½c.

LASHED TO THE RIGGING

Schooner Emma Wrecked in the Fearful Gale.

The Crew Take to the Rigging, but Finding They Are Freezing, Four Attempt to Make Shore in a Boat—Their Fate Unknown—The Storm in the East—Navigation at a Standstill—Many Lives Lost.

New York, Feb. 9.—The storm that struck this vicinity raged with great violence all through Thursday night, and up to 7 a. m. yesterday five and one-half inches of snow had fallen. At that hour, when thousands of persons were on their way to work, the wind was blowing at the rate of sixty miles an hour. It was a veritable blizzard, and recalled with striking vividness the great blizzard of '88. Heavy robes and wraps were absolutely necessary for all persons who ventured out of doors and despite the extraordinary precautions taken there was general discomfort, and delicate persons, particularly women and children, suffered severely.

The icy atmosphere was keen and piercing, and the cold was intensified by the howling gale that swept through the streets. Persons whose occupations compelled them to face the wintry blast, such as surface car employes, bundled themselves up as warmly as possible, but they suffered intensely during the day and night. The motormen were probably the greatest sufferalmot in the indsiev(etaoin shrhhhhr ers, as they are compelled to remain almost in the same position during an entire trip, and many of them had their finger tips nipped by Jack Frost.

The heavy snow fall greatly impeded travel and traffic, and all street car lines experienced great trouble in keeping their cars in motion even as early as midnight on Thursday. During the early hours of yesterday the trouble increased to such an extent that the running of cars in some cases was abandoned. New York experienced a great deal of blocked travel, but in the neighboring cities of Brooklyn and Jersey City the trouble was greater. In this city impatient crowds filled all the elevated stations of the four lines during the early hours. Travel, even on the elevated, was slow and uncomfortable.

Quarantine, S. I., Feb. 9.—During the howling gale Thursday night the little fishing schooner Emma was endeavoring to make a harbor in Gravesend bay. When almost abreast of Swinburne Island, lower quarantine, a floe of drift ice came out of the Narrows with the ebb tide and forced the little craft over upon the west bank between Hoffman and Swinburne islands. As soon as she struck she heeled over and began to fill and the ice crushing down upon her, started the seams and sprung the decks. The snow was so thick that neither Captain Hanson nor his crew of eight men could tell how near land they were, but they lashed themselves to the rigging and waited for help. The howling gale effectually drowned all sounds and they gave up the attempt to attract attention to their plight.

About midnight four of the crew decided to risk themselves in a dory in the hope of making the shore. The gale was hauling gradually to westward when the four men launched their dory and in a few moments the driving snow hid them from the view of Captain Hansen and the four remaining sailors. They have not been heard of since. The cold was numbing and the spray froze as it fell, covering all hands with ice an inch thick. It soon became apparent that to remain on the wreck meant certain death from exposure and Capt. Hansen and his men decided to risk themselves in a small boat and make an attempt to reach shore. They started and after hours of battling with the drifting ice, the Fort Tomkins light was sighted and the shore under the bluff was soon gained. Nearly dead from exhaustion the five men reached the door of Keeper Davey's house and knocked for admission. When Davey heard the summons he hastened to admit the sufferers and did everything in his power for them.

His wife at once set about brewing hot drinks and getting blankets and dry clothing. Capt Hansen and his four men, after thawing out, seemed none the worse for their experience and they ate heartily of a bountiful breakfast and then started for New York.

The Emma was a two-masted schooner. Captain Hansen and his men saved only the clothes they stood in. If the dory containing the four other men was not blown out to sea they may have been able to reach Coney Island or Bath Beach. Telephonic communication with Hoffman and Swinburne islands is interrupted and even if the fishermen succeeded in reaching one of the quarantine islands, no news would be had until one of the departments tugs calls there.

Boston, Feb. 9.—A Halifax dispatch to the Globe says that one hundred houses and business buildings have been swept away at Cape Breton by an awful tidal wave. It is believed many lives were lost.

Dubois, Pa., Feb., 9.—On account of the blizzard all passengers trains have been annulled on the four roads reachroading here. At Rockton, ten miles from here, on the Clearfield & Mahoning road, a passenger train is stalled in a drift and unable to get through. Three engines were sent out to render assistance to the passenger train, but were unable to get as far as Rockton or return here.

Altoona, Pa., Feb. 9.—Hundreds of men from the Pennsylvania railroad shops were taken to the mountains to shovel snow. All trains are from four to five hours late in consequence of the heavy drifts. A gale is blowing and the thermometer hovered about the zero mark all day.

Port Jefferson, N. Y., Feb. 9.—This harbor is frozen solid. The weather is so thick the entrance to the harbor cannot be seen.

Three Killed; Fourteen Injured.

Paris, Feb. 9.—An explosion occurred in a foundry at Joisville, in the Department of Haute-Marne, yesterday killing three men and injuring fourteen.

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A Hero In the Foretops.

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When the fight opened, Midshipman David Porter stood in the foretops to signal below news of the damage made in the rigging by the Frenchman's broadsides. He saw a cannon ball cut its way through the mainmast. Thus weakened, the mast was in danger of going down under the load of ropes and yards and sails which hung aloft. When Porter hailed the deck, officers and men were busy fighting the guns and either thought the boy was beside himself or else were too excited to think of their own welfare. He got no response, so decided to act in his own way. The French sailors aimed at Truxton's spars and rigging almost wholly, and for that reason the hottest place on the American ship was aloft.

The young midshipman knew how the shots flew up there from his experience in the foretop, but he bravely climbed the mainmast in the teeth of the iron storm, cut away the stoppers and cleared the run for the yard to slip down with all its weight of canvas and lines.

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EARLY INTELLIGENCE.

—Card and lace valentines at Harper's, 411 Park avenue.

—Doane & Edsall closed their store last evening at 6.

—H. J. Fleischhauer of East Front street has put in a 'phone, 49 F.

—A new sign adorns the front of Putnam & DeGraw's drygoods store.

—The Rathbone Sisters will give an entertainment and dance in Red Men's Hall next Wednesday evening.

—The heavy winds yesterday broke a valuable large plate glass at the home of S. H. Cruikshank, Belvidere avenue.

—Travel along South avenue between this city and Westfield was particularly difficult yesterday, owing to the very high drifts.

—Douglass Darby's milk sleight upset this morning, and many of his customers were forced to go on short allowance. About half of the milk was lost.

—The committee from Iona Council on the entertainment and dance will meet this afternoon at Mrs. George Voehl's. The event takes place Feb. 26.

—The high winds last night broke one of the wires of the borough electric light system, thus causing the western portion of the borough to be in darkness.

—A number of valuable plants in Mrs. J. H. VanDeventer's conservatory on Woodland avenue were killed by the extreme cold weather Thursday night.

—Snow drifted so high in the roadway leading to the residence of J. W. Reinhart, that four men were required to remove it before a team could pass through.

—It is expected that the corner store at the Y. M. C. A. Building will be vacated by Monday, and that the upstairs part and main entrance will be ready for use.

—It's a little soon to practice for it, but paste in your hat that the Crescent Wheelmen of Plainfield intend to hold a series of race meets on their new track this year.

—Mrs. Dr. Edwards, the celebrated clairvoyant, being prevented by the weather from going to Lakewood, will remain at the City Hotel till next Saturday morning.

—The sociable of the Christian Endeavor society of the Congregational Church that was to have been held last evening was postponed on account of the weather.

—Only eleven out of the usual seventy boys reported at Mr. Leal's school yesterday morning, and they only arrived there to return home again, as Mr. Leal decided there was to be no school until Monday morning.

—Only 57 children were present at the opening of the Franklin School yesterday morning, though all but two teachers (one of whom, Miss Sutphen, was absent because of illness) braved the elements to be present at their posts.

—The snow on East Front street in front of the Johnston property has drifted to the height of the hedge fence, which is five feet. Gardener McCann and his assistants are rapidly removing it, to open a thoroughfare for pedestrians.

—As Mr. White says, there is satisfaction in buying goods from a store that will refund the money as cheerfully as they sell you the goods. It often happens that what you have bought does not quite suit after you get it home, but you know you can take it back and get your money at White's.

—It may be, gentle reader, that you have been a little self-indulgent this cold weather, and remained at home amid its comforts during the time of church service. We submit whether it would not be the proper thing for all Plainfielders who are not sick or infirm to attend service tomorrow. Your presence would cheer the faithful ones who have cared for the church's interest during your absence.

TEUTONIC AT HER PIER.

She Came Up the Bay Early This Morning, Weighted Down with Ice.

New York, Feb. 9—The White Star liner Teutonic came up the bay a mass of ice this morning, and was moored to her pier after one of the toughest trips ever experienced on the Atlantic Ocean.

For sixty-two hours she was hove to in the teeth of a howling gale, with her boats at the davits ready for lowering at moment's notice.

The Teutonic arrived off the Sandy Hook lightship at 5:35 Thursday afternoon, but the gale so increased in fury that Capt. Cameron put about and ran off shore seventy miles, where she remained for nearly twenty-four hours. She was uninjured and all on board reported well.

It took her nearly seven and one-half days to make the trip, which she usually covers in between five and six days.

It took her twenty-six hours to pass the bar, even after she came within a few miles of Sandy Hook.

She was compelled to stand off shore when within three miles of the Hook and steam seventy miles to the southeast while waiting for the weather to moderate.

When she did finally reach the bar at 7:04 last night she was encrusted from stem to stern in several inches of ice, and her masts, funnels and everything else above deck were covered.

Not only did she bring over all of her own passengers in safety, but she also had on board when she arrived nine men whom she rescued from the fishing schooner Josie Beeves after an exciting struggle of several hours.

Altogether the voyage was one of the most tempestuous known in the history of the White Star line, or in that of any other line, for that matter. From the time of passing Daunt's Rock light at 1:03 on the afternoon of Jan. 31 the Teutonic encountered a succession of gales, increasing from time to time to hurricane force, and of high head seas. The cold was intense, and the fierce wind froze fast the spray which dashed up against the vessel.

ROMANY'S PRINCE WILLIAM.

He Lives Near East Hartford—His Tribe Are Noted Horse Trainers.

One of the most famous representatives of Romany Rye in this country is Prince William, as he is called, who, with his family, lives near East Hartford. There are branches of the family at New Haven and Bridgeport. The East Hartford branch of the family is the main branch.

The Williamses are all horse dealers. Attached to their residence are stables which, in winter, always contain a stock of fine blooded draft horses.

One of the interesting sights at the stables are the wagons that are used by Prince William and his family when they go off on their annual nomadic pleasure trips. These wagons cost from $1,000 to $2,500. Prince William's private wagon cost $2,500 and is fitted up in regal style.

In these trips around the country the whole family joins. These trips are made in the summer, spare horses being taken along and sold or traded. This means a cavalcade of a dozen fancy wagons and about 100 horses.

The start is made about the 1st of August, the entire family—men, women and children—being taken along. The party keeps together, traveling by easy stages, about 20 miles a day being considered a good journey. When in a hurry, they can make 40 miles a day.

The place selected for the night's rest is usually a grove. There the wagons are drawn up in a circle, fires are lighted and the evening meal prepared.

After supper the whole party gather around Prince William's tent or wagon, and the affairs of the family are discussed. A watchman patrols the camp all night to watch the horses.—New York Times.

—The farmhouse of J. Warren Brown in Westfield was burned last night.

—A special despatch sent at 3:15 p. m. from New York to The Daily Press announces that no tidings has been received of the steamship La Gascogne.

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THE WEATHER.

Fair Sunday; Stationary Temperature; Brisk to High Northwest Winds.

AFTER THE BLIZZARD.

Tho' far Icelandic currents send
Their blasts, with blizzard's breath to blend,
Till frigid feelings far transcend
All records of a recent date,
You'll make your hours of Winter roll
Thro' waves of warmth to heart and soul
If you, in ordering your coal,
Ring telephone call fifty-eight.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

Mrs. Northrup of 315 West Front street is very ill with a severe cold.

Albert Runyon of Mountain avenue, who has been very ill with the grip, is much better today.

—Valentine novelties at Harper's, 411 Park avenue.

—The midwinter reception of the alumni of the North Plainfield Public School will not be held this month as contemplated; it is now planned to hold it on Friday evening, March 8.

—A tree whose trunk is split stands in John B. Brown's yard on Park avenue. The high winds make it creak ominously, and passersby are fearful it will fall upon them. It should be cut down or guyed fast.

Nine Wrecks on the Reading.

Including the wreck of the Royal Blue train there were nine wrecks on the Philadelphia and Reading Railroad yesterday between Bound Brook and Trenton. A fishplate on the eastbound track of the Jersey Central Railroad on the Newark Bay Bridge yesterday afternoon broke and spread the rails. It was discovered in time to prevent wrecking of passenger trains. Trains on the Pennsylvania and Central Railroads are half to three-quarters of an hour late this morning.

Mrs. T. S. Hawkins, Chattanooga, Tenn., says: "Shiloh's Vitalizer saved my life; I consider it the best remedy for a debilitated system I ever used. For dyspepsia, liver or kidney trouble it excels; 75c. Sold by all druggists.

Shiloh's cure is sold on a guarantee. It cures incipient consumption; it is the best cough cure, only 1c a dose; 25, 50c, $1. Sold by all druggists.

Karl's Clover Root, the great blood purifier, gives freshness and clearness to the complexion and cures constipation; 25c 50c, $1. Sold by all druggists.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that a meeting of the stockholders of The Music Hall Association of Plainfield will be held in the parlors of Stillman Music Hall on West Front street, in the city of Plainfield, New Jersey, on Monday, the 18th day of February, eighteen hundred and ninety-five, at 2 o'clock p. m., to take action upon the following resolution of the Board of Directors of said Association, which said resolution was adopted by unanimous vote of the Directors at their meeting held January 14, 1895.

"RESOLVED that in the judgment of this Board it is advisable and most for the benefit of The Music Hall Association of Plainfield that the same should be forthwith dissolved, and to that end it is ordered that a meeting of the stockholders be held on Monday, the eighteenth day of February, eighteen hundred and ninety-five, in the parlors of Stillman Music Hall, Plainfield, New Jersey, at 2 o'clock p. m., to take action upon this resolution; and further, that the secretary forthwith give notice of said meeting, and of the adoption of this resolution within ten days from this date, by publishing the said resolution with a notice of its adoption, in The Daily Press, a newspaper published in Plainfield, New Jersey, for at least four weeks once a week, successively, and by mailing a written or printed copy of the same to each and every stockholder of this Association in the United States."

Dated Plainfield, N. J., January 15, 1895.

CRAIG A. MARSH, Secretary.

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Torturing Skin Eruptions,

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Sample sent free on receipt of postage, 30 East 10th street, N. Y.
Batchelor's Hair Dye, best in the world.
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REMOVAL.

Dr. Lighthill begs leave to give notice that he has removed to

NO. 132 CRESCENT AVE.

(a few doors from his former location) where he can be consulted on all chronic diseases of whatever name and nature.

Dr. Lighthill refers with pardonable pride to the success of his practice in Plainfield and submits below a few of the many testimonials which he has received from grateful patients. A mass of similar ones can be seen at his office.

AN ALMOST MIRACULOUS CURE.

The Statement of Mr. Edward Teel, Jr., of Dunellen, N. J.

TO THE PUBLIC:

From a sense of duty I desire to call public attention to the almost miraculous cure which Dr. Lighthill effected in the case of my wife. For eleven years she had been afflicted with piles of an unusual severe and distressing character. She suffered every day of her life the most intense pain, attended with frequent and profuse hemorrhage. This state of things debilitated her entire system until she became a perfect wreck of her former self.

We made every effort to obtain a cure but they all resulted in bitter disappointment, although a number of physicians of excellent reputations for skill in that direction had treated her case. She grew worse and worse all the time, the pain became perfectly unbearable and I felt she could not bear the strain of her condition much longer. In this extremity, a friend of mine, Mr. W. E. Dilts, a resident of Roselle, N. J., a passenger conductor on the New Jersey Central told me that he had been similarly affected, and had been permanently cured by Dr. Lighthill, after other medical skill had failed. He assured me that the doctor would cure my wife, no matter how severe her case may be, and his prediction proved perfectly correct. In spite of her desperate condition, Dr. Lighthill I am glad to say, has effected a complete and perfect cure in her case, and has given her new life.

Since the cure has been effected she has gained in health and strength and is so improved in appearance that her friends scarcely recognise her. They all consider her cure as almost miraculous, and Dr. Lighthill's praise is heard on every side. Our gratitude to Dr. Lighthill is unbounded and we only hope that other sufferers may be benefited by this publication.

EDWARD TEEL, JR.

A Flattering Testimonial from Colonel John Dietrich, One of Plainfield's Oldest and Best Known Residents.

16 ARLINGTON PLACE,
Plainfield, N. J., July 27, 1894.

I am profoundly grateful to Dr. Lighthill for his speedy and radical cure of a most painful malady of over ten years standing with which I was afflicted.

I deem it proper to say to all afflicted to place themselves under the care of this skilful physician and be permanently cured.

I will cheerfully impart any information I possess when called upon.

JOHN DIETRICH.

Mr. Thomas Callahan of No. 214 Richmond street Cured of a Very Distressing Trouble by Dr. Lighthill.

PLAINFIELD, N. J., June 1, 1894.

TO THE PUBLIC:

For some time past I have been greatly distressed with noises in the head. They were all over my head and troubled me constantly; they were loudest at night when everything was quiet and at such times would often keep me from sleeping and disturb my rest. In fact they got to be so bad and distressing that they affected my whole nervous system as well as my health. I did not obtain the least relief until I placed myself under the care of Dr. Lighthill, of No. 132 Crescent avenue, who effected a complete cure in my case in a short time and made me a very happy man.

THOMAS CALLAHAN,
214 Richmond street.

A Card From Mr. T. R. VanZandt, of Nos. 304 and 306 Park ave., Plainfield, N. J

I certify with pleasure that Dr. Lighthill has effectually cured me of a most painful case of piles. For some time past I had been subject to its attacks, but the last attack was so exceedingly painful that it completely upset my whole system. The pain extended to my legs and in many other directions, and made me so nervous that I could neither sleep, sit down, lie down or move about without serious discomfort and distress. Such was my condition when I applied to Dr. Lighthill for relief, and I am glad to say that as soon as he took hold of my case, I began to improve, and in a short time found myself completely cured. Dr. Lighthill has also effected a radical and permanent cure in a most terrible case of piles on my cousin, Mr. J. V. Z. Griggs, of Rocky Hill, N. J., whose flattering testimonial is in Dr. Lighthill's possession.

T. R. VAN ZANDT,
304 and 306 Park avenue.

Dr. Lighthill

can be consulted daily (except Thursdays) on all CHRONIC, OBSTINATE AND COMPLICATED diseases of the human system of whatever name and nature, at his office and residence,

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Children's overcoats and school suits at cost.

Park Avenue, Packer's Block.

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FORMAL OPENING OF OUR

Grocery Department!

SATURDAY, FEB. 9.

A few plain remarks in connection with this new departure we think is opportune.

A few months ago I rented and fitted up at a heavy expense my present elegant and spacious stores, with the intention of giving Plainfield a department store second to none in the State.

As I have progressed from one improvement to another, I find that if I fulfill my plan, I must of necessity, add a first class Grocery Department, in order to compete with New York and Brooklyn department stores, as many of my patrons are buying these goods there, and I desire me to furnish them with their Groceries together with their Dry Goods, Housefurnishings, etc.

I am very much surprised as I have talked to people in regard to this movements, to find that there is such a large proportion of this trade going to New York department stores, and I shall make a strong effort to induce it to remain at home—where it belongs.

I shall do all I can to counteract the too prevalent idea abroad that Plainfield is an expensive place to live in on account of the high prices on articles of food, as real estate agents often say they are obliged to meet this objection when trying to sell or rent houses to New York and Brooklyn people.

We shall, therefore, sell our goods, which will always be of the best quality to be had, at what may be known as cut prices.

Introductory Specials!

At 6c Can: One lot Bedford Park tomatoes, good quality... / One lot string beans, good quality... / One lot sugar corn, good quality... — At 6c Can

Bahama sliced pineapples, very fine, worth 30c at.....19c can
California free peaches, standard goods, at.....19c can
Soda crackers, first quality, at.....5c pound
Ginger snaps, " .....6c pound
Ground coffee, good quality.....24c pound
Very best Old Government Mocha and Java coffee.....34c pound
Mixed tea, regular 40c quality, for.....29c pound
" " 45c " .....34c pound
Very fine Oolong tea, regular 60c quality, for.....49c pound
Very fine Young Hyson tea, regular 70c quality, for.....59c pound
Oyster Bay asparagus, flat cans, for.....19c pound
Edsall's baking powder, warranted to give satisfaction, ¼ pound 4c; ½ pound 7c; 1 pound 12c

While they last, 3c each. Just received—another lot of white plates, all sizes and perfect; 50 dozen tea cups and saucers, St. Denis shape. The above items for Saturday only. While they last, 3c each.

Cork Filled

During this month we will offer all of our Burt & Packard

Double Sole Cork Filled Men's

$5 Shoes for $3.98 per Pair.

Just the shoe for you to wear without rubbers up to the first of May. Sizes 5 to 11; widths B to E; styles, narrow, round and Common Sense toes.

See our window Saturday for specials.

DOANE & EDSALL.

THE MAIDEN AND THE BURGLAR.

She was a maiden, coy but forty,
Unsullied by a dream of man
No thought, however slightly naughty,
Had ever crossed her life's short span.

Till one dark night, when all were sleeping,
She found the wretch she long had sought;
For underneath her bed lay peeping,
A poor, lone burglar, freshly caught.

She locked the door and quickly turning
Pulled forth a pistol freshly cocked;
And with a voice that told its yearning,
Her prisoner's plight she sternly mocked,

"Now, listen to my ultimatum:
You've got to marry me or die;
Though you're the very lowest stratum,
I'll have a husband or know why."

Then rose the burglar, sadly speaking:
"Your proposition does not suit;
Rather than be the man you are seeking,
Why, darn you, madam, darn you, shoot!"
—Youngstown Vindicator.

A FEMININE UNSURPATION.

Affecting Story of a Woman Who Read Out of Her Neighbor's Paper.

Every man was reading his evening paper when the Third avenue elevated left the City Hall station, and one of the women was also reading a paper. It was not hers, however, and was the property of the man who sat in the seat next to her.

She was a large woman of full growth, and filled most of the seat, so that the man, who must have been born a long way from the land of Anak, slipped edgewise into the fraction of the seat that was left vacant at the woman's side.

He mildly put on a pair of spectacles and began to read his paper, and the stout woman fixed a pair of gold eyeglasses on her firm, aggressive nose and began to read it, looking down over the man's shoulders and her own pectoral expanse. The man reached the end of the page and gave the paper a prepartory shake and rustle before turning the sheet when the woman laid her hand on his arm.

"One moment, sir," she said severely; "I have not finished reading the first page yet."

The little man gave a rabbit-like glance upward and sidewise.

"Excuse me, madam," he replied meekly, and held the paper unturned.

But the little man was a strategist. He could conduct a masterly retreat if he could not originate an attack; and when the train stopped at Chambers street he bolted, with a fine assumption of its being his stopping place. But those who looked out of the windows saw him dart down the platform and take refuge in the very last car.

LOOKING BACKWARD.

Or the Millionaire's Sweet Regrets Over the Old Farm He Let Go for a Song.

It was summer time. The office window was open. The old millionaire had come up to confer with his lawyer, and had been told he could now foreclose his mortgage on a fine and coveted corner which he knew he could bid in for a song. He therefore felt at peace with all the world, and he wished that everybody might banish uncharitable and sordid thoughts and be of good cheer. He took off his hat and wiped his brow.

"I am thinking of going out into the country," he said, speaking in a kind tone of that humble region. "I like the country. We don't really know what life is here. I often wish I were back. I had a farm before I came to town—about 500 acres—as pretty land as ever laid outdoors—high, rolling sandy loam; oh! fine pastures, plenty of woods, and running springs right on the place—never went dry the dryest season, and a magnificent orchard. I sold out about ten acres all to grafted fruit before I sold, and looked to seein' 'em bear—I could have sold ev'ry bar'l of apples for $2 right on the ground.

"But I sold—I sold. Yes, sir, I sold that 500 acres—$80 an acre, and came here and put every dollar into corners. Of course, hitting it just the time I did, the money has turned itself a good many times; but I don't know; I often wish I hadn't sold the old farm. I sold it to my brother-in-law for $80 an acre. That was twenty years ago, and I don't suppose he could get $40 an acre now——"

Here the sad repiner engaged in silent thought of his brother-in-law pounding clods on the depreciated farm, and became suffused with such joy that, as he arose and put on his hat, he seemed like a statue of Ecstacy.

"No, sir; I don't suppose he could get $40. Fine farm, too."—Puck.

Woes of a Millionaire Congressman.

I found a millionaire member of Congress sitting in his hotel the other day surrounded by gloom so dense that it could have been shovelled away like snow from the sidewalk, and asked him what had happened. "I was just thinking," he said, "what a fool I was to come to Congress. It cost me $12,000 cash to pay my campaign expenses, in addition to two months' neglect of my business. When I am home about two-thirds of my time is taken up by people who come in to ask for offices. I have had candidates for foreign missions, consulates, department bureaus, United States attorneys, pension agents, about forty post offices and no end of Indian agents and land offices, and all I've succeeded in getting since Cleveland was inaugurated is one assistant keeper of a lighthouse, a place for which there was no candidate, and they asked me to hunt up a man. I scarcely dare go home. I am being cursed all over my district by people who think I'm indifferent to their interests and ungrateful to my friends. It will take six weeks' steady talking to explain why I haven't been able to get all the Republican officeholders in the district turned out and Democrats put in, and not half the people who hear the explanation will believe me. Until now I have never sought anything that couldn't be bought, but I've spent $10,000 worth of my time trying to get a $1,200 consular appointment for the son of one of my constituents, and can't make it. My business is going to ruin for want of attention, and there is a basket of letters on my desk at home that I have never had time to read."

Not Insured.

Mrs. De Style—Marie! Is the dog chained?

Servant—Yes'm.

"And the cat put out?"

"Yes'm."

"And the children tied to the bed-post in the nursery?"

"Yes'm."

"Very well. Then you may light the piano lamp."—N. Y. Weekly.

He Wouldn't.

"I would die for you!" insisted the rich old suitor.

"Oh, it's very easy to promise," rejoined the maiden skeptically.—Judge.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U.S. Gov't Report

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SUNDAY SERVICES.

Official Announcements for Worship in Plainfield Tomorrow.

[Matter intended for this department must be supplied fresh every week, not later than 10 a. m. Saturday to insure insertion.]

W. C. T. U.—Miss Elizabeth Yates of Maine will lead the meeting at 9.

St. Joseph's Church—Masses at 8:30 and 10:30 a. m.; Sunday-school at 3, and Vespers at 8 p. m.

St. Mary's Church—Masses at 7:30, 8:30, 9:30, and 10:30 a. m.; Sunday-school, 2:30 p. m.; Vespers, 8 p. m.

Y. M. C. A. Building—4:15 p. m. meeting W. D. Murray will speak, and the double male quartette will sing.

St. Peter's German Lutheran Church—Services, 10 a. m. and 7:45 p. m.; Sunday-school, 9 a. m. Rev. Ed Kionka, pastor.

All Souls Church—Rev. Hobart Clark, pastor. Services at 10:45 a. m. with preaching by the pastor. Sunday-school, 11:45 a. m.

Congregational Church—Rev. C. L. Goodrich, pastor. Morning service, 10:30. Sunday-school, 2:45 p. m.; Christian Endeavor service, 7:30.

Church of the Redeemer, Protestant Episcopal—Rev. Dr. Jocelyn Johnstone, rector. Morning service 11:15; Sunday-school, 3 p. m.; evening service, 4:30.

First Church of Christ—Meets at 204 West Front street. Preaching at 10:45 a. m. and 8 p. m.; Lord's Supper, 11:45 a. m.; Sunday-school, 2:45; Christian Endeavor, 7 p. m.

Trinity Reformed Church—Rev. Cornelius Schenck, pastor. Preaching by the pastor, 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.; Sunday-school, 2:30; prayer-meetings at 10 a. m. and 6:45 p. m.

Grace Church—Rev. R. M. Rodman, rector. Early Celebration of Holy Communion, 7:30; morning prayer and sermon, 11; Sunday-school, 3 p. m.; evening service and address, 7:45.

First Presbyterian Church—Rev. Chas. E. Herring, pastor. Services 10:30 a. m., and 7:45 p. m. Subjects—morning, "The Christ Between"; evening, "Judas, a Character Study".

Grace M. E. Church—Rev. Herbert F. Randolph, pastor. Preaching at 10:30 a. m. on the subject "Within and Without". At 7:45 p. m., evangelistic service; Sunday-school, 2:30; Epworth League, 7.

Park Avenue Baptist Church—Rev. J. W. Richardson, pastor. Preaching at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Morning theme, "Surely it is of God"; evening, "Walking in White". Sunday-school, 2:30 p. m.

First M. E. Church—Rev. Dr. C. R. Barnes, pastor. 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m., preaching by the pastor; 2:30 p. m., Sunday-school; 6:45 p. m., Epworth League prayer meeting. Subject of morning sermon, "Christian Citizenship"; evening, "An Odd Question".

SCOTCH PLAINS AND FANWOOD

John H. Thys has left his position with Liveryman Keeley of Plainfield, and returned home.

Gustave Kenhule, a plumber in the employ of R. Jahn, intends suing A. L. Frentz for injuries received by a pair of stairs falling on him while at work on one of Mr Schultz's houses on Stony Hill. Mr. Kenhule claims it was through the carelessness of Mr. Frentz's workmen he received his injuries.

Fanwood Council, R. A., meet at their rooms in Excelsior Hall Tuesday evening.

Sheriff Kyte has been confined to his house with the grip.

DeMotts stage made every trip yesterday, notwithstanding the weather.

Mrs. William H Dean of Diamond Hill is confined to her bed with pneumonia.

John Oliver of Kearney spent Thursday with friends in town.

John Force, proprietor of Force's Hotel, should receive the thanks of all residents on Front street for making paths both sides of the road, after every snowstorm.

W. R. Buckley has accepted a position with a large wholesale grocery house of New York as salesman.

Regent W. E. Collins will entertain the entertainment committee of Fanwood Council at his home this evening.

Mrs. Philip Blank is confined to the bed with the grip.

Joseph Nestor while driving from Cranford yesterday frosted his face and ears.

The blizzard of Thursday and Friday held full sway in town, keeping business men home from the city, the school was closed, no prayer meeting was held at the Baptist Church last evening, and the morning mail did not arrive from New York until after 3 in the afternoon.

The tea which was to have been held at the Library rooms yesterday, was postponed on account of the storm.

John Schelen, employed at the Ackerman farm, attempted to make a path through town yesterday morning with a horse and snow-plow, but the snow drifted in again as soon as they were opened.

—The blizzard was felt in the West End yesterday, especially at the Grant Avenue station, where the passengers and ticket agent found it cold work waiting for the trains. There was a good fire in the furnace, but owing to its not having any coal in the box no heat was forced up.

$100 Reward $100.

The reader of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly on the blood and mucous surface of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer $100 for any case that it fails to cure.

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"A Friend in Need is a Friend Indeed."

A friend advised me to try Ely's Cream Balm and after using it six weeks I believe myself cured of catarrh. It is a most valuable remedy.—Joseph Stewart, 624 Grand avenue, Brooklyn, N. Y.

My son was afflicted with catarrh; I induced him to try Ely's Cream Balm and the disagreeable catarrhal smell all left him. He appears as well as any one.—J. C. Olmstead, Arcola, Ill.

Price of Cream Balm is fifty cents.

Eyes.

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Piano-Man Taylor.

F. S. Taylor, who has built up a thriving business in Elizabeth, has taken charge as owner of Hulett's piano rooms at 322 West Front street, and will deal in all makes of pianos, organs and musical instruments of all kinds, and carry a full stock of the standard and latest sheet music. Anything in the musical line, he proposes to supply at the best rates. Mr. Taylor opened his present Elizabeth store on the day of the blizzard in '88. He intends to make his Plainfield store, opened the day of the blizzard in '95, equally successful.

—Special sale of sleds at Harper's, 411 Park avenue.

—The hospitable Jersey Central Railroad Company entertained a trainload of stormbound passengers for Philadelphia, in a Bound Brook hotel last night, and today conveyed them to New York.

The experience of Geo. A. Apgar, of German Valley, N. J., is well worth remembering. He was troubled with chronic diarrhoea and doctored for five months and was treated by four different doctors without benefit. He then began using Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, of which one small bottle effected a complete cure. It is for sale at Reynolds's pharmacy, Park and North aves. T. S. Armstrong, manager

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Mrs. Dr. Edwards

on account of the weather is compelled to remain in Plainfield one week longer, but will leave positively next

Saturday, Feb. 16,

at 7 a. m., to fill her engagement in Lakewood. Call at once at

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FOR SALE—A pair of silver plated sleigh chimes and pair of Daniels bar bits; lot cost $40; will be sold very cheap. Can be seen at 31 Somerset st.

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Fine quality mixed tea	25c	Can tomatoes, solid packed	8c
" Oolong tea	30c	Can peas, early June	8c
" Young Hyson tea	40c	Can corn, fine goods	8c
" Japan tea	40c	Fine butter	24c
XX soda crackers	4½c	Ground coffee	17½c
Ginger snaps	5½c	Java and Mocha coffee	32c
Nic-nac crackers	6c	Extra fine Maricaibo coffee	30c
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DEATHS.

TERRY—In this city Saturday, Feb 9, 1895, Matilda L., daughter of Samuel C. and the late Matilda W. Terry, in her 28th year. Funeral services from her late residence 22 Richmond st., Tuesday, Feb 12, at 2:30 p. m. 2

HOYT—In this city, on 8th inst. J. K. Hoyt of Newark, N. J. Funeral services Monday, Feb. 11, at the residence of Mrs. Matilda Rushmore, 113 East Fifth street, at 2:45 p. m.

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2½ yards wide	16c yd

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Fruit of Loom, Dwight Anchor, Hill, Lonsdale, Barker, Gold Medal, Arcade, extra heavy, all at...6½c yd

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Try our 5-hook Foster kids at 75c.

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Granite iron coffee pots 37c.
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" tea kettles 79c.
A good broom 13c.
China custard bowls 4c.

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TALK IS CHEAP!

but our Coats and Capes are cheaper. This week we have inaugurated the Greatest Coat Sale ever held in the city. We have marked our entire stock 33 per cent. lower than the original price. Our prices enable everyone to buy one. You need a coat; we need the room and money. We give you a large bargain for little money. We would rather sell them for half their original cost than carry them over.

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3c Sale 3c in Basement 3c

Any article on our 5c counter for 3c for one week only. We wish to inform you that this department is below our first floor and prices below other houses.

Glassware.

7 piece fruit set 50c, regular price 75c.
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Initial tumblers, fine brown glass, 98c doz.

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A $2.50 toilet set for $1.96
A $3.25 " $2.50
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56 piece tea set $3.45, former price $4.50.

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Now is the time for you to get bargains in our Dress Goods Department.
Our 25c worsteds 38 in wide, 15c.
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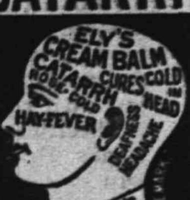

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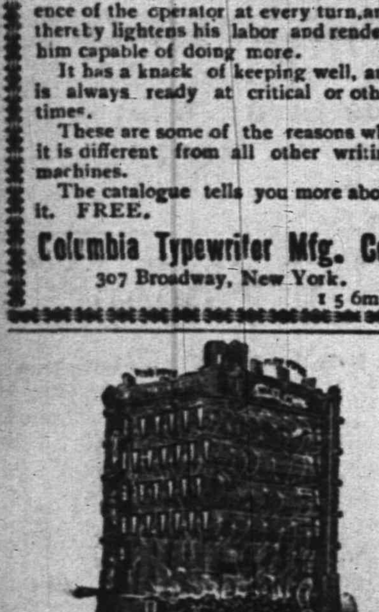

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Martha's Vineyard's deaf and dumb inhabitants afford one of the strongest instances of the power of heredity ever recorded. Here is the isolated little community of Chilmark, primitive New England folk of the purest strain, numbering 146 persons, of whom 36, men, women and children, are deaf and dumb and were born so. That is to say, of the entire population 25 per cent. are speechless—one in every four.

In five families of Chilmark, of the 28 children 15 are deaf and dumb.

Stop and consider what this peculiar marvel of science and sociology means in a place where all the citizens, every family, and all the children, come in contact with each other every day for years.

Every fourth person, for instance, who goes to the village grocery, can't tell in words what he wants to buy. Every fourth Chilmark citizen who applies for his mail at the Squibnocket Post Office is unable to utter his name. When the Chilmark ladies gather for the weekly sewing circle, as likely as not the same fatal proportion of one in four prevents several gossip-loving females from relishing the latest and choicest bits of social and domestic small talk without the aid of an interpreter.

All the boys and girls who go to the village school and the school mistress herself must understand the significance of the mystic signals and combinations which make up the finger language of those whom heredity has deprived of speech.

Chilmark is thus divided into three parts intelligence and one part unintelligence. Social lines are drawn at "the hearing Smiths" and "those deaf Joneses," and the "hearing son" of the deaf Mr. Robinson must not be confounded with his unfortunate deaf brother.

So it happens that every day in the year this queer little community down by the thundering shores of the Atlantic Ocean is the scene of a series of singular pantomimes, carried on in the streets, in the stores, in the family circle, and from Chilmark back doors.

The grim pathos of this condition as it appears at first glance to the outsider is in great measure diminished when it is learned that these kindly and generally well-informed people are proud of their affliction and have come to regard it as a kind of plume in the hat of the race. They know that they are living examples of one of Nature's inexorable laws, and are therefore unique, and where there are so many of them the horror and the shame of the affliction become less keenly felt.

Elsewhere the afflicted are screened as much as possible from public gaze, and invariably from public notoriety. But these people gave me a great lot of photographs of ancestors extending back four generations. These are all pictures of people who never spoke a word from the day of their birth.

Martha's Vineyard is peopled mostly by Mayhews, who occasionally let in an outsider under pledge of good behavior and due regard to their supremacy.

Edgartown, the first inhabited portion of the island, was founded by a Mayhew, Governor Thomas Mayhew, in 1642. He had a crown grant of the island and settled there as a missionary to the Indians. Many of the homes in the island have a litographed family tree of the Mayhews hung up on their parlor walls, showing the ramifications and early intermarriages of this sturdy stock.

The early Mayhews were entirely unafflicted and devoted themselves to establishing Indian schools, teaching the Indian girls to spin, &c. But Benjamin Mayhew, their descendant, who flourished at the end of the last century, had eleven children, four of whom were congenitally deaf and dumb.

Thus it seems that Chilmark is a community, two of whose first settlers were deaf and dumb, and their descendants have perpetuated the misfortune to an alarming extent. This has happened purely as an atavistic occurrence. It cannot be discovered that any of the instances of intermarriage have been nearer than third or fourth cousins. It cannot, therefore, be said that results, in the shape of deterioration of an originally sturdy stock, which invariably follow the marriage of close relatives, have been factors in this case.

Chilmark is an unusually healthy place. Its inhabitants are tall, well formed and sturdy, and live to an old age. If they die at eighty they are thought to die young. Lovely, fourth child of the original Benjamin Mayhew, is still living at the ripe age of ninety-seven years. An age of 100 is almost frequent in the neighborhood.

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"It was during the war of the rebellion," said the diffident and blushing assistant rector, addressing the Young People's Friday Night Prayer Meeting, "that a company of Union soldiers were ordered to take a rebel battery. Quickly they sprang to the charge, but alas! before they reached the guns they broke and fled ignominiously.

"That is, all except a certain corporal, who rushed in and seizing a gunner by the throat, carried him off, an astonished captive.

"And when the company reached the little clump of woods from whose shelter they had started, they gathered around the gallant corporal and asked him where he had got his prisoner, and how he managed to capture him.

"'I went in and took him,' said the hero, modestly. 'Ah, boys, why didn't you keep on? There was a man for every one of you there!'

"And so I say to you, my dear young Christian soldiers," continued the rector fervent, "there is a man for every one of you in this world.

"Yes, my dear young brothers, there is a man for every one of you here!

"Yes, my dear young sisters, there is—er—there is—er—there is work for you all in the vineyard of the Lord if you will only seek for it.

"Let us now sing the 425 hymn:

"Oh, save me from the careless word,
The swift, unbidden thought,
And make me always think and speak
Exactly as I ought.

And the young assistant sat down with an intensely relieved expression, and mopped his burning brow.—Puck.

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For Newark and New York—3 02, 5 34, 5 40, 6 17, 6 45, 7 0, 7 20, 7 49, 7 57, 8 06, 8 28, 8 33, 8 47, 9 17, 9 41, 9 48, 10 20, 10 38, 10 49, 11 07, 11 48 a. m., 1 18, 1 20, 1 56, 224, 2 40, 3 45, 3 27, 3 47, 4 43, 5 15, 5 30, 5 48, 6 08, 6 27, 6 48, 6 58, 7 07, 7 25, 7 59, 8 ..., 9 10, 9 50, 10 03, 11 03 and 11 56 p. m. Sundays 3 02, 5 34, 7 54, 8 45, 9 20, 9 47, 10 12, 10 38, 10 49 a. m., 12 35, 1 44, 2 33, 2 45, 3 45, 4 38, 5 34, 6 49, 7 08, 7 12, 7 25, 7 58, 8 30, 9 15, 10 16, 11 46 and 11 56 p. m.

For New York only, 6 10 a. m. daily.

For Philadelphia—1 00, 6 57, 7 19, 9 05, 9 36, 11 43 a. m.; 1 06, 1 37, 3 33, 5 06, 6 36, 7 46, 8 49, 9 39 p. m. Sundays at 1 00, 6 59, 9 05, 9 36, 10 41 a. m.; 5 40, 6 37, 7 47 and 9 41 p. m.

FOR ATLANTIC CITY

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Cape May, Sea Isle City and Ocean City 1 37 p. m. weekdays.

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For East Millstone—7 10 a. m., 12 36, 3 48 and 5 40 p. m., week-days.

For Trenton—1 00, 6 57, 7 10, 7 59, 9 05, 9 36, 11 43 A. M.; 1 06, 1 37, 2 48, 5 08, 6 16, 7 46, 8 42, 9 39 P. M. Sundays at 1 00, 6 59, 9 05, 9 36, 10 41 A. M.; 5 40, 6 37, 7 47 and 9 41 P. M.

For Lambertville, Phillipsburg and Belvidere via Trenton—7 59 A. M., 2 48 and 6.36 p. m., and 5.40 p. m. Sunday.

For Flemington—7 59 A. M.; 2 48 P. M.

For Freehold—7 59, 11 43 a. m., 4 38, 5 08 p.m., via Monmouth Junction, week-days.

For Jamesburg, via Monmouth Junction—7 59 and 11 43 a. m., 4 38 and 5 08 p. m., week days.

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Leave New York from foot of Liberty street 4 30, 6 00, 7 15, 8, 8 40, 9 10, 10, 11 45, A. M., 1 10, 1 30, 2 30, 3 30, 3 40, 4, 4 30, 5, 5 15, except Saturday, 5 30, 5 45, 6, 6 15, 6 30, 7, 7 30, 8, 8 30, 9 15, 10 15, 11 30 P. M., 12 15, 1, night. Sunday—4 30, 7 15, 8 30, 9 15, A. M., 12 M., 1, 2 15, 4, 6 30, 7, 9 00, 10 00 P. M., 12 15 night, 1 A. M.

PLAINFIELD AND NEWARK.

Leave Plainfield 5 30, 6 29, 6 59, 7 26, 7 30, 8, 8 59, 9 32, 10 06, 10 37, A. M., 12 06, 1 18, 3 07, 3 30, 3 12, 3 51, 4 50, 5 54, 6 54, 7 09, 8 30, 10 17, 11 28 P. M. Sunday—5 01, 8 59, 10 08, 11 26, A. M., 12 33, 1 45, 3 30, 5 36, 7 11, 8 29, 8 33, 10 17 P. M.

Leave Newark 6 10, 7 18, 7 55, 8 39, 9 08, 10 08, 11 35 A. M., 1 15, 1 35, 2 20 Saturday only, 2 50, 3 ?, 05, 4 40, 5 04, 5 34, 5 50, 6 20, 7 15, 7 35, 8 ?, 9 05, 11 36 P. M. Sunday—7 30, 8 46, 9 35, 11 ?, A. M., 1 10, 2 35, 4 10, 6 40, 7 30, 9 25, 10 20 P. M.

Passengers for Newark change cars at Elizabeth.

PLAINFIELD AND SOMERVILLE.

Leave Plainfield 5 46, 7 10, 8 16, 9 54, 11 a.m., 12 46, 2 08, 2 32, 3 45, 4 36, 5 05, 5 14, 5 34, 6 04, 6 19, 6 38, 7 12, 7 38, 8 21, 10 26, 11 23 P. M., 12 38 night. Sunday—5 46, 8 28, 9 54, A. M., 2 08, 3 36, 5 14, 6 35, 10 18, 11 14 P. M.

Leave Somerville, 6, 6 30, 7 00, 7 26, 7 35, 7 45, 8 20, 9 05, 9 48, 11 40 A. M., 12 57, 1 48, 3 05, 3 25, 4 25, 5 28, 5 35, 6 ?, 7, 8 45, 11 05, P. M. Sunday 8 25, 9 45, 10 55 A. M., 12 03, 1 20, 5 05, 6 45, 8 03, 9 05, 9 40 P. M.

PLAINFIELD AND EASTON.

Leave Plainfield 5 45, 8 16, 9 54, A. M., 12 46, 2 08, 5 05, 5 14, 6 32, 8 21 P. M. Sunday—5 45, 8 28 A. M., 2 05, 6 35 P. M.

Leave Easton 6 05, 7 00, 8 53, A. M., 12 32, 4 04, 7 00 P. M. Sundays—7 15, 10 52, A. M., 6 40, 7 30, P. M.

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Leave Plainfield 9 54, a. m., 5 05 p. m.

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LEAVE PLAINFIELD.

5 45 A. M. for Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport and Tamaqua.

7 10 a. m. for stations to High Bridge, connecting for stations on High Bridge Branch.

8 16 A. M. for Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R. Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9 54 A. M. for Flemington, High Bridge branch D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Pottsville, Nanticoke, Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c. Through coach to Williamsport.

12 46 p. m. way for Easton, connecting at Junction for stations on D. L. & W. R. R.

2 08 P. M. for Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Sunbury and Williamsport, Wilkes-Barre and Scranton. Buffet parlor car to Mauch Chunk.

4 46 p. m., way for Easton, connecting at High Bridge for stations on High Bridge branch.

5 14 P. M. for Flemington, Easton, Bethlehem, Bangor, Allentown, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, Mauch Chunk, Shamokin and Tamaqua. Buffet parlor car to Scranton.

6 19 P. M. for Flemington.

6 38 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading and Harrisburg.

8 21 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

5 45 A. M. Sunday for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Wilkesbarre and Scranton. 8 28 a.m. Sundays for Easton. 2 08 p. m. Sundays for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Reading and Harrisburg. 6.35 p. m. Sundays for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, &c. and at Junction for D. L. & W. R. R.

For Atlantic City, 3 37 a. m. 1 18 p. m.

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Leave Plainfield 3 37, 8, 10 37, a. m., 1.18, 3 51, 5 54, p. m. Sundays—(except Ocean Grove) 8 52, a. m., 3 30 p. m.

For Perth Amboy, 3 37, 5 25, 8, 10 37 a. m., 1 18, 3 51, 4 50, 5.54, 7 09 p.m. Sunday—8 52, a. m., 3 30 p. m.

For Freehold, 3 37, 8, 10 37 a.m., 1 18, 3 51, 4 50, p.m.

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For Trenton 5 45, 8 44, 9 40*, 10 45, a. m., 12 46, 2 08*, 5 34*, 6 38*, 8 21, 9 27* p.m., 1 12 night. Sunday—5 45, 9 34, a. m., 2 08*, 5 14*, 6 35 p. m., 1 12 night.

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Leave Trenton, Warren and Tucker sts., 1 00, 4 58, 8 06, 10 25, a.m., 12 15*, 2 10, 4 29*, 5 34, 9 03 p.m. Sundays—1 00, 4 58, 9 06, 10 27 a. m., 1 16*, 4 33, 6 48*, 9 05 p. m.

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EPWORTH LEAGUE.

Lesson For the Week Beginning Feb. 10. Comment by Rev. Walter J. Yates, A. M. Topic, The Holy Garments.

BIBLE READINGS.—Ex. xxviii, 2; Gal. iii, 27; Eph. vi, 14-15; II Cor. vi, 7.

The ordinary priests when performing service were to be clothed with breeches, reaching to the knees, a robe or shirtlike tunic coming to the ankles, girdle around the waist and a turban, all of white linen. The garments of Aaron and his successors, the high priests, as they came to be called, were different in several respects. The breeches of linen were the same. The shirtlike coat or tunic was to be embroidered for him. Above this was to be worn a sleeveless robe of blue reaching to the knees, with a band at the neck and a fringe at the bottom of golden bells, interspersed with pomegranates of blue, purple and scarlet. Outside of this was the ephod made of "gold, blue, purple, scarlet and fine twined linen, with cunning work." It covered back and breast to the waist. It had secured to it at the shoulders two onyx stones, on each of which were engraved the names of six of the tribes of Israel. On the front was a breastplate of judgment of similar work, with the ephod, a span long, but doubled in the form of a pocket. On this were set 12 precious stones, each engraved with the name of one of the tribes. These were set in four rows of three each. The breastplate was fastened to the ephod by gold chains. At the sides of the ephod the "curious girdle" was attached and fastened back and front together. The real girdle or sash seems to have been the same for all. The turban of the chief priest became a miter, with a gold plate fastened by a blue lacing to the front and engraved with "Holiness to the Lord."

These special garments and the holy anointing oil marked the high priest as the mediator between God and man. He was the "anointed one," the messiah, as the Hebrew term is, the Christ in the Greek. All the types of the old dispensation found fulfillment in Jesus of Nazareth as the one anointed of the Father, the true Messiah, or Christ. He bore on his heart the judgment of the race, and his life exhibited holiness unto God. He made atonement once for all that those who obey him may be "clothed in fine linen, which is the righteousness of the saints."

Chautauqua and Oxford League.

The name of John H. Vincent will ever be linked with that of Chautauqua and the wonderful worldwide educational and religious movement for which that name now stands. Its marvelous success is due in great measure to his genius for planning and ability in execution, his skill in forming combinations of men, each in the right place and all working at their full capacity. But for the need of his work in another sphere his should have been the hand at the helm of the young people's movement in Methodism. He early discerned the signs of the times, and at the Baltimore conference of American Methodist churches in September, 1884, was the prime mover in organizing the Oxford league, which was planned to unite the forces of the young Methodists of the world after the pattern of the Holy club of Oxford. This society was adopted by the managers of the Sunday School union the year of its organization, and at the next general conference of the Methodist Episcopal church was recognized by that body by the appointment of a board of control. A revision of the plan in 1889 gave it still greater success than ever, till, in May of that year, 500 chapters, with 20,000 members, had been enrolled. Many believed that this should be the one great denominational society. But the existence of other unions with large membership in various parts of the country made concessions imperative if union of the Methodist forces was to be accomplished. So the Oxford league was merged in the new society, and the name adopted of Epworth League.

BISHOP VINCENT.

The Purpose.

Though it may be worded in various ways, the one aim of the young people's societies of all denominations is the cultivation of intelligent and vital piety and loyalty to the church of Jesus Christ.

The Method.

All earnest souls recognize the necessity for employing wise methods if a deeper and broader piety is to be attained. Constant association in devotional services with those spiritually inclined, active help given to the destitute and sinful, broad intelligence gained by reading and study of the best literature, healthful recreation under pure social conditions, are methods which will yield the best results.

"'Tis not thy work the Master needs; 'tis thee,
The obedient spirit, the believing heart,
The child obedient, trustful, glad to be
Where'er he will, to stay or to depart.
—J. R. Miller.

How It Works.

Among the Zulus the first sign of an approach to Christ is a desire for clothes. A man comes one day and buys a calico shirt, the next perhaps he buys a pair of duck pants, then a three legged stool, for he can no longer sit on the ground. Then, with clothes on and seated, he is a thousand miles above the heathen around him.—World Wide Missions.

The Point of View.

Christian faith is a grand cathedral with divinely pictured windows. Standing without you see no glory nor can possibly imagine any. Standing within, every ray of light reveals a harmony of unspeakable splendor. — Hawthorne's, "Marble Faun."

CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR.

Topic For the Week Beginning Feb. 10 Comment by Rev. S. H. Doyle.

TOPIC.—Becoming as little children.—Luke xviii, 15-17; Math. xi, 25, 26. (Union meeting with the Juniors suggested, led by Junior superintendent.)

In each of the topical references there is a different sense in which we are to become as little children and each for a different purpose. In Luke it is asserted that we are to become as little children that we may enter the kingdom of heaven, while in the reference in Matthew in a different sense we are to become as children that we may understand the mysteries of God's plan of redemption.

1. Becoming as little children that we may enter the kingdom of heaven (Luke xviii, 15-18). "Whosoever shall not receive the kingdom of God as a little child shall in nowise enter therein." These are the words of Christ to the disciples when they rebuked the people for bringing their infants to Him that He might bless them. The meaning is that to enter the kingdom of heaven one must become possessed of such a disposition as a child possesses. There are many characteristics of the natural child life disposition that could with profit be possessed by the Christian, but only the two most prominent need be referred to—one positive, the other negative—humility and confidence. To enter the kingdom of heaven we are to return to these natural dispositions of child life. Humbleness is a characteristic of children, and is also one of the necessary requirements to admission to God's kingdom. God hates pride and arrogancy and turns from them, but He is ever ready to receive the contrite and humble spirit. Confidence is another element of child life and of the true child of God. The child trusts his parents implicitly and with the heart, simply because they are his parents. So we are to trust God absolutely because he is God.

2. Becoming as little children that we may understand the great truths of the gospel (Math. xi, 25, 26). "I thank Thee, O Father, Lord of heaven and earth, because Thou hast hid these things from the wise and prudent, and hast revealed them unto babes" (Math. xi, 25). These are words taken from a prayer of Christ probably offered to God after the return of the 12 from a missionary tour with cheering reports. It alludes to the fact that God had revealed the things of Christ's kingdom to unlearned and uncultured men, such as the Galilean fisherman rather than to the wise and intelligent, such as the scribes and Pharisees. This fact is still prominent today. The world by human wisdom knows not God. The greatest scholars, the greatest statesmen, have often been the greatest strangers to the gospel mysteries. We often wonder why it is so. It was God's will. "Even so, Father, for so it seemed good in Thy sight." This fact teaches us that, whether ignorant or learned, to understand God's secrets we must come as children, as if we had no earthly wisdom and learning, and believe in God not because of our education or wisdom, but with the same confidence and childlike trust as if we had none of these things.

Bible Readings.—Ps. cxlviii, 12, 13; Prov. xv, 33; Isa. xi, 1-6; Eccl. xii, 1; Math. xviii, 1-4; xxi, 15, 16; Mark x, 13-15; Luke ix, 46-48; John iii, 1-5; I Cor. xiv, 20; Eph. iv, 1, 2.

English Endeavorers Enthusiastic.

Dr. Clark, who has recently returned from abroad, reports the enthusiasm for the society in Great Britain as quite equal to that which he finds in America. The Baptists are the leaders numerically in Christian Endeavor in England, although other evangelical denominations are coming well to the fore. England took the famous badge banner for the greatest number of societies formed during the last year, and our English friends are evidently inclined to keep it on their side of the water. Dr. Clark says that much interest in the great international convention in Boston next July is already manifested among the societies of Great Britain, and an excursion is even talked of from Ireland to attend that meeting. Altogether he feels that the prospect was never so encouraging for the Endeavor movement as today in all denominations and in all parts of the world. Like the Sunday school, it is rapidly becoming a worldwide movement.

The Cross of Sacrifice.

To hide the cross of sacrifice and self surrender behind the flowers of aestheticism, or to overlay the pleading of that sacrifice with the gratification of artistic tastes or the indulgence of sentimental emotions, is to God a dishonor, not a praise.—Churchman.

Christian Endeavor Gossip.

A blue jacket of Uncle Sam's navy, a Floating Christian Endeavorer, has been laying aside a tenth of his income recently, which he has given through the American board for missions in Turkey, in which he is interested.

Every one of the 1,200 convicts in the Kentucky penitentiary received a letter from the Christian Endeavorers of Louisville Christmas.

At the recent South Australian Christian Endeavor convention this remedy for long winded speakers was proposed, "Sing them down."

There are 514 societies of Christian Endeavor in Connecticut, with a membership of 35,000, and 180 junior societies, with more than 7,000 members.

A Cumberland Presbyterian social committee recently sent out an invitation to a social that contained the following line: "Admission fee—a pleasant smile and a hearty handshake."

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THE LOST WILL.

The Deakles on their part, contended that their father had destroyed the will himself; and they put in one or two letters written by the testator to Arthur shortly before his death, in which he showed some slight sign of relenting. Many witnesses were called in support of both cases. But in the opinion of the Judge the testator's sons had the best of it. It was quite natural, his lordship thought, that towards the end of his life the testator might have desired to repair what was certainly an act of injustice towards his sons. He therefore, pronounced for an intestacy.

Thus the two Deakles came into the whole of their father's money.

Henry Quillet did not take his defeat at all well. And, indeed, it was hardly natural that he should. He was convinced that there had been foul play at work, and that he had been cheated by his two cousins out of his uncle's property. How they had contrived to filch the old gentleman's will, when neither of them had set foot inside his house for ten years, seemed rather a puzzle certainly. Still, it might not have been so difficult to get one of the servants into a line. And in whatever way it had been done his cousins were, without a doubt, at the bottom of it.

He expressed his conviction to his solicitor in very forcible terms.

"Well, well," said the latter, cautiously, "it is a serious imputation to make. I will not say any more than this—Thomas Deakle is quite capable of it."

"And so is Arthur," added Quillet. "He is the more plausible and the more popular. But upon my soul I think he is the greatest knave of the two."

"I should not have thought it," replied the solicitor.

The other nodded. He did not think it worth while to argue the point; especially as he knew Quillet had a very particular reason for disliking Arthur, quite apart from this matter of old Deakle's money.

Arthur Deakle and Henry Quillet had both fallen in love with the same girl. She had refused the pattern, and accepted the scapegrace; and had even dared to make some rather plain observations to the pattern about his conduct in fostering the estrangement between father and son.

Quillet had indignantly repudiated the charge which he felt to be wholly unfounded. But the sting hurt him none the less. And this, added to his cousin's successful rivalry in the girl's affections, had worked his already prejudiced mind into a state of unspeakable rancour against Arthur.

Indeed, the bitterest point of all in his failure to win the probate action was not the loss of the money (which he was well enough off to do without), but the fact that Arthur Deakle would now be able to marry Maud Serbiton—a thing which his deep indebtedness and his lack of means hitherto made impossible.

"If the will has been stolen—which I cannot for a moment doubt—one of my uncle's servants must have seen it," said Quillet, confidently. "My whole energies shall now be devoted to finding which servant it was, and to obtaining a confession from him—or her. You have the draft of the will—have you not?"

"Certainly I have."

"And if we could establish that the will was feloniously made away with, we could prove the draft?"

"Beyond a doubt."

"Very well. Then I shall not rest until I have made my cousins disgorge every penny. No pains, no expense shall be spared. They have swindled me in the most shameful manner; and I do not mean to sit down by it."

"Well, I wish you success," said the solicitor. "But I cannot say that I have much hope of your succeeding."

Fully eighteen months later, however, the Attorney had a call from Quillet. The latter entered his office in a state of evident excitement, which he seemed quite unable to control, and the solicitor immediately saw that something important had turned up.

"Mr. Lexie," said Quillet—after the usual greetings had been exchanged—"when I was last in this office, a year an a half ago, I told you I would never rest until I had discovered the truth about my uncle's will. My efforts and my expenditure have resulted in nothing. But this morning—only this morning—something came to me, which you will not believe except by ocular demonstration. Look at that!"

As he spoke he drew a long, buff envelope from his pocket and handed it to the solicitor with trembling hand. The latter hastily inspected the contents, and, while he did so, a cry of amazement escaped him.

"There is no doubt about it, is there?" cried Quillet, eyeing him keenly.

"None whatever. The will was both engrossed and executed in this office. I drew it myself, you know. Two of my clerks were witnesses. Great heavens! This is a marvel. How on earth did you obtain this, Mr. Quillet?"

"It reached me through the post from an anonymous source," replied Quillet. "No communication accompanied it. You may imagine that I was perfectly thunderstruck when I opened it."

"I should think so, indeed. I never heard of anything so extraordinary. * * * Hem—hem"—(examining the envelope), "the handwriting of the address is strange to you, I suppose?"

"Perfectly. But you see it is a regular commercial hand, with no distinctive characteristic."

"Yes—yes. And it was posted at Charing Cross, I notice. Mr. Quillet, you must leave no stone unturned to find out the sender."

"I will have every farthing that is to be got—every farthing," cried Quillet, with glittering eyes. "After the way my cousins have treated me they cannot expect, and they shall not obtain, any mercy. The cheats! The scoundrels! I will grind them—I will crush them (he clinched his fists savagely) in the hollow of my hand."

Mr. Lexie looked a little surprised at this venomous outburst. But he knew Quillet to be an excitable person and a man of strong passions, so he discreetly let it pass without comment. He was perfectly ready to take the necessary legal steps for getting the intestacy cancelled and proving the now discovered will, for that was only fair and just. But he had no intention of importing vindictiveness into the proceedings; not, at any rate, until it could be more clearly established that the sons of his late client, Jeremiah Deakle, had had some hand in the theft of the will. For, supposing that they had not, both were now in a position which merited pity far more than severity.

When the client had gone the solicitor took up the envelope in which the will had been posted and again subjected it to a careful scrutiny. In holding it up he happened to get it in such a position that the light shone through it, and he then noticed that it was a trifle more opaque at the lower end. He immediately thrust his hand down to explore the cause, and there—with a sense of considerable excitement—discovered a thin slip of paper clinging to the side, which had evidently escaped Quillet's observation.

He drew it out, unfolded it—it was doubled once—and then proceeded to scrutinize it eagerly. To his great disappointment it proved to be no communication from the sender but a receipted restaurant bill for a pint of Bollinger and a dozen oysters, which clearly must have got into the envelope by mistake.

Then it dawned upon him that, although this might be less satisfactory, than an explicit letter from the sender, it might, nevertheless, serve as an important clue. And he reflected that intortuous affair what a rogue does by accident is often a better key to his secrets than he does by design. The restaurant bill bore a title at its head—that of a French oyster saloon in Leicester Square; and also a date, that of yesterday. He would go there immediately and make inquiries, while the memories of the proprietor and of the waiters would be still green. Nothing might come of it, of course. Those places were always crowded when the music halls came out; and a pint of Bollinger and a dozen natives, was no distinctive meal. Still, he would go; something might result from his inquiries; and if not, he was no further off.

The office boy, therefore, was sent to call a cab, and five minutes later Mr. Lexie was driving in the direction of Leicester Square.

On reaching his destination, he inquired for the proprietor of the restaurant. And that personage was at once fetched, oily, bland, and bejewelled, but looking rather seedy and worn, nevertheless in the garnish light of day. He listened very politely to the solicitor's inquiries; but he was very sorry, he could tell him nothing. With such a crowd in at nights it was impossible to recollect one individual, even if the gentleman were able to describe his appearance, which he could not do. Stay though. The number of the table was on the bill. He would call the garcon who attended to that table. He would be more likely to have noticed though this was very doubtful. However he would call him.

"Pierre," cried the proprietor to one of the waiters lounging in the window. "Pierre. Hither, my lad, you make yourself to be desired."

"Right y' are, sir," replied the garcon, hurrying up towards them. It was evident when he opened his mouth that Pierre's tongue had first wagged on the banks, not of the Seine, but of the Thames.

Mr. Lexie at once stated the subject of his inquiries. But he had not occasion to say much before the waiter gave vent to a sudden exclamation.

"S'elp me bob!" he ejaculated. "I wonder if it's the gent who came in with his arm in a sling."

"What of him? What did he do?" queried Mr. Lexie, greatly interested.

"Told me his right arm was damaged, so that he couldn't write, and asked me as a favor gest to 'dress a wollop—beg pardin, sir—a henvelope for 'im."

"He did!" exclaimed the solicitor, now trembling with excitement. "Do you recollect to whom you addressed it?"

The other shook his head. "I can't 'zactly," he said, scratching his poll in true British fashion. "'Twor a rather queer name; but the gent who owned it lived somewhere in Kentish-town—Tuf—Tuf"——

"Seven hundred, Tufnell park—eh?" interposed Mr. Lexie.

"That's it, sir! that's it, I do believe!"

"And is this the envelope that you addressed?" asked the solicitor, producing it and holding it forward.

"Aye, it is, indeed, sir! Are you the gent it's 'dressed to? I hope I did nothing wrong, sir?"

"Nothing whatever. No, I'm not the addressee; but a client of mine is, and if you can tell us a little more about the gentleman who employed you, my client will reward you handsomely. He didn't give you his name, of course?"

"No, sir."

"Did you notice what he was like? Does he often come here?"

"I never saw him here before, sir. He was an ordinary-looking gent; nothing to notice. Just dark hair and mustache, and dress clothes. I can't say no more nor that."

"Well, look here," said the solicitor, "if he comes to this place again, you send me a telegram at once, will you? If it is after 6, wire to my private address: if before, to my office. Here" taking a couple of cards from his case), "here is my name and both addresses, one on each. And, by the way, there's a sovereign for you. Will you do this. We will make it worth your while."

"Certainly, sir, certainly. And thank 'ee kindly," said Pierre, pocketing the gold.

Mr. Lexie turned away. Then he came back. "By the bye," he said, "my client has an appointment with me at 10 to morrow, at my office. Could you run up then, and meet him there? He might want to ask you a few more questions. You will not be busy at that hour, will you?"

"No, sir. I never come here till noon; I'll trot up to your horfice with the greatest pleasure."

"All right. Good-day."

On his return journey the solicitor reflected that what he had learned was not, after all, so very valuable. Still, it might lead to much. He might be on the very verge of a great discovery.

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Promptly at 10 o'clock Henry Quillet arrived at Mr. Lexie's office, and was at once shown into the solicitor's presence. The latter was just beginning to tell his client what he had discovered yesterday afternoon when a rap came at the door.

"Come in," said Mr. Lexie.

A clerk entered.

"I beg your pardon, sir," he said, deferentially. "But another gentleman has just called, who says that he is here by appointment—to meet Mr. Quillet."

"Good. Show him up."

A minute later Pierre was ushered in. He at once uttered a cry of surprise.

"So you've found the gent?" he ejaculated.

"Found whom?" asked Mr. Lexie, frowning perplexedly.

"Why, 'im," he said, indicating Quillet. "'im as axed me to 'dress that wollop!"

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Jeremiah Deakle's will, genuine though it was, was never proved by the sole beneficiary, Henry Quillet. That gentleman, knowing that the girl he loved would never marry him, and burning, therefore to punish both her and his favored cousin, had hit upon the peculiar expedient of suppressing his uncle's will.

Only the accidental inclosure of that restaurant bill had discovered him to Mr. Lexie, who was naturally furious at having been thus imposed upon, and who told Quillet very plainly that, unless he destroyed the will in his presence then and there, he should take immediate steps to bring the matter under the cognizance of the Court. This Quillet dared not face; so he did what was demanded. Thomas Deakle soon went to the devil. But Arthur and his wife still live quietly and happily upon the residue of the estate, with which Quillet's extraordinary scheme of revenge had now permanently furnished them.—London Truth.

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Philadelphia, Feb. 9.—It is impossible to learn the name of the steamer reported ashore in the Delaware bay on Bulkhead shoal. The steamer was observed coming up the river and seemed to be a foreign vessel deeply laden. She had two masts and her funnel is painted a buff color. An ice boat has gone to her relief.

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Whereas, It is common rumor that a number of dogs owned by various residents within the limits of said township have come in contact with and been bitten by said rabid dog, therefore, be it

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Herman Schemer of Cottage place made complaint against Edward Cuff, a neighbor, charging him with stealing a wrapper, socks and aprons, from his store Saturday night.

Cuff went there to buy some cider, and while the proprietor was getting it he put the articles under his coat and walked away.

Justice Newcorn issued the warrant for Cuff's arrest, and this morning Cuff pleaded guilty. He was sent to Elizabeth, where he will be sentenced.

A Pleasant Social Event.

Saturday afternoon and evening Mrs. Wilbur Fisk gave an informal and pleasant reception and tea at her home on Arlington avenue to about 75 guests. The house had been tastefully trimmed and arranged with ferns and roses. Misses Allen and Fisk of New York, and Misses Walz and Atterbury, assisted the hostess in receiving and pouring tea.

Mrs. Willard and Lady Somerset.

The Woman's Christian Temperance Unions of Orange and East Orange announce their engagement of Frances E. Willard, LL. D., and Lady Henry Somerset, to lecture in Orange Music Hall Wednesday evening, Feb. 13.

Banked Out.

Jacob Schlick, the South Second street shoedealer, was unable to get into his store Friday morning, on account of the snow, which had blockaded the door. It took much vigorous exercise to clear it away.

Jack Frost the Plumbers' Friend.

During the storm Friday evening, M. F. Watson of Grant avenue had the misfortune to have the pipes throughout his house freeze. $30 damage was done in his bath room.

A Des Moines woman who has been troubled with frequent colds, concluded to try an old remedy in a new way, and accordingly took a tablespoonful (four times the usual dose) of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy just before going to bed. The next morning she found that her cold had almost entirely disappeared. During the day she took a few doses of the remedy (one teaspoonful at a time) and at night again took a tablespoonful before going to bed, and on the following morning awoke free from all symptoms of the cold. Since then she has, on several occasions, used this remedy in like manner with the same good results, and is much elated over her discovery of so quick a way of curing a cold. For sale at Reynolds's pharmacy, Park and North aves. T. S. Armstrong, manager.

JUDGMENTS IN COURT.

Plainfield Boys Arraigned for Handling Firearms.

CARELESSNESS SHARPLY CENSURED.

Grand Jury Commended for Finding Indictments, But Sentences Are Suspended Owing to the Youthfulness of the Prisoners—Counselor Craig A. Marsh Pleads for the Poor.

[From The Elizabeth Journal of Saturday.]

There was not a very large attendance at Court this morning. It was, however, sentence day, and judgment was passed in several cases of more than ordinary interest. The three Plainfield boys who were indicted as the result of the killing of Henry Greenleaf, a young companion, through careless use of firearms, were arraigned immediately on the opening of Court.

The boys were Clarence Rocap, aged eleven years, who fired the fatal shot, William Morgan and Samuel McDonald, the latter only eight years old and very small. The fathers of the young prisoners, and other friends, were in Court.

Prosecutor Marsh said it was a pitiful sight to see the boys in Court charged with crime, but the grand jury under the charge of Judge VanSyckel felt it their duty to find the indictments, which were drawn under the act of 1885, which makes it a crime for minors to use firearms.

The boys, excepting Rocap, had previously pleaded not guilty, but this morning asked to enter pleas of non vult, which the State accepted. The parents of the young prisoners were allowed to speak.

Charles McDonald, the father of the youngest boy, is a New York lawyer. He said no one regretted the deplorable consequences in the case more than himself and family, but there were some facts that he wished to present to the Court. His boy, although so young, was charged with using a rifle, which conveys an idea to the public of gross carelessness. The facts were that the boy is taking lessons in athletics and general sports, and among other things is taught how to handle a rifle. The weapon was a small Flobert rifle, and he exhibited to the Court the miniature cartridge used.

Mr. McDonald said that everything had been done to prevent a similar accident. The gun which had been used on this occasion has been destroyed, and the rifle his boy used taken away from him.

William Morgan, father of the Morgan boy, in behalf of his son, explained how his son came in possession of the rifle by purchase from Mr. McDonald, and by his consent. He expressed his regret over the sad result, and said he did not desire to cover up anything or to evade any blame.

Mr. Rocap spoke very briefly for his son, simply expressing how greatly he deplored the sad consequences, and said he was making every effort to guard against any such occurrence in the future.

Judge McCormick responded that the Court felt constrained to say that the grand jury had done its duty in bringing in these indictments. It has been the means of setting people thinking about the matter of the use of firearms. The indictments were proper for the protection of the community. As to the boys themselves, two at least, were so young, the community would not expect the Court to impose a penalty upon them. The result of the shooting was very unfortunate, said, and it was to be hoped a similar occurrence will not take place in this county. Under the circumstances the Court suspended sentence in the cases of all the boys.

Peter Kane, one of the boys charged with the careless rifle practice whereby Monace Evans was killed, was also in court, accompanied by his mother.

Counselor Craig A. Marsh made a statement that Kane's mother was too poor to employ counsel, and he made a motion in her behalf that counsel be assigned.

Judge McCormick said the Court had been informed that Kane's mother had already paid a fee to a lawyer for her son's defense.

Mr. Marsh said that was not so. Judge Coddington appeared for the boy at the coroner's inquest, but was not paid.

The Court reserved its decision.

John Klopf, a saloon keeper of Fanwood, who was indicted for selling without license and keeping a disorderly house in permitting card playing, was next arraigned.

Lawyer Connelly made a plea for the prisoner, making the statement that the men who had made the charge against him had drunk liquor in his place, played cards there and had not paid their bills.

To this statement Prosecutor Marsh said that he did not wish Klopf to go back with the idea in his mind that anyone had voluntarily gone before the grand jury. The witnesses against him were fairly dragged there, and the indictment was found because Klopf was habitually violating the law.

Judge McCormick rebuked the prisoner and imposed a fine of $20 and costs.

—While using a chisel, H. S. Thatcher of East Fourth street severely cut the forefinger of his left hand.

OBITUARY.

J. K. Hoyt.

The funeral of J. K. Hoyt took place today in this city.

J. K. Hoyt was a well-known Newark journalist and literary man, and his death occurred Friday morning in Plainfield, where he was visiting his wife's sister, Mrs. Matilda Rushmore. Mr. Hoyt had not been strong and well for several months, and for some time has not been engaged in any active employment, his last work being the writing of editorial matter for the Newark Times.

Mr. Hoyt was nearly 70 years old, and leaves a wife and one son, who live on an orange grove in the west coast of Florida, where the late Mr. Hoyt has spent several Winters.

Mr. Hoyt began a successful business career in New Orleans as a general dealer and factor for plantations, and thus amassed a snug fortune, but lost all during the war. He was also in the hardware business in New York.

He had always a taste for writing, and turning to journalistic work, became editor of the New Brunswick Times, which was then owned by the late Judge Guild. Early in the '70s he took a trip to Florida and wrote for the Newark Daily Advertiser a series of remarkably interesting letters descriptive of the scenery and resources of the country.

T. T. Kinney, then editor of the paper, was highly pleased with the letters and offered the writer the position of managing editor, which Mr. Hoyt accepted. In this capacity he continued to serve with credit to himself and the paper until some time after Noah Brooks became the chief editorial writer in 1885. He afterwards did editorial work on The Journal and other newspapers.

During all this time Mr. Hoyt was prominently identified with all literary enterprises, and clubs in this vicinity, and all received the impress of his talents. He translated "The Journey to the Moon" and other French books. His reputation has been most widely established, however, by his Encyclopedia of Familiar Quotations, published in conjunction with Miss Anna Ward, of Bloomfield.

On the completion of this excellent piece of work, Mr. Hoyt and his wife moved to Florida, and joined their son on his plantation. Meanwhile, his pen was never idle, and many contributions to various publications swelled the sum total of his extensive literary and journalistic life work.

Mr. Hoyt was a valuable contributor for The Constitutionalist during his lifetime.

Cycling on the Track.

A lone cycler was noticed contentedly wheeling his way along, between the tracks of the Central railroad at Dunellen, yesterday afternoon at 3:30. He was evidently trying to catch the westbound local which had just preceded him. A fortune awaits the man who will be the first to cover the country by wheeling along the telegraph wires, and it may yet be accomplished, for many cycling enthusiasts were skimming over the ice of Staten Island Sound yesterday.

Knocked Down By a Runaway.

A horse attached to an empty sleigh came down Watchung avenue from Netherwood last evening at runaway speed.

Miss Schlecin, who was crossing Watchung avenue near James E. Martine's residence, was struck by the sleigh and knocked down. She was not severely injured, however, and was able to walk to her home on Pearl street. The horse was stopped on North avenue, and its owner, who is not known, was awaited.

Frozen Pipes in Music Hall.

The extreme frigid weather of the last few days has occasioned considerable trouble to the Music Hall management by the freezing of a number of the pipes generating heat for the building. All day yesterday and last night plumbers were engaged in repairing the breaks in order that the hall may be comfortably warm for the performance this evening.

Ministers Meeting.

The Ministers Association meets this afternoon at the home of Rev. Cornelius Schenck. Mrs Schenck, who has been stormbound in Philadelphia since Thursday, came home in time to entertain the clerical guests. Rev. Dr. Robert Lowry read a paper on "The Kingdom of God".

—Jacob Kleiner, who runs the star route mail service between this city and Warrenville, attempted Saturday to reach the latter place. Owing to the condition of the roads Mr. Kleiner was unable to do so. He will make the attempt again today.

Four Big Successes.

Having the needed merit to more than make good all the advertising claimed for them, the following four remedies have reached a phenomenal sale. Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption, coughs and colds, each bottle guaranteed—Electric Bitters, the great remedy for liver, stomach and kidneys. Bucklen's Arnica Salve, the best in the world, and Dr. King's New Life Pills, which are a perfect pill. All these remedies are guaranteed to do just what is claimed for them and the dealer whose name is attached herewith will be glad to tell you more of them. Sold at L. W. Randolph's drug store.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

Miss Margaret Corlell is visiting friends in Rahway.

Mrs. James Insley of Milford is visiting friends in this city.

James Brown of South Second street is suffering with a severe cold.

Brereton Platt of Waynewood place is visiting relatives in Yonkers.

R. C. Varian is home from a trip spent in engaging Music Hall attractions.

D. H. Gayle of Cincinnati is visiting his brother George Gayle of 18 Vine street.

Mailcarrier Loughlin froze both ears while carrying mail in Friday's blizzard

The Misses Blein are spending a few days with Miss Katie Zahn of New Brunswick.

Henry Lowe and a college chum spent Sunday at the former's home on Park avenue.

Miss Marion Maloney of New York city is visiting Miss Margaret Hickey of Plainfield avenue.

Mrs. Doane, wife of Chief Engineer T. O. Doane, is very ill at her home on East Fifth street.

John Thompson of Stebbins place is still suffering with a severe attack of quinsy sore throat.

A cotillion will be given at the home of ex-Mayor and Mrs. L. V. F. Randolph Wednesday evening.

Miss Jennie Quick of 325 East Fifth street is visiting her friend Miss Mamie Groendyke, at Finderne.

L. B. Bromfield and family of East Sixth street have returned from a visit to relatives in Philadelphia.

Mrs. Tier, wife of Freeholder John H Tier, Sr., of Bank place, is convalescing from an attack of the grip.

Herman Simmonds left last week for Florida, where he will remain until Spring for the benefit of his health.

John W. Kirkner of West Eighth street, who has been seriously ill with pneumonia, is steadily improving in health.

Mrs. Morgan S. Taylor, with her daughter and son, expects to sail for Europe in the steamship Kaiser William, Feb. 23.

Harry Foose of South Second street returned home Friday, after a pleasant visit to his sister, Mrs. S. Crater, Newark.

Mr. and Mrs. George VanNest of Dunellen spent Sunday pleasantly with Mr. VanNest's mother and sister on Elmwood place.

Miss Mabel Gillies of Madison avenue has returned from a pleasant visit with relatives in Brooklyn, New York and Elizabeth.

Mrs. W. J. Ford of East Fourth street, who has been confined to her home the past week with a very severe cold, is no better today.

Mrs. Dudley Insley of Tocoma, and her sister Miss See of Sing Sing, are the guests of Mrs. Elmer E. Runyon of Madison avenue.

Mrs. George Howell, who has been visiting her sister Mrs. F. D. Whiting of East Sixth street, has returned to her home in Chester.

David S. Dunavan, who has been ill at his home on East Third street, is much improved and hopes to be able to attend to business soon.

The condition of Hiram Hornish is much better, and this afternoon he was taken from the Muhlenberg Hospital to his rooms on North avenue.

The party that was to be held at the residence of Miss Daisy Sprague on Spooner avenue Thursday evening was postponed because of the blizzard.

Rev. Charles L. Goodrich, pastor of the Congregational Church, is able to be out again after an attack of the grip, and occupied his pulpit as usual yesterday morning.

Mrs. Julius Williams of Elmwood place expected her husband home Saturday evening, but on account of the uncertain condition of railroad travel he remained in Philadelphia over Sunday.

Geo. W. Bird, of the office staff of Messrs. Reed & Coddington, no longer wears a mustache to deceive the eye. His clear cue, Napoleonic features still have the same old smile, however.

W. E. MacClymont's organ recital, which was to be held at the Westfield Presbyterian Church last Thursday evening, but was postponed because of the storm, will be given Friday evening.

The many friends of Ralph Campbell, a graduate of the High School in '93, and at present a Freshman in the University of New York, will be glad to hear that he has passed all his examinations with honor.

Past President Mrs. E. C. Morse and Mrs. I. L. McVoy of the Women's Relief Corps, No. 10, of this city, received recognition at the encampment in Trenton last week. Mrs. Morse was chosen Department President, and Mrs. McVoy Department Treasurer.

Mrs. Emily Thorne, who resides at Toledo, Washington, says she has never been able to procure any medicine for rheumatism that relieves the pain so quickly and effectually as Chamberlain's Pain Balm and that she has also used it for lame back with great success. For sale at Reynolds's pharmacy, Park and North aves. T. S. Armstrong, manager.

WRECKED IN THE STORM

Blizzard Experiences of Plainfielders on the Road.

STALLED IN BIG SNOW DRIFTS.

Railroad Management Highly Commended for Kind Treatment of Passengers—Memorial Adopted for Presentation to the Philadelphia and Reading Officials.

Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Dobbins, who were storm-stalled at Hopewell, arrived home last evening about 9.

Mr. Dobbins explains the delay as follows:

"We left Trenton Friday afternoon about 4 for Trenton Junction. When we arrived at the latter place the ticket agent told us that a train had gone through all right at 2 that afternoon, and that the express, which is due in Plainfield at 5:28, was then due at the Junction. We did not have long to wait, and when the train arrived we got aboard.

"Everything then was all right. With the two 'hog' engines a high rate of speed was obtained. One stop was made, at Skillman, to let off a passenger, and we resumed our journey. The train got under good headway again, and was making excellent time, when every passenger was thrown from his seat by a sudden sharp jerk of the train.

"Several of the men hurried through to the baggage car, and there they saw one of the firemen with his arm and hand severely cut and the train hands trying to bandage his cuts. The rest of the engineers and firemen escaped without injury, and in fact no one was injured excepting the one fireman.

"We learned that the engines had run into a snow drift about 15 feet high and had telescoped.

"The conductor told us we would have to remain there for the night, and we made ourselves as comfortable as possible.

"About 4 Saturday morning we were taken back to the station at Hopewell, where we got warm, and hot coffee was served in abundance. All went back to the train again, and remained there till 6 a. m.

"Conductor Evans then told his passengers that arrangements had been made at the hotels, and all would be taken care of, which was done.

"There were 260 men put to work at once, cleaning the tracks, and they have been working steadily. A provision train was stalled near Pennington, and it required three hours with 100 men to get it out of the snow.

"We were well taken care of by the company, and were told that just as soon as anything could be done to put the passengers through they would be notified.

"It was not till yesterday afternoon that the tracks were cleared to Trenton Junction, and then everyone was taken to Trenton, where they were given transportation to Elizabeth and New York.

"Among the passengers was Miss E. U. Yates, who was to speak at the W.C.T.U meetings in this city yesterday. The passengers are very grateful to Conductor E. C. Evans for his most excellent treatment and cordial manner."

The following resolutions were drafted by Benj. L. Tomes of Elizabeth, and subscribed to by the passengers:

Hopewell, N. J., Feb. 10, '95.

To whom it may concern:

We, the undersigned snowbound passengers of the Philadelphia and Reading Railroad from Philadelphia to New York, leaving the former city Friday, Feb. 8, at 6:10, p m. hereby beg to express our sincere gratitude to the citizens of the town of Hopewell for their very kind and open-hearted hospitality during our forced but pleasant stay among them. The demands of home and business, the desire to be with our beloved ones, may have caused some expressions of impatience on our part, but the liberal manner of our reception has gone far to compensate us for the inconveniences to which we have been unavoidably subjected. To the proprietor of the Hopewell Hotel and his good family, and to the pastors of the several churches, we are indebted for a warm reception in this hour of need; and to the railway officials for every effort on their part to ameliorate our condition.

It also seems appropriate that we should avail ourselves of this opportunity to give our humble, but devout thanks to Almighty God for his providential protection of us in the hour of danger. In conclusion we would say that should any or all of the above mentioned be placed in a like position we offer to them the hospitalities of our respective towns and homes and in the meantime we shall preserve a lasting memory of their kindness to us. May God bless them and theirs.

It is our desire and wish that a copy of these be presented to the Chairman of the Commissioners of the town of Hopewell and to the press.

Signed the 10th day of February in the year of our Lord, Eighteen Hundred and Ninety-five:

Miss E U Yates, Round Pond, Maine; Andrew Johnstone, High Bridge; Wm H Bayne, New York; Mrs. Lucebe D Soule, Boston; O W Kingsley, Boston; Fred Eastwood, Mrs. Ida M Eastwood, Fall River, Mass.; Frederick J Phillips, Brooklyn; W W Caldwell, Hartford, Conn.; Benjamin L. Tomes, Elizabeth; R M Helmer, Brooklyn; S L Harter, West Hoboken; Leon H Folz, Philadelphia; A S Cole, New York; H S Dobbie, New York; Wm H DeMott, Pottstown, Pa.; P A Rath, 72 Grove street Brooklyn; B Weinstock, New York; W H Cogswell; Philadelphia; Joe Bauman, New York; Jas A Davie, New York; Mrs W H Cogswell, Philadelphia; Chas B Babbow, Brooklyn; J Linenthal, Chicago; P H Friend and Mrs P H Friend, 24 Forest street, Boston; Theodore Hedge, Plainfield; Wm Ettel, New York; L E Murray, Philadelphia; M C Dobbins and wife, Plainfield; A H. Perrigo, Omaha; Paul Boyton, Chicago; T M Griffing, news agent, Washington, D C; S Oppenheimer, New York; and Parker F Soule, Boston.

EARLY INTELLIGENCE.

—The Young Men's League of Hope Chapel will meet for regular business this evening at 8.

—The initiating team of the Sons of Veterans will meet Wednesday evening at their rooms to rehearse their parts.

—Dave the barber is planning to place three handsome large glasses in his shop. He expects to put in an additional chair also.

—On account of the severe cold, the attendance at the Hope Chapel Sunday-school was somewhat reduced yesterday afternoon.

—Trains were run yesterday from Philadelphia at intervals, by the way of Allentown. There were still no trains to Washington.

—The regular weekly meeting of the Hope Chapel Christian Endeavor society will be held Wednesday, instead of Tuesday as heretofore.

—The high winds of Saturday and Sunday have blown most of the snow off Hyde's meadows, leaving the ice in fine condition for skating.

—Frost cracked one of the plate-glass show windows in J. A. Smith's grocery store last evening. A sharp report accompanied the breakage.

—There will be no Christian Endeavor service in the Congregational Church next Sunday evening, on account of the union Y. M. C. A. meetings.

—Tomorrow being Lincoln's Birthday, The Daily Press will publish a special page of new copyrighted material devoted to the martyred president.

—Someone left a snowplow in the middle of Putnam avenue near Franklin place, and as several horses stumbled over it a deal of profanity resulted.

—South avenue has been spoiled for sleighing, as the high winds have swept it clean in many places. Fine sleighing is to be found on Front street, however.

—Clarence S. Johnson, secretary of the Mt. Olive Baptist Sunday-school, took charge of the school yesterday afternoon in the absence of Superintendent M. C. Dobbins.

—An entertainment and social will be enjoyed at the East Third Street Mission tomorrow evening. P. Ludwig Conde and his orchestra will form a most important part of the programme.

—The sidewalk on East Front street just this side of ex-Mayor L. V. F. Randolph's residence is completely blocked with snow. Pedestrians are obliged to take to the road at that point.

—The sidewalks fronting the City Park and Seventh-Day Baptist Cemetery still remain covered with snow several inches deep, through which pedestrians are compelled to wade in passing along Ninth street.

—The Plainfield people who attended the Trenton encampment arrived home Saturday evening by the Pennsylvania Railroad, excepting Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Dobbins, who came last night by the same road.

—The Y. M. C. A. double male quartette are doing excellent work. Rehearsals are frequently held, prior to the opening exercises of the new building, and the State convention, which commences Thursday.

—The Ladies Aid Society of Monroe Avenue Chapel will hold their annual supper Tuesday evening, Feb. 19. There will be fancy and useful household articles for sale during the evening. The admission, including supper, will be 25 cents.

—A deal of indignation was felt by pedestrians of West Seventh street yesterday at the almost impassable condition of some of the sidewalks, the snow not having been cleaned off since the storm of Friday. The people were obliged in places to walk knee-deep or take the middle of the road.

O. W. O. Hardman, sheriff of Tyler Co., W. Va., appreciates a good thing and does not hesitate to say so. He was almost prostrated with a cold when he procured a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. He says: "It gave me prompt relief. I find it to be an invaluable remedy for coughs and colds." For sale at Reynolds's pharmacy, Park and North aves. T. S. Armstrong, manager.

THE POPE AND SOCIALISM.

"If It Means More Social Justice, It Is a Noble Aim."

Paris, Feb. 11.—The Petit Meridional in Montpellier reports a long conversation which Deputy Paul Vigno, radical socialist, had with the pope during his recent visit in Rome. In answering a question concerning socialism his holiness said: "If socialism means the efforts made to improve the condition of the poorer classes in a progressive, prudent and reasonable manner, if you apply that idea to whatever has been done to realize more social justice in the government of men, then it is impossible to pursue a nobler aim. Such was the work of christianity, which inaugurated the era of clemency and pity and true fraternity at a time when cruel paganism and when the pitiless Roman world was in apogee. To occupy oneself with the social question, with a clear conception of the grave responsibilities resting on all who hold wealth and authority, is to continue the work of the divine master. It is what I have not ceased doing since my advent to the throne.

"As to the parties in France to which the name of socialist is given, I think their work will be sterile and they will be powerless as long as they do not lean on religion for support. Violent opposition to the government by those parties in France and Germany has become increasing and redoubtable, but it will all be vain, because religion has been vanished from them. Your republic is a very acceptable form of government despite its errors, and I love it more than is supposed in France. Why should it not be religious?"

"THE CRISIS SURELY COMING."

Sovereign Says No Need for Winchesters and Gatling Guns.

Philadelphia, Feb. 11.—"The crisis is surely coming" said General Master Workman of the Knights of Labor Sovereign, at Labor Lyceum hall, in an address to the members of local assembly No. 3,721 composed of cloth cutters and shop tailors. "There will be a serious upheaval in this country within twelve months. Every move on the social chessboard indicates it. Capitalists tactics are forcing the issue and organized labor will be the victor. It will be a peaceful revolution, accomplished without the aid of Winchesters and Gatling guns. After the fight is over people will say, when they see a Knight of Labor who has been steadfast throughout the great strife, 'There goes an American patriot.' We want you to enlist for the war, to become an integral part of our grand organization; until there is gathered within our fold sufficient numerical strength to say to the other fellow: 'This far you have gone, and, by the eternal God you shall go no further.'"

CALLING OUT THE RESERVES.

Foreigners Must Remain at Home or Must Have Permits.

London, Feb. 11.—Daily News correspondent in Constantinople says: "An order has been issued calling out a considerable number of reserves. Various rumors as to this step are in circulation. One is that Russia has massed troops on the frontier; another that the cause is trouble in Monastir and Macedonia.

Influencial Turks express anxiety as to the effect of this partial mobilization. Orders have been issued throughout the empire that neither foreigners nor natives shall leave the towns in which they live, or, if away, shall return to them without special permits from Constantinople."

The Workingman's Friend.

London, Feb. 11.—The Standard's correspondent in Vienna says: "Emperor Franz Joseph desires to celebrate his imperial jubilee by an act benefitting the workingmen of Vienna, and consequently he has approved the scheme of applying 250,000 florins, the proceeds from the sale of lands formerly covered with fortifications, towards a fund for artisans dwellings. Many industrial associations and councils, including the Vienna corporation, will join in bringing the fund up to several millions. The districts chosen for the dwellings are the three poorest suburbs of Vienna. The first colony will be opened on Dec. 2, 1898, when the emperor will have reigned fifty years."

Sadder But Wiser Men.

Chicago, Feb. 11.—Two farmers, Newton Brinston and George M. Ishinger, from Muncie, Ind., came to this city Friday, having been in communication with some green goods men. Yesterday morning they parted with $500 in good money for $1,000 of the spurious goods. At the depot they wanted to see their roll of money and opening the box, found a very dilapidated brick, carefully wrapped in green paper. Thinking there had been a mistake they hastened back, but the men had disappeared. The swindlers escaped and the farmers took the next train back for Indiana.

Held by Sixty Fathom of Chain.

Glasgow, Feb. 11.—The Anchor line steamer Anchoria, Capt. Young, which left New York on January 26, and was due here last Tuesday, came up the Clyde yesterday. She is undamaged. Her captain reports that she experienced strong northwest gales the first two days of her voyage, and a northeast hurricane afterwards. With the hurricane came blinding snow and sleet. On the 4th and 5th she stopped and put her anchor and sixty fathoms of chain to hold her head to the wind.

"You Must Prepare To Fight."

Berlin, Feb. 11.—The anarchists met last evening in Deigimueller hall. Comrade Schlaechter, a joiner, closed a fiery speech with a general denunciation of the social democrats and their pacific policy and the declaration that there was no such thing as changing present conditions peacefully. "You must prepare to fight," he shouted. The next moment he was arrested and the meeting was dissolved.

Killed by Polanders.

Scranton, Pa., Feb. 11.—As a result of a brawl among Polanders, Felix Dawidziak of South Wyoming avenue was shot and almost instantly killed by either John Wismewski or Anthony Jakofski it is alleged. Both of the men are still at large. Four men and one woman have been arrested and are detained as witnesses. The police expect to get the suspected murderers.

EIGHTEEN DAYS MORE

Congress in This Time To Close Its Affairs.

One Bill Only Has Received Mr. Cleveland's Signature—Measures in the Senate To Receive Much Debate—Will the Government Own the Mail Cars?

Washington, Feb. 11.—Beginning with to-day there yet remain to this congress but eighteen days in which to transact business and close up its affairs. Despite the fact that the end is so near but one of thirteen appropriation bills that provide for the governmental expenditures for the year ending June 30, 1896, have become a law and received the signature of the president—the military academy bill, the army bill has been signed by the officers of both houses and has gone to the white house; there are in conference pensions, fortifications and the District of Columbia bills. The diplomatic bill passed the senate on Saturday after a long debate on the subject of the Hawaiian cable. There is now on the senate the postoffice and Indian bills and Chairman Cockrell expects to report the agricultural bill to-day.

The two bills now before the senate will be subject to much debate but the degree to which it may be protracted depends entirely upon the attitude of those in charge with regard to the withdrawal of certain objectionable amendments that have been made. The first bill to be called up is the postoffice appropriation bill. At the solicitation of Mr. Vilas, the committee has reported an amendment to this bill providing that the government shall own the postal cars in use on the different roads carrying the fast mails. The republicans look upon this as the first step in the direction of government ownership of the railroads and will antagonize the amendment.

Another and a far more important amendment more objectionable from a political standpoint is one that places the expenditures of the three millions of dollars appropriated for the support of the special fast mail facilities, at the absolute discretion of the postmaster general. This, republicans say, is contrary to all precedents. They maintain that congress itself should stipulate where and how this money should be spent. So long as this amendment is permitted to remain as a part of the bill republican leaders say they will not permit it to pass. Necessarily, it follows that this bill will precipitate a good deal of discussion unless those in charge of the measure capitualte early in the fight to the opposition that will be raised to these two amendments.

The passage of the postoffice bill will be followed by a struggle between the pooling and bankruptcy bill. Mr. Butler some days ago introduced a resolution which makes the pooling bill the unfinished business and keeps it before the senate until finally acted upon. He gave notice that he would call it up immediately after the passage of the postoffice bill and this contest will probably occur some time to-morrow. Those republicans who are against the bankruptcy bill will assist in substituting the pooling bill for it, but such a victory would be of no material benefit to the pooling bill for it would be set aside for appropriation bills or talked to death which latter seems to be the sure fate of the bankruptcy measure in case the pooling bill should not displace it. There appears to be little hope of the pooling bill ever reaching the final stage, for a number of senators capable of unlimited speech, and willing to indulge therein are ready to antagonize it and they could easily at this late day send the pooling bill to an untimely end. It is immaterial whether the agricultural or the Indian bill comes up next. Changes in both of them will be demanded by the republicans. At the last session, the republicans, against the opposition of the democrats, had a million dollars appropriated for the extermination of the Russian thistle, this appropriation going on to the agricultural bill as an amendment but was stricken out in conference. Now the bill carries an amendment reported by the committee appropriating the same amount for the extermination of the gypsy moth which will be fought by the republicans. In addition to this there is said to have been put in the bill some new and objectionable paragraphs that must be expunged before the bill can pass the senate.

They May Appeal to Russia.

London, Feb. 11.—The Berlin correspondent of the Morning Post says that the Chinese envoys who arrived at Marseilles last week have no mission to the European powers, and will make no effort to secure general European intervention. The envoys may appeal to Russia, however, as they will go to St. Petersburg ostensibly for the purpose of conveying their Emperor's congratulations to Czar Nicholas.

Italy Seeking Aid from England.

New York, Feb. 11.—Throughout the entire week there have been active negotiations in progress between Italy and England, and it is probable that some important decisions have been arrived at in relation to African matters. Italy is seeking to secure the aid of England in Africa, but the British government, by reason of the parliamentary situation, energetically refuses to commit itself.

The Storm in Dublin.

Dublin, Feb. 11.—An unprecedented snow storm has blocked traffic throughout the south of Ireland. The American mail which left Dublin yesterday has been unable to get beyond Charlesville. The Cork trains for Dublin are fast in the snow near Butte Vaut, fifteen miles from here. The snow falls so rapidly as to prevent clearing the tracks.

Rockford's $75,000 Fire.

Rockford, Ill., Feb. 11.—Fire yesterday destroyed the Syndicate block on Seventh street, one of the largest building in the city. The block contained seven stores and several families live on the upper floors. Loss $75,000.

EIGHT DAYS OVERDUE.

No News of the La Gascogne—Superintendent West Talks.

Quarantine, S. I., Feb. 11.—Neither the Dania or Normandie sighted the overdue French line steamer La Gascogne. The Dania and La Normandie are anchored out side Sandy Hook bar, and both came over the same course as La Gascogne should have followed. La Normandie is a sister steamer of La Gascogne. Superintendent West says:

"We consider La Gascogne now one of the staunchest and best equipped vessels afloat. She was entirely refitted about six months ago with new boilers and new engines. She had triple expansion engines before—now she has quadruple expansion engines. These new engines not only lessen the quantity of coal used but increase her speed. This is her second westward trip since she was overhauled, and the tests made after she was repaired make us confident that she was perfectly seaworthy in every way."

In speaking of the possibility of La Gascogne being at the Azores, Superintendent West said that if she had been disabled while within a few hundred miles of the islands she would most likely have put in there. If she was closes to this port she would undoubtedly have tried to come in here.

Superintendent West has been at the French line pier almost continuously for the last four days and nights.

SCHOONERS ASHORE.

The Sloop Flash Has Found a Resting Place on a Mud Flat.

Atlantic City, N. J., Feb. 11.—The schooners Emma Ann Stephen, Capt. J. Scherer, and the Wolsey, Capt. H. J. Knueses, both of New York, which went ashore on Little Beach were floated at high tide and took a safer anchorage than when the ice floes from the bay drove them on the beach. The two crews who were rescued by the life saving crew went aboard again and will return to New York in the schooners, which suffered but slightly from their accident.

The sloop Flash, which was ice bound and in danger of foundering, found a safe resting place by running aground on a mud flat in the bay.

SLAVERY NOT ABOLISHED.

A Woman Sold on the Auction Block in Kentucky for $1.05.

Georgetown, Ky., Feb. 11.—A novel spectacle was furnished the younger generation here Saturday. It was the sale by public auction of two colored women, Sara Jackson and Bettie Fishback. They were convicted of vagrancy in the circuit court and ordered to be sold into slavery for the period of six months. The sale took place in front of the court house, Deputy Sheriff Shuff, being the auctioneer and attracted a large crowd. The women were bought by two colored men, Henry Jackson and Richard Coleman and brought $1.05 and $2.00 respectively.

They Ask for Transportation.

St. Louis, Feb. 11.—The Globe Democrat says telegrams received here from the City of Mexico by the commissary department ask for transportation from the frontier for supplies for $5,000 men and announce a forward movement of that number of men into the disputed territory. This body of men has been encamped at San Cristoval, Mexico, for three weeks, ready to jump across the border. Guatemala has a strong guard in the disputed strip and a fight seems sure. In official circles here it is said that no forward movement has been ordered.

Preached on Behalf of Seamen.

Gloucester, Mass., Feb. 11.—A memorial service for fishermen lost from this port the past year was held yesterday at the Universalist church, and most of the local clergy assisted in the exercises, Rev. M. Cook, of the Methodist church, preached a very interesting sermon. Rev. Charlton, of the Fishermen's Institute, read the names of 123 men who had been drowned from here the past year, out of which number only 23 bodies had been recovered and buried on shore.

Farewell to His Loved One.

Berlin, Feb. 11.—Capt. von Goessel's brother-in-law says that when the captain saw from the Elbe's bridge that his ship was doomed he wrote a few farewell words to his wife and handed the paper to the pilot who was rescued. Goessel ordered that this note be delivered to his wife alone and be kept secret from all others. The purport of this last message is still unknown outside Goessel's immediate family.

Children Burned to a Crisp.

Brazil, Ind., Feb. 11.—The six-year-old and three-months-old daughters of William Cassidy residing eight miles north of this city, were burned to death last evening. Mrs. Cassidy left the children while she went to feed the hogs, and when she returned they both were lying dead upon the floor. The bodies having been burned to a crisp. It is thought their clothing caught fire while they were playing before a grate fire.

Held Up for $17.

Falls City, Neb., Feb. 11.—Agent Hurst of the Missouri Pacific railroad was held up in the station by two masked men last night. While one held up the agent the other went through the safe overlooking a package of bills and getting but $17 in change. The bandits took their prisoner two miles up the track and let him go. There is no clue to the identity of the highwaymen.

May Evade the Law.

Stepney, Conn., Feb. 11.—Rev. H. W. Jones, pastor of the Baptist church, announced yesterday that he intended to inaugurate a movement to stop the illegal sale of liquor. The town is no-license, but Pastor Jones said that he had the names of a number of persons who were violating the laws. He has called upon the State Law and Order league to assist him.

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EX-QUEEN TO THE BAR

Kept a Diary Which Will Be Used Against Her.

May Receive Clemency Consistent with Public Safety—President Dole May Reprieve British and American Prisoners Under Sentence of Death—Davis Must Keep Clear.

Victoria, B. C., Feb. 11.—The steamer Warimoo, which arrived yesterday brings the following advices from Honolulu dated Feb. 3:

The Advertiser of Jan. 31, pointedly animadverted upon the impropriety of foreign representatives interfering with local political affairs, and by their interposition embarrassing the action of the new government. Within a few days much resentment has been expressed about some interference of this nature which has recently come to light. It is positively asserted that early in the outbreak United States Minister Willis and British Commissioner Hawes joined in requesting President Dole to reprieve the British and Americans under sentence of death until such a time as their respective governments could be communicated with and instructions received as to the course of action they should pursue. President Dole has not yet replied to this request, and it is not positive that the capital sentences will be carried out. The heated outcry for such executions which prevailed here at first has subsided.

Trial of the Ex-Queen.

The trial of the ex-queen is likely to take place the following week. The charges and specifications were served upon her on the 31st, inst. The most important part of the evidence against her will be from her own diary, found at Washington palace after her arrest. The chief witnesses against her will be Sam Nowlein and her private secretary, Kaai. It is believed that she will plead guilty but that notwithstanding, a full trial of her case will be held. There is no doubt but that the execute will extend to the ex-queen the utmost clemency consistent with the public safety.

About the Landing of Arms.

The trial of V. V. Ashford, lasted during parts of four days. Nowlein testified to having arranged with Ashford for that part of the proposed attack on the 3d, which was to be made from the fish market. Davis testified to having consulted Ashford about getting and landing the arms on the day he went to sea to meet the schooner.

Kaai testified to his copying and the queen signing on the 26th of December, a commission for V. V. Ashford as associate justice of the supreme court.

Several witnesses testifies to Nowlein's repeated interviews with Ashford. A vigorous defense was made for the accused. Both himself and his brother testified that the interviews with Nowlein related to various items of legal business, especially as to advice what to do in case of a search warrant coming to Washington parlace.

Clubs Recommended.

V. V. Ashford testified that he was attorney for Davis in various claims made against him. He stated that he knew nothing about the arms or the proposed movement. He had advised Davis to keep clear of any movement conducted by natives as it would fail. Nowlein had said to him that if the natives rose they would rise as one. Arms were not necessary, they could accomplish the undertaking with clubs. He had told Nowlein that there was no possible chance of the restoration of the monarchy and that the queen's sun had set when she refused the terms of Minister Willis. He was surprised to learn that such a foolhardy attempt had been made to restore the monarchy and said that he had been in ill health for some months and in no condition to take part in the movement.

On the first day of February the court proceeded with the trial of twenty-two natives. The decisions and sentences of the court will probably be pronounced after the conclusion of the ex-queen's trial.

They Muzzle the Press.

London, Feb. 11.—The Daily Graphic has this despatch from Constantinople: "The queen's speech, with its allusions to Armenia, and Lord Roseberry's references to the same subject have made a deep impression at the palace. The local papers have been forbidden to allude to the matter, and only part of the queen's speech has been printed here. The diplomatists believe that a conference of the signatory powers of the Berlin treaty to discuss reforms in Armenia will be eventually necessary."

Toughs Under Arrest.

Derby, Conn., Feb. 11.—Wiliam Tassock, William McClosky, Michael Ryan, and Edward O'Hara, local toughs, were arrested yesterday on suspicion of the robbery of M. H. Spalding, R. & H. Adams' clerk, of $2,067 while on his way from the Birmingham National bank to the office. Spalding identified Ryan as the man who struck him and took the money.

Passed a Ship in Distress.

New York, Feb. 11.—A dispatch received from Provincetown, Mass., last night, says the schooner Thomas H. Lawrence arrived there yesterday from Pooles Landing. She reports that on Saturday, when ten miles east from Thatchers Island she passed a large steamer, bound west, apparently in distress.

To Help Her Sufferers.

Rome, Feb. 11.—The cabinet decided last evening to remit part of the property tax to persons suffering losses from the recent earthquakes in southern Italy and northern Sicily. At the opening of the new parliament the government will bring forward a bill to relieve the people of the afflicted districts.

Cold in the United Kingdom.

London, Feb. 11.—The extreme cold continues throughout the United Kingdom. Isolated cases of skaters drowning were reported yesterday. Many churches caught fire from overheated flues, but none were destroyed.

BERLIN SOCIAL GAYETY

Eight Hundred of the Nobility Dance.

Men in Uniform and Ladies Glisten with Diamonds—Treasures in Jewelled Caskets—A Splinter from the Cross—The Chancellor Talks on Bimetallism.

Berlin, Feb. 11.—Neither the coldness of the weather nor the dreariness of parliamentary politics has affected the splendor of the court season. The last week was crowded with magnificent fetes at the Old Castle and balls and receptions at the palaces of the court nobility. It is the climax of social gayety, for the short season decreed by the emperor is fast approaching its close and by the end of the week the people who make fashion here will be making ready for their trips southward.

Favored Guest.

The great function of the week was the "small" court ball on Wednesday evening. It was instituted by Emperor William I., and the Empress Augusta and an invitation to it is regarded as a mark of special favor. Although nominally small, the list of specially favored guests has been lengthened from year to year until last week it contained more than 800 names. The scene in the White Hall when the imperial family appeared was more imposing than usual. Conspicuous in the semi-circle of guests were many members of the princely families of Germany, the ambassadors and ministers of foreign powers, and the troop of state ministers and chief officials with Chancellor Prince Hohenlohe at their head. All the men were in uniform and the women glistened with diamonds. The familiar rapping of the court marshal's staff was followed by the entrance of the pages. Then came the emperor leading the empress, and behind them other members of the reigning house and the high functionaries of the imperial court. The emperor wore the parade uniform of the body guards and the empress, a cinnamon colored robe with a panel of dull silk. A fringe of pearls bordered the robe, panel and train and headdress, and diamonds studded the diadem which held the long veil in place. The empress' breastband was the highest Prussian decoration, the great star in brilliants. The prince and Princess Henry of Prussia walked next to the imperial couple and behind them were the Princess Frederick Charles and Princess Frederick of Hohenzollern. The women in the long line which followed the royal leaders were resplendent in jewels and costumes which far surpassed in magnificence anything seen at the birthday receptions and probably any court spectacle since the end of the last empire in France.

They Exchange Greetings.

After the exchange of greetings with the chief guests the empress ascended the dais and gave the signal that dancing should begin. Neither she nor the emperor danced. The emperor roved through the hall speaking with his intimate friends and occasionally stopping for a long talk with a minister of state or an ambassador. He devoted fully half an hour to Chancellor Prince Hohenlohe. The empress summoned the wives of the ambassadors to her and passed most of her time before supper in conversation with them. After the minuet, lancers, gavotte, quadrille, and several waltzes, the guests went to supper which was followed by a repetition of the former programme until the close of the ball.

Reporters There.

Chancellor Prince Hohenlohe's second parliamentary dinner was given on Thursday. It had a less political and a more general character than his first entertainment. Among the 400 guests were some thirty of the best known newspaper men in Berlin and others might have been there had they not seen fit to ignore their invitations. During the three hours which the reception lasted the chancellor moved almost incessantly among his guests. He sat down only now and then to converse with some political leader.

The chancellor has brought most of the Hohenlohe family treasurers from his castle at Neuenstein and they were spread on the tables for the edification of the company. They certainly were calculated to please the clericals whose favor is most coveted by the prince at present, for the majority of them are religious relics which bear testimony to the unshaken Catholicism of his house. All were encased in gold jewelled caskets to protect them from the touch of the curious.

Was It from the Cross?

There was a splinter from the cross on which Christ was crucified, a small piece of the sponge which was offered to Christ on the cross, bones from the bodies of several saints, a gold and sapphire crown of antique workmanship in imitation of the crown of thorns, and any number of jewelled crucifixes which once belonged to great men of the church. Besides these treasures, the Prince had spread out a collection of massive gold plate which his family gathered through centuries. Everybody who had the good fortune to see the chancellor's treasures remarked that nobody after seeing them could doubt the earnestness of his religious convictions.

The chancellor had a long talk with Dr. Lieber in favor of bimetallism. He said:

"Germany will take no steps in this matter without first reaching an understanding with England. Of what would it be for me to make a declaration in the reichstag in favor of bimetallism or to tell everybody that I am agreeable to, while all the time England prevents our doing anything of practical importance?"

Loss $40,000 and No Insurance.

Markesan, Wis., Feb. 11.—The large flouring mill belonging to James Densmore, one mile east of this village, was burned yesterday. Loss $40,000; no insurance.

FIGHTING IN THE ORIENT

Further Details of the Attack on Wei-Hai-Wei.

Torpedoes Sent Warships to the Bottom—The Boats and Their Guns Covered with a Coating of Ice—Scouts Are Vigilant—The Chinese Hold the Fort.

London, Feb. 11.—The Central News correspondent in Pekin telegraphs that the Chinese government is consulting with the foreign diplomatists concerning the new powers to be exercised by the peace envoys to Japan. The Central News correspondent in Tokio has these details of the recent fighting at Wei-Hai-Wei:

"On the night of Jan. 30 the Japanese torpedo entered the bay of Wei-Hai-Wei, but the Japanese in the western forts, supposing that the boats were from the Chinese squadron, opened a heavy fire and compelled them to withdraw.

"January 31 was raw and blustering. Toward evening it snowed heavily. The warships, their guns and the torpedo boats were coated with ice five inches thick and were at too great a disadvantage to venture an attack. The second attempt upon the Chinese was deferred, therefore, until the night of Feb. 2, when an advance of the torpedo boats was ordered.

They Go to the Bottom.

"The Chinese were on the watch, however, and scouts discovered the Japanese in time to give general warning. The torpedo fleet was forced to withdraw without even approaching the Chinese squadron.

"February 3 was passed in preparations for another attack. On the night of Feb. 4 the Chinese were less vigilant than formerly. The Japanese torpedo boat Ming-Ling stole in upon the Chinese fleet and, while entirely unobserved, launched two torpedoes at the Ting-Yuen. The big ironclad began to go down almost immediately after being struck. The Ming-Ling lost eight men in getting away. Fifteen other torpedo boats took part in the attack and two of them broke their propellers on rocks or floating obstructions. On the night of the 5th one Japanese torpedo boat approached the Chinese fleet and launched seven torpedoes, sinking two warships and a gunboat.

Their Capture Useless.

"The correspondent in Tokio says that the Chinese still hold forts on the island of Liu-Kung-Tao. On the 6th the Japanese made an unsuccessful attack upon the uncaptured forts. On the 7th the cruisers and gunboats aided the attacking Japanese troops with a hot cannonade, but the main forts remained in the enemy's hands.

"Of the forts captured by the Japanese at Wei-Hai-Wei the western group is useless, but the eastern group is in fine condition and is armed throughout with excellent guns, which are of great use to the Japanese marines."

Uncle Sam in Debt.

Pierre, S. D., Feb. 11.—"The United States owes South Dakota from $2,000,000 to $3,000,000, and I believe it can be collected." This statement was made by F. M. Goodykountz, of Mitchell, state agent at Washington. A provision of the state of South Dakota, indorsed by the general government, provides the state shall receive 5 per cent. of the value of all public lands within its borders which the government sells and Mr. Goodykountz asserts this per centage can be recovered for lands in the Sioux and Sisseton reservations which have been thrown open. The government resists these claims on the ground that the benefit goes to the Indians.

Bodies from the Elbe.

London, Feb. 11.—A fishing smack brought to Lowestoft yesterday the dead bodies of Paul Szuchy and Meri Babos, who were steerage passengers on the steamship Elbe. The body on which were found documents designating it as that of Edward Muscovitz, a second cabin passenger on the Elbe has been identified by the true Edward Muscovitz as that of Daniel Guttman, one of three brothers who had embezzled nearly 200,000 florins in Hungary and were fleeing to America. Guttman married Edward Muscovitz's sister and booked under his name to avoid detection.

He May Publish a Daily.

Detroit, Mich., Feb. 11.—Mayor Pingree's long, bitter fight with the daily newspapers of the city has resulted in the formation of a plan by which he intends to present his own side of all public questions that he thinks the papers will not print. The mayor asserts the newspapers have misrepresented him on many public questions, and refuse to print anything favorable to him or his work. He also is considering the advisability of publishing a daily paper.

Their First Game June 20.

Springfield, Mass., Feb. 11.—The representatives of the Harvard and Yale baseball associations held a conference in this city and fixed the dates for the basball games between the two universities. The first game will take place at Cambridge Thursday, June 20, and the second game at New Haven, Tuesday, June 25. If a tie results, a third games will be played on June 29, the place to be settled later, but New York is favored.

Has Japan Received the Warning?

London, Feb. 11.—A dispatch from St. Petersburg says the Novoe Vremja uses this language in a leader on the Times' recent prediction of European intervention in the east. "It is a warning to Japan that China's destinies will be settled by the great European powers. Korea and Manchuria in particular must remain outside Japan's administration."

Captain Bandelon Her Commander.

London, Feb. 11.—Dispatches from Havre contradict the recent assertion of the Standard's Paris correspondent that Lieut. Deloncle commands the missing steamship La Gascogne. Capt. Bandelon is in charge of the vessel.

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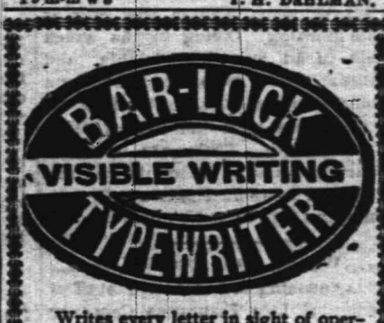

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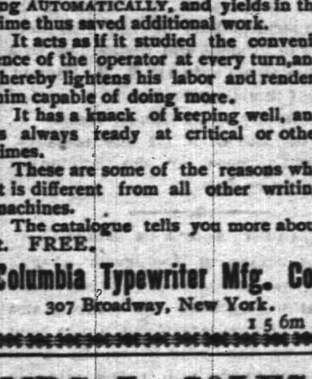

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THE WEATHER.

For Tomorrow: Increasing Cloudiness and Snow; Stationary Temperature; Winds Becoming Northeasterly, Increasing in Force.

MILKMAN ON THE WARPATH.

He Cuts Open a Customer's Head with a Can.

Wm. Peel, a milkman living just this side of Scotch Plains, in delivering milk this noon, stopped at the corner of Watchung avenue and Second street to leave milk for Ike Shragovich, the tailor. He claimed that there was 15 cents coming to him, which the customer paid.

J. Srager, another tenant in the house, wanted to get a quart of milk, and Peel became violent, using terrible language.

The two had a tussle, and Shragovich tried to separate them, when the milkman gave him a blow on the head with a two-quart measure, making a bad cut.

He then started for Frank Patience and his wife with a spade. They run in the house and shut the door. The door and latch was broken by Peel, and considerable other damage resulted. Sergeant Kiely was notified, but Peel had left before the officer arrived.

Justice Nash, however, issued a warrant for Peel's arrest, but he had not been captured up to the hour of going to press.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

Mrs. Frank E. Woodruff of Duer street is ill with a heavy cold.

Miss Sadie Cleaves of Netherwood avenue is visiting friends in Jersey City.

John Flannery of Scotch Plains had a paralytic stroke last night and is very low.

Miss Annie Smith is ill at her home on Johnston avenue with the grip, verging on pneumonia.

Mrs. Robert Lowry of 902 Madison avenue announces a tea for Saturday, Feb. 16, from 4 to 7, and "at home" Wednesdays.

Craig Waldron, who has been Grocer J. A. Smith's valued bookkeeper for the past seven years, will sever his connection there this week.

Samuel Wakefield of Netherwood avenue, who has been confined to his home with the grip, was able to resume his work at Scott's Press Works this morning.

E. L. Maxwell, President of the Pond Tool Company, died Saturday at his home in Brooklyn. During the funeral services tomorrow afternoon the works in Plainfield will be closed.

Joseph D. Moon, residing at 44 Grandview avenue, has accepted a position with the Hastings Card Company, 26 Beekman street, New York, of which Fred C. C. Lounsbury of this city is president and treasurer. H. H. Brokaw of Duer street is a bookkeeper in the same house.

In the Sixth Presbyterian Church, Newark, will take place tomorrow evening the marriage of Miss Elva L. Martin of Newark to Stewart B. Moffett of Rahway, assistant superintendent of freight on the Pennsylvania railroad at Elizabeth. Robert W. Clark and Edward Clark of this city, cousins of the bride, will officiate as ushers. A reception will be held after the ceremony at the home of the bride's parents, 116 Union street, Newark. Mr. and Mrs. Moffett will leave immediately after for Jacksonville, Fla., where they will remain a short time.

—Owing to the funeral of R. W. Rice the store will not be open tomorrow.

—Wm. Johnson has taken charge of the bakery business of D. N. Gardner.

—No news had been received from La Gascogne up to 3 p. m. today, although three steamships arrived this morning. She is now nine days late.

—The managers of the store of Rice & Co. today received a telegram stating that the funeral of R. W. Rice will take place tomorrow in Kingston, Pa.

—A directory frame is being placed on the wall in the lobby of the office entrance to the Babcock Building, the location and office numbers of the various tenants being given in neat white letters on a black background. The directory will be much appreciated by the public.

A man one time a good thing had
Which people would have prized,
But he never sold a single one,
For he never advertised.

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FROZEN IN A HUT.

The Exposures of Two Eccentric Brothers.

For twenty-five years Jacob Stout and his brother James have lived the lives of hermits in an old shanty in Madison. This morning James told a passing farmer that his brother was dead. The farmer reported the case to an undertaker, who notified Coroner Douglas of Morristown. The undertaker investigated the case, and found Jacob lying on the floor frozen.

In the room were four goats and about twenty chickens. The goats had eaten the dead man's clothing and mutilated his body. It is supposed that the man was frozen Friday night. James Stout refused to talk and appeared to be demented. He had suffered terribly from cold, and was clad in rags. Jacob Stout was about 70 years old and his brother 63. The brothers' mode of living has made them well-known characters throughout Morris County.

HIGH SCHOOL NOTEBOOK.

The Senior class held a class meeting at recess. A design for the class-pin was adopted and Edgar I. Serrell was appointed a committee to purchase the pins. The design adopted is an ornamental shield with '95 and the motto engraved upon it.

The question of a class paper was discussed and it was decided to have one. The meeting then adjourned to meet at the close of school, but no meeting was held as no quorum was present.

Hot Ashes Start a Fire.

Yesterday morning at 3, just as Charles Smith had come down stairs for a drink of water he glanced out of the window and saw smoke arising from an ash barrel back of the wood-shed in the rear of his sample rooms at the corner of Front and Somerset streets, and rushing out was met by Policeman Fredrickson who was also attracted by the smoke.

It was but the work of a moment to put out the incipient blaze, yet great damage might have resulted had the fire gained much more headway. Hot ashes were doubtless the cause.

Traffic Resumed.

The first westbound train for Philadelphia on the Jersey Central since Thursday's blizzard went through this city at 8:44 this morning. Owing to the wreck in Belle Mead cut, Philadelphia and Washington trains have been sent via Bethlehem Junction, Pa., on the P. & R., connecting there with the Pennsylvania road for the south. Trains are now running nearly or quite on schedule over the entire Central system. The South Branch to Flemington is practically open.

Wined and Dined.

Saturday evening the executive staff of the Prudential Life Insurance Company held a reception and banquet at Delmonico's. Of course R. M. Dawson, the genial Superintendent of the Plainfield district, was present and responded to a toast, while at his side sat E. W. Pepper, formerly of this district but now located for the company at Lawrence, Mass.

The affair, like all of its predecessors, was a grand success, for the Prudential does nothing by halves.

A Candle Starts a Blaze.

A young woman on Westervelt avenue left a lighted candle on her dresser last evening after preparing for church, and had not some members of the family been attracted by the odor of smoke while passing through the hall a few minutes later and put out the incipient blaze which had already started in the woodwork, the pretty boudoir would soon have been in ruins.

Midnight Sun Tonight.

"The Land of the Midnight Sun", which comes to Music Hall tonight, is from the pen of Edwin Barbour, a young dramatist who has achieved much success. The scenes are laid in the sulphur mining districts of the Arctic Zone and the flower-laden hills of North Carolina, giving great scope for scenic display. The cast is composed of clever people. Among the most prominent are George W. Walters, Harry Webster, William W. Bittner, David Hanchett, Charles Barringer, Ada Lytton and Anna Mayor. The scenery is from the brush of John Young of the Broadway Theatre, New York, and is said to be the best that has been seen in any melodramatic production of recent years.

The play, like most of Manager Pearson's productions, has effects which are highly realistic and spectacular. The strongest of these is the eruption of Mount Hecla, and the explosion of the sulphur mines, two scenes that admit of a grand pyrotechnic display. The story is one of strong emotion, dealing with the lives of two brothers who are unknown to each other, one seeking vengeance upon the other for a wrong wrought by their own father.

Runaway Quickly Stopped.

Louis Waring was out sleighriding Saturday afternoon with a young brother and sister. They came down Park avenue, and when near G. Q. Packer's furniture store the horse became frightened and Mr. Waring was almost thrown out.

The horse made the trip to Park and North avenues at a jump, the driver hanging over the side of the sleigh, unable to hold the horse.

The animal was stopped at the corner by several people running in front of it. There was no damage.

—Chairman Fisk of the Street Committee today warns the people to clean their walks and gutters.

—All interested in the Y. M. C. A. women as well as men, are invited to the opening of the new building tomorrow evening at 8.

—A horse attached to a wagon ran away on East Front street this morning, but was caught at the corner of Watchung avenue and Front street. The only damage was a broken shaft. The owner is not known.

A NEW SUBSTITUTE FOR BEER.

Mysterious Temperance Drink in Chicago's New "Home Saloons."

A new drink, wonderful in concoction and mysterious in its chemical analysis, is about to be sprung upon the public by Bishop Fallows of the Reformed Episcopal Church. The Bishop is one of the most enthusiastic and resourceful of the workers who have founded and maintained the People's Institute. In connection with his proposed enlargement of the scope of the institute work Bishop Fallows recently outlined his plans for establishing a series of "home saloons."

There has been a slight departure from the original plans, and instead of the "home saloons" being all of the same class, there will be as many degrees of variation as in the original alcoholic dispensaries. The first ones to be established as an experiment will both be located in the heart of the down-town district. One will dispense five cent drinks and the other ten cent drinks. One will cater to the barrel-house or grog-shop constituency, and the other will compete with the bars where the mirrors are of beveled glass, the bars of mahogany, the drinks fifteen cents each, and where the luncheon and side dish of olives is presided over by a white-aproned attendant. Both will be opened in large basements, the only difference between the five and ten cent saloon being in the magnificence of the furnishings and the elaborateness of the free lunch. Bishop Fallows said lately:

"What puzzled us most was to provide some drink that would take the place of beer. We shall offset whiskey, brandy, and rum with soda water, chocolate, coffee, mineral waters, malted milk, cocoa, lemonade, etc., but at first there appeared to be no substitute for beer. We resolved to make one. Expert chemists have been at work on the problem for some time, and the solution is at hand. We have a new drink the color of beer and scarcely to be distinguished from it, but, of course, it is non-alcoholic and non-fermentive.

"Hops enter into its composition—something that cannot be said of some of the beer sold over Chicago bars. The only difficulty we have yet to overcome is to do away with some of the bitterness imparted to the beer by the hops. After much discussion of details we have determined to open the saloons in the district where rents are highest and where most people congregate. We feel sure we can demonstrate that the scheme will be a success from a business standpoint. We shall be much disappointed if they do not pay a net profit of 10 per cent. If we demonstrate that, the People's Institute will be relieved from a further prosecution of the scheme. Private enterprise and capital will then step in and push the good work. Where the five-cent drinks are sold there will be reading rooms, plenty of light and heat, toilet rooms, absolute cleanliness, and a good substantial free lunch on the side. Where the ten-cent drinks are sold the accommodations will be the same, but there will be more mahogany and plate glass about the bar, and the free lunch will be so elaborate that it will serve for a good substantial meal."

When social intercourse falls below the freezing point it is called rudeness; when it rises above the boiling point it is called love; the temperature most beneficial to humanity is politeness.

Saved.

Shivering with cold, she wept, a wan, fragile, pinched figure.

"I haven't enough money to buy a steak," she sobbed.

A man in furs paused at sight of her misery.

"Take heart, little girl," he said kindly."

She raised her crying eyes to his, and the light of hope illumined her wretched face.

"Oh, thank you, sir!" she exclaimed. "I never thought of that!"

She flitted away, and the bosom of the man was filled with peace.—Puck.

An Ecclesiastical Item.

A little man almost always likes a big pedestal to stand on.

—Ram's Horn.

THOUGHT SHE KNEW IT ALL.

She read Sanscrit
And knew Pancrit;
Ancient Persian
Was diversion;

But she used to think that Maine
Was a river in Lorraine;
That the Mississippi ran
Through Vermont and Yucatan,
And that Christopher Columbus was the King of Michigan.

All foreign nationalities
And realms and principalities,
With no trace of indecision,
She could name with great precision;

But she used to think Nebraska
Was a river in Alaska,
And she searched for Philadelphia on a map of Madagascar.

—Lewiston Journal.

The Time To Strike.

"If anybody iver catches me stroikin'," said Mr. Dolan, "'twill be whin Oi'm out av emp'ymint an' hov nothing better to do."—Washington Evening Star.

Anomaly.

In the hired girl's creation's
Anomaly we see;
For neither maid to order
Nor ready made is she.
—Detroit Tribune.

It is easier to tear down than to build up; easier to criticise than to improve; easier to despair than to hope; easier to believe the worst than the best. Pessimism is a toboggan slide. Optimism is to climb.—Ram's Horn.

REMOVAL.

Dr. Lighthill begs leave to give notice that he has removed to

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TO THE PUBLIC:

From a sense of duty I desire to call public attention to the almost miraculous cure which Dr. Lighthill effected in the case of my wife. For eleven years she had been afflicted with piles of an unusual severe and distressing character. She suffered every day of her life the most intense pain, attended with frequent and profuse hemorrhage. This state of things debilitated her entire system until she became a perfect wreck of her former self.

We made every effort to obtain a cure but they all resulted in bitter disappointment, although a number of physicians of excellent reputations for skill in that direction had treated her case. She grew worse and worse all the time, the pain became perfectly unbearable and I felt she could not bear the strain of her condition much longer. In this extremity, a friend of mine, Mr. W. R. Dilts, a resident of Roselle, N. J., a passenger conductor on the New Jersey Central told me that he had been similarly affected, and had been permanently cured by Dr. Lighthill, after other medical skill had failed. He assured me that the doctor would cure my wife, no matter how severe her case may be, and his prediction proved perfectly correct. In spite of her desperate condition, Dr. Lighthill, I am glad to say, has effected a complete and perfect cure in her case, and has given her new life.

Since the cure has been effected she has gained in health and strength and is so improved in appearance that her friends scarcely recognize her. They all consider her cure as almost miraculous, and Dr. Lighthill's praise is heard on every side. Our gratitude to Dr. Lighthill is unbounded and we only hope that other sufferers may be benefited by this publication.

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I will cheerfully impart any information I possess when called upon.

JOHN DIETRICH.

Mr. Thomas Callahan of No. 214 Richmond street Cured of a Very Distressing Trouble by Dr. Lighthill.

PLAINFIELD, N. J., June 1, 1894.

TO THE PUBLIC:

For some time past I have been greatly distressed with noises in the head. They were all over my head and troubled me constantly: they were loudest at night when everything was quiet and at such times would often keep me from sleep and disturb my rest. In fact they got to be so bad and distressing that they affected my whole nervous system as well as my health. I did not obtain the least relief until I placed myself under the care of Dr. Lighthill, of No. 132 Crescent avenue, who effected a complete cure in my case in a short time and made me a very happy man.

THOMAS CALLAHAN,
214 Richmond street.

A Card From Mr. T. R. VanZandt,
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I certify with pleasure that Dr. Lighthill has effectually cured me of a most painful case of piles. For some time past I had been subject to its attacks, but the last attack was so exceedingly painful that it completely upset my whole system. The pain extended to my legs and in many other directions, and made me so nervous that I could neither sleep, sit down, lie down or move about without serious discomfort and distress. Such was my condition when I applied to Dr. Lighthill for relief, and I am glad to say that as soon as he took hold of my case, I began to improve, and in a short time found myself completely cured. Dr. Lighthill has also effected a radical and permanent cure in a most terrible case of piles on my cousin, Mr. J. V. Z. Griggs, of Rocky Hill, N. J., whose flattering testimonial is in Dr. Lighthill's possession.

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MONDAY, FEB. 11.

A few plain remarks in connection with this new departure we think is opportune.

A few months ago I rented and fitted up at a heavy expense my present elegant and spacious stores, with the intention of giving Plainfield a department store second to none in the State.

As I have progressed from one improvement to another, I find that if I fulfill my plan, I must, of necessity, add a first class Grocery Department, in order to compete with New York and Brooklyn department stores, as many of my patrons are buying these goods there, and I desire me to furnish them with their Groceries together with their Dry Goods, Housefurnishings, etc.

I am very much surprised as I have talked to people in regard to this movements, to find that there is such a large proportion of this trade going to New York department stores, and I shall make a strong effort to induce it to remain at home—where it belongs.

I shall do all I can to counteract the too prevalent idea abroad that Plainfield is an expensive place to live in on account of the high prices on articles of food, as real estate agents often say they are obliged to meet this objection when trying to sell or rent houses to New York and Brooklyn people.

We shall, therefore, sell our goods, which will always be of the best quality to be had, at what may be known as cut prices

Introductory Specials!

At 6c Can	One lot Bedford Park tomatoes, good quality... / One lot string beans, good quality..... / One lot sugar corn, good quality.....	At 6c Can

Bahama sliced pineapples, very fine, worth 30c at.....19c can
California free peaches, standard goods, at.....19c can
Soda crackers, first quality, at.....5c pound
Ginger snaps, " .....6c pound
Ground coffee, good quality.....24c pound
Very best Old Government Mocha and Java coffee.....34c pound
Mixed tea, regular 40c quality, for.....29c pound
" " 45c " .....34c pound
Very fine Oo'ong tea, regular 60c quality, for.....49c pound
Very fine Young Hyson tea, regular 70c quality, for.....59c pound
Oyster Bay asparagus, flat cans, for.....19c pound
Edsall's baking powder, warranted to give satisfaction, ¼ pound 4c; ½ pound 7c; 1 pound 12c

While they last, 3c each.	Just received—another lot of white plates, all sizes and perfect; 50 dozen coffee cups and saucers, St. Denis shape. As long as they last.	While they last, 3c each.

Cork Filled

During this month we will offer all of our Burt & Packard

Double Sole Cork Filled Men's

$5 Shoes for $3.98 per Pair.

Just the shoe for you to wear without rubbers up to the first of May. Sizes 5 to 11; widths B to E; styles, narrow, round and Common Sense toes.

See our window Saturday for specials.

DOANE & EDSALL.

TONIGHT.

Tonight I almost envy you
Your quiet bed that seems
Too narrow for the coming in
Of any noise or dreams.

So when the earth is not too hard—
A moist and pleasant mold—
With dandelions here and there,
Like scattered bits of gold,

Then maybe I shall break my way
The earth and grasses through,
And smiling with my drowsy eyes
Shall come to sleep with you.

—Bertha G. Davis in Kate Field's Washington.

FAMOUS ENGLISH SWORDS.

Some Noticeable Weapons That Are Exhibited In the Tower of London.

Whoever visits the London Tower may enjoy a veritable feast of swords, but amid the numberless array of weapons there are one or two that are especially worthy of notice. There is the sword of state, which is girt on the monarch's side after his anointing at the imposing ceremony of coronation, which girding is more honored in the breach, one would suppose, when the monarch is a lady. The sword is first consecrated by the primate, and by him handed to the lord chamberlain, who completes the function. It is a two handed weapon, with rich decorations on hilt and pommel and scabbard. Of scarcely less importance is the "sword of mercy," borne before the sovereign in the coronation procession. This sword is named Curtana, but though undoubtedly very ancient it can hardly claim to be the original Curtana forged by the famous Munifican.

This original Curtana was the magic weapon of Ogier the Dane, bold knight of Charlemagne's most warlike days. Our own Curtana is in any case many centuries old. It is square pointed, with the look as though the point had been broken short; hence possibly its name. A fine gold wire covers its handle, and the scabbard is remarkably ornate. Two other swords are carried at the coronation ceremony—swords symbolical of spiritual and temporal justice, the first with an obtuse point, the latter sharp. Curtana and these two justice swords are not often called upon to make a public appearance. It is happily more than a half century since they were last required at a coronation, but whenever the sovereign opens parliament in person the sword of state first mentioned is called from its repose.

The lord mayor's sword is even more familiar to the general public, and not only London, but most other corporations, have their sword and sword bearer. It is a picturesque survival of the middle ages, which one would regret to see abolished—part of the ritual of state customs, which ritual is by no means meaningless. Public action must often be of a figurative character. Such is the mode by which the city of London sometimes does honor to those who have rendered the nation good service, presenting to them swords of honor. These civic swords have been given to men like Lord Napier, Lord Clyde, Lord Wolseley. Wellington received one in his day, and so did the Prussian Blucher.—London Standard.

Golf.

A game with a history of more than 400 years must necessarily have some interesting records. Golf has been greatly liked by kings. In the time of James I it was generally practiced by all classes. The unfortunate Charles I was devoted to golf. While on a visit in Scotland in 1641 as he was deeply engaged in a game news was brought him of the breaking out of a rebellion in Ireland, and the royal golfer threw down his club and retired in great agitation to Holyrood House. When he was imprisoned at Newcastle, his keeper kindly permitted him to take recreation on the golfing links with his train. It is said that Mary, queen of Scots, was seen playing golf in the field beside Seaton a few days after the murder of her husband. In 1837 a magnificent gold medal was presented to St. Andrew's by William IV, to be played for annually. One of the earlier kings forbade the importation of golf balls from Holland because it took away "na small quantitie of gold and silver out of the kingdome of Scotland," and at one time "golfe and futeball and other unprofitable games" were forbidden in England because archery, so necessary in the defense of the nation, was being neglected in their favor.—Exchange.

The Hawaiian Islands.

The Hawaiian Islands have been found to be richer in animal life than was formerly supposed. As the result of a year's investigation by the British association, through its committee, it has been found that of birds there are 78 species, of which 57 are peculiar to this group. All the land and fresh water shells are peculiar, and of 1,000 species of insects 700 are not found elsewhere. It thus seems that these islands have by no means been populated from the continent, but have been centers of independent creation.—Independent.

How He Was Wounded.

Pension Agent—I see you have been drawing a pension on the wounded list when the record shows that you were drummed out of the army for desertion.

Pensioner—Yes. That is so.

Pension Agent—Well, how were you wounded?

Pensioner—My feelings, colonel, my feelings.—Atlanta Journal.

Negotiations Not Complete.

Customer (female and unfair)—I ordered ten yards of dress goods here yesterday to be sent. Has it been cut yet?

Shopwalker—No indeed. The assistant said you hadn't been in yet to change your mind.—London Globe.

Whenever you see ingratitude you may as infallibly conclude that there is a growing stock of ill nature in the breast, as you may know that man to have the plague upon whom you see the tokens.

Niobrara, the name of a river in Nebraska, is said to mean "wide water."

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report

Royal Baking Powder

ABSOLUTELY PURE

FINDING OUT WHERE THEY'RE AT.

North Plainfield Governors Enlighten Themselves on Election Matters.

The North Plainfield Township Committee met Saturday night, and with the help of Borough Counsel C. A. Reed settled the matter of elective officers.

It was decided that all officers whose term does not expire this year hold over. The township take the offices of freeholder and overseer of the poor from the borough, necessitating that the borough fill the vacancies.

The following officers are to be elected in the township: Town committeeman, two justices of the peace, two surveyors of highways, three commissioners of appeal and two poundkeepers.

In the borough the following offices are to be filled: Freeholder, overseer of the poor, three councilmen, two justices of the peace, three constables, two surveyors of highways, three commissioners of appeal, four poundkeepers, assessor and collector.

The following will compose the Board of Registration in the Borough: First district—Firman Godown, Geo. Hughes. Second district—Harry Brokaw, Lewis Kline.

In the Township the following: First district—Lewis Barkalew, Alfred Vail, G. B. Stewart, J. T. Case. Second district—D. D. Smalley, J. W. Coddington, Edgar C. Schenck, H. R. Conklin.

The borough board will meet tomorrow and transact necessary business, and the township board will meet Tuesday, March 5.

The Township Committee will meet again this evening to complete the year's business.

Relics of His Soldier Days.

Wm. N. Pangborn, chief marshal of the borough, has among his many valuable relics gathered during his war adventures a furlough which he received while mail agent in the 3d Division, 6th Corps. The paper, now time-stained and tattered, gives his description, and grants him furlough from Dec. 26, 1864. As an evidence of the red tape such documents had to go through, it bears the signatures of Andrew J. Smith, Captain and Acting Assistant Assistant Adjutant-General, T. Seymour, Brigadier-General, H. G. Wright, Major-General commanding the Division, and George G. Meade, Major-General of the Army of the Potomac.

Two stamps show Mr. Pangborn's passage through Washington, Dec. 27, 1864, and his return Dec. 10.

Mr. Pangborn has 381 valuable letters of army correspondence, a piece of timber from John Brown's gallows, and a brick from Libby Prison.

BY THE WAY.

—Work was resumed today on the excavation for the foundation of Joseph Blatz's new house.

—Charles Sutterline of Greenbrook road lost a valuable hound last Friday night, from freezing to death.

—Street Commissioner Meeker has a force of men this afternoon engaged in cutting through the snow banks at Mulford Cole's hill on East Front street.

—The high and penetrating wind prevented the perfect heating of Trinity Church yesterday, and services were held in the basement. The meetings were full of spirituality, and were greatly enjoyed.

—A steampipe in Grace Church burst yesterday morning, crippling the heating apparatus to such an extent that the morning audience was dismissed after a short service, and no evening service was held.

—A team, hitched to a wagonload of grains, belonging to C. Frank French, became stalled in a snowbank on their way to Scotch Plains last Saturday. The driver was obliged to proceed with half a load, and return for the remainder.

—While Otto Gunther of Short Hills was carting a load of coal to his home, the wagon got fast in a snowdrift in front of H. P. Talmage's residence on Belvidere avenue, Friday, but with the assistance of several men armed with shovels, Mr. Gunther proceeded on his way.

—Tom Smith and Louis Chase came near having an accident yesterday in the East Front street snowdrift near Cole's. Indeed, had it not been for the promptness and good horsemanship of the former, who was driving, both would have been "spilled into the white".

$100 Reward $100.

The reader of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly on the blood and mucous surface of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer $100 for any case that it fails to cure.

Send for list of testimonial.

F. J. Cheney & Co., Props. Toledo, O.

Sold by druggists, 75c.

PHENOMENAL RECORD.

Nearly 100,000 Pianos Manufactured and Sold.

The demand for pianos of a superior class increases year by year. Musical education has advanced rapidly in the last few decades, and the musical public can now judge better of a piano's merits than it formerly could. That piano pleases which has longest stood the test of popular favor.

The Fischer piano can point with pride to the long list of testimonials from all sources regarding its various merits. Not only professional musicians, but the voices of our homes attest its popularity. 100,000 Fischer pianos explain the fact of the public's confidence in a superior instrument.

At the Columbian Exposition it attained the highest possible award of superiority and general excellence. What greater praise could be bestowed upon it? 100,000 Fischer pianos mean many millions of pleased and delighted hearers. If popularity founded on enduring merit goes for anything, the Fischer piano is not only in the front rank, but is a leader among pianos.

The experience of Geo. A. Apgar, of German Valley, N. J., is well worth remembering. He was troubled with chronic diarrhoea and doctored for five months and was treated by four different doctors without benefit. He then began using Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, of which one small bottle effected a complete cure. It is for sale at Reynolds's pharmacy, Park and North aves. T. S. Armstrong, manager.

CLEAN YOUR WALKS & GUTTERS

Residents and property owners are requested to clean their walks and gutters as required by city ordinance. Also to assist the Street Department by throwing the snow well out into the middle of the street and not leave it in high heaps along the curb.

CHAS. J. FISK,
Chairman of Street Committee.

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MUSIC HALL.

Varian & Sohl, Lessees and Managers.
Telephone call 493.

TONIGHT

Land of the Midnight Sun.

A. Y. Pearson's melodrama is composed of some of the oldest actors on the American stage and is said to be an unusually strong one.

Prices 25, 35, 50, 75c, $1. Box office now open.

CLAIRVOYANT

Mrs. Dr. Edwards

on account of the weather is compelled to remain in Plainfield one week longer, but will leave positively next

Saturday, Feb. 16,

at 7 a. m., to fill her engagement in Lakewood. Call at once at

CITY HOTEL, ROOM 2,

one flight up. See sign up stairs. Ladies 50c to $1. Gentlemen $1. Office hours from 9 a. m. to 9 p. m.

WANTS AND OFFERS.

Advertisements under this heading, 1 cc, a word, each insertion. (Less than ten words, ten cents.) Cash must accompany ads.

LOANS NEGOTIATED. J. T. Vail, Broker. tf

TABLE boarders wanted in private family. Apply 301 West Fourth st. 2 7 tf

WANTED—House for small family; possession April 1; reasonable rent. Address, stating terms and where located, "House," care Press. 2 11 tf

FOUR desirable upper rooms to rent. Call 159 Somerset st. 2 11 6

YOUNG woman wants office work. Address Capable, care Press. 2 4 tf

FOR SALE—New six room house; 15 minutes walk from depot; 3 minutes from street railroad, in good neighborhood; a good chance to get a home; will sell on easy terms. Address for particulars C. R., care Press. 2 8 tf-eod

OFFICES and flats to rent in Babcock Building. Inquire of J. A. Hubbard or W. M. Stillman. 1 30 tf

LADY wishes to place her two children in good family; must have a piano. Address Mother, care Daily Press. 2 2 tf

CASH buyer can get first-class upright piano at bargain. Address Starr, care Press. 2 2 tf

MONEY to loan. Mulford, broker. 2 1 tf

WANTED—Position at book-keeping, collecting or general office work. Address Experienced, care Press. 1 12 tf

WANTED—Good reliable life insurance agent to take charge of Plainfield; also agents in every town and city in New Jersey for an old and reliable company (no industrial business). Address J. W. Shallcross, Ribsam Building, Trenton, N. J. 1 4 tf

NOW ON HAND, Diphtheria Antitoxine. FOR IMMEDIATE DELIVERY.

So limited has been the supply of GENUINE ANTITOXINE heretofore, that sales have been made only on condition of immediate actual use. But amid so large a population as ours, an urgent demand for the new treatment may arise at any hour, night or day, Sunday or week-day. And delay in obtaining it might result fatally. I have therefore, with some difficulty, and at considerable expense, provided a complete outfit of Antitoxine Serum (with injector) and am prepared to meet such demand. The cost of an outfit (Serum of two powers and Koch injector) is now about $12 being only one-fourth of the earlier price. At present sales will be made only on the order of a practicing physician.

Reynolds's Pharmacy, Park and North Avenues.

E. E. Marshall & Co.,

Painters and Decorators.

167 NORTH AVENUE. (Formerly with A. D. VanSciver)

Wall Paper,

Window Shades,

Picture Mouldings.

We have just received 10,000 rolls of Wall Paper, which we guarantee to be 1895 goods, and that is what you cannot find elsewhere in the city. Our prices are lower than ever before. People contemplating papering and painting can save money by calling on the above named firm. We do no work but what is first-class and solicit your patronage.

106 East Front Street— NEW STORE. NEW GOODS.

Grand Opening of the Plainfield Tea and Grocery Co., Saturday, Feb. 9.

"EVERY DAY PRICES."

Fine quality mixed tea	25c	Can tomatoes, solid packed	8c
" Oolong tea	30c	Can peas, early June	8c
" Young Hyson tea	40c	Can corn, fine goods	8c
" Japan tea	40c	Fine butter	24c
XX soda crackers	4½c	Ground coffee	17½c
Ginger snaps	5½c	Java and Mocha coffee	32c
Nic-nac crackers	6c	Extra fine Maricaibo coffee	30c
California peaches	17c can	" Rio coffee	24c
		Lard	8c

All goods warranted as represented. H. T. WILLIAMS, Manager.

Quick Action

Yes, and a good hit.

Randolph's Beef Iron and Wine

Acts Quickly,
Has Made a Great Hit,
A true tonic.

Pint bottles 50c For sale only by

L. W. RANDOPH,

Prescription Druggist,

143 West Front st., Plainfield, N. J.

CLEARING-OUT SALE.

GOODS MARKED LOWER THAN EVER.

Special discount of 10 per cent on all Fall and Winter Goods.

Are you looking for an Overcoat or Ulster? Remember we have them and are closing them out at slaughter prices.

Our Men's, Boys' and Children's Goods are all put in at the same cut rates.

Schepflin, Schultz & Co.,

318 WEST FRONT STREET.

Given Away With Every $2.00 Hat,

or over, one pair 50c Suspenders. One week only.

E. M. LAING, 105 Park Avenue.

DEATHS.

TERRY—In this city Saturday, Feb. 9, 1895, Matilda L., daughter of Samuel C. and the late Matilde W. Terry, in her 28th year.
Funeral services from her late residence, 221 Richmond st., Tuesday, Feb 12, at 2:30 p. m. 2

TERRILL & COLE,

Undertakers and Embalmers

200 West 2d street.

Next to Trinity Reformed Chu ch.
First-class livery attached.
Telephone 159. 11 26 y

H. Hand,

LICENSED AUCTIONEER.

15 YEARS EXPERIENCE.

Residence and postoffice address

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Office in Plainfield at Terrill & Cole's livery, 200 West 2d st. 1 12 tf

VALENTINES,

A full assortment of

at

Harper's,

411 Park ave.,

Plainfield, N. J.

Gold Dollars for Fifty Cents.

—DO.—

BUY FULL VALUE.

C. E. MORSE, Painting and Paper Hanging, 37 Chatham street.

The press is the best instrument for enlightening the mind of man and improving him as a rational, moral and social being.—*Thomas Jefferson.*

Van's 2 Van's

Save your pennies, the dollars will take care of themselves.

Buy your Muslins now at the following prices:

Bleached Pillow Muslins.

1⅛ yard wide	8c yd
1¼ yard wide	9c yd
1½ yard wide	11c yd

Bleached Sheeting Muslins

2 yards wide	14c yd
2¼ yards wide	15c yd
2½ yards wide	16c yd

One Yard Wide Bleached Muslins.

Fruit of Loom, Dwight Anchor, Hill, Lonsdale, Barker, Gold Medal, Arcade, extra heavy, all at...6½c yd

Van Emburgh,

Corner Store, Babcock Building.

HOAGLAND'S

Local Express.

Telephone 121.

Office 161 North Avenue

HENRY C. ADAMS.

INSURANCE.

Agent for National Fire Ins. Co. of Hartford; Mutual Benefit Life Ins. Co. of Newark. Residence—306 Orange place.

SATISFACTION

Lots of it there is in shopping at a store that you know will refund the money on all goods that are not satisfactory, or are not just what you wanted, and do it as cheerfully as we sell the goods That's the way we are doing business.

JUST TRY US.

We put on sale the balance of those fine French imported draperies; they are worth 40c yard; our price 13c.

Those 50 inch wool mixtures are good. Six yards makes a dress and all they cost is 39c per yard.

Some good things in Hosiery—
Children's seamless fast black, 12c.
Ladies' " " " 12c.
" " " " 19c.
" " " " price was 35c; now 25.

Gentlemen who wear a 9½ or 10 inch black cashmere sock can get a bargain. There are only 10 dozen; price was 50c pair; price now 25c. Ask for them.

Try our 5-hook Foster kids at 75c.

HOUSEFURNISHINGS.

Granite iron coffee pots 37c.
" tea pots 37c.
" wash basins 17c.
" stew kettles 29c.
" tea kettles 79c.
A good broom 13c.
China custard bowls 4c.

WHITE, of Plainfield.

TALK IS CHEAP!

but our Coats and Capes are cheaper. This week we have inaugurated the Greatest Coat Sale ever held in the city. We have marked our entire stock 33 per cent. lower than the original price. Our prices enable everyone to buy one. You need a coat; we need the room and money. We give you a large bargain for little money. We would rather sell them for half their original cost than carry them over.

Housefurnishing Goods.

3c Sale 3c in Basement 3c

Any article on our 5c counter for 3c for one week only. We wish to inform you that this department is below our first floor and prices below other houses.

Glassware.

7 piece fruit set 50c, regular price 75c.
7 piece water set 90c, regular price $1.25.
7 piece lemonade set $1.39, regular price $1.75.
Initial tumblers, fine blown glass, 98c doz.

Decorated Toilet Sets.

A $2.50 toilet set for $1.96
A $3.25 " $2.50
A $5.50 " $4.50

Tea Set Sale.

56 piece tea set $3.45, former price $4.50.

DRESS GOODS.

Now is the time for you to get bargains in our Dress Goods Department.
Our 25c worsteds 38 in wide, 15c.
Our 40c flannels 38 in wide, 25c.
Our 65c black serge 45 in wide, 45c.
Our 75c " 45 in wide, 49c.
Our $1 Covert cloths 54 in wide, 75c.
Our $1.15 black henrietta 40 in wide, 75c.

Just received a beautiful line of Embroideries at astonishing prices. The only house in the city that carries a complete line of Fancy and Plain Silks.

Our prices on Coats and Capes will surprise you.

BOEHM'S,

113 WEST FRONT STREET.

Central Employment Office

218 Liberty st. Gibson & Cable, agents.

All kind of help furnished on short notice. We have first-class help always on hand or can be had on 2 days notice. Satisfaction guaranteed. 1 19 2m

INSECTS AS ACTORS.

Creatures that Change Their Appearance to Deceive Fierce Enemies.

All creation below a man is in a state of war, and any creature that cannot take care of itself quickly falls an unpitied victim. Those that have teeth or claws or stings fight with them, and those that have none of these are driven to seek safety by aping the appearance and manner of some better endowed relative. Butterflies in general are most helpless creatures, but some of them are possessed of a peculiar defence. They have a bad taste! Birds that try to eat them find themselves made ill, and naturally stop the feast.

Now, the uniform of such a butterfly is a valuable protection, and the sweet and edible butterflies that live in the same fields avail themselves of it. If the favored fly is red, some butterflies that ought, perhaps, to be yellow are found arrayed in a shade of red which is a pretty close match of the one copied. If the poisonous one has a marked spot on his wings, the imitator will grow a spot somewhat like it, and even when the first has so distinctive a mark as a swallow-tail wing, the poor hunted cousin is not discouraged, but sticks out an imitation spike at the end of his wing, in the hope of deceiving the eye of the ever-watchful sparrow who is after him.

These disguises of the butterfly are wonderful enough, but they are all in the family, so to speak, and are far surpassed by other insects, who, not finding any safe individual to copy among their own near relatives, take a bold step and imitate a member of an entirely different family. There is a moth that has assumed the disguise of the belligerent bee quite successfully. To do this he has himself hatched with the down on his wings so loose that a buzz or two shakes it all off, and leaves the wings transparent and gauzy like the bee's. Then he crawls around with an imitation of a bee's peculiar glide, and does his best to look as if he had a sting. There are other flies that have imitated bees more or less successfully, but none that have gone so far to do so as this one.

Mark Twain has called the ant a very much overrated bird. But if a man has highly estimated this "bird," he has but followed in the footsteps of nature. For the ant is one of nature's favorites. She has made him so dry and hard and indigestible that he requires a specially constructed animal to eat him. Hence he lives and increases in comparative peace, and is the envy of all his neighbors. He would doubtless have many imitators if it were not that he is so hard to copy. But he has nevertheless found a follower in a certain spider.

Now, there is a great difference between the natural appearance of a spider and an ant; so great that the spider, even if he is a long, thin, black spider, might well be discouraged; for he has eight legs, and an ant six, and he has two bulbs to his body, and an ant three. Yet he is nothing daunted. By some system of tight lacing or other, he first manages to divide his abdominal bulb in two. He does not get such a waist as an ant has, but he makes an apparent division, which is something; then he walks around on his six hind legs, like an ant, and waves his two fore legs in the air, like an ant's antennæ, and, it is to be supposed, fancies himself indigestible!

Of all these imitation warriors none is so ambitious as one species of caterpillar. He is large, lizards like to eat him, and he is perfectly defenceless. When he is at rest he is like any other caterpillar, and no one would notice certain dark spots on his shoulders. But touch him, and at once he draws his head back into his body, and presents to view a most terrifying dragoon face. The spots on his back now look like great saucer eyes, and his dark head forms a beak of most belligerent aspect. The whole effect is ridiculously fierce, and must be seen to be appreciated. An innocent lizard to whom this caterpillar was fed turned tail when he saw the transformation, and did not stop until he was well hidden behind a twig.

Senator Squire's Vest.

Once in a great while some Senator appears in the Senate chamber with clothes that make the welkin ring. There is still a glowing vision in the mind's eye of the striped coat which Senator Quay wore on one of the numerous days he delivered a part of his humorous speech.

It was Mr. Squire's turn yesterday to rival and eclipse the gorgeous panorama which Mr. Quay presented. Mr. Squire was attired—with the emphasis on "tired"—in a black Prince Albert suit and a vest or striking yellow. No creamery butter that ever came from country churn, no dandelion ever wooing the gentle spring breezes on a sunny hillside, no field of waving corn, not even the golden sunsets of which Homer writes, ever equalled in vividness of color the vest which Mr. Squire wore lately. It was a bird. It spread all over the broad expanse of Mr. Squire's bosom like a field of buttercups in a ten-acre lot.—Washington Post.

The American Girl Restored.

Outdoor life, delight in action, the spirit of sport, have taken hold of American womanhood. Girls of strong physique, erect carriage and energetic spirit, delighting in tennis, riding, boating, walking, are now the rule; the feeble, indoor do-nothing is the exception, and the result is a tall, vigorous race, with free steps and cheeks aglow with the ruddy color of physical health and energy. Walk along the avenues of any large city at the fashionable hours and the procession of bright, animated girlhood which passes before one's eyes gives ample proof of summer activity. All over the country, where there are men and women to start a club and create a sporting interest, the women also have their share of advantages, and in not a few cases their fair share also of the work of setting the organizations on foot. There are a few country clubs, hunt clubs, tennis clubs or other sporting clubs throughout the Union which have not a lady membership.

Mother Hubbard Up to Date.

The old ballet girl, in a faded Mother Hubbard,
To get her dog a bone went a-searching through the cupboard;
There was no bone there, which gave her lots of pain,
But a search in her stocking would not have been in vain. —Bennett Star.

Rivals.

May—What a wonderful imagination Mr. De Billion has!

Agnes (coldly)—Why? Did he tell you that you were pretty?

May (more coldly)—No; he said that he thought you would be a good wife for somebody else.

DINNERS IN FRISCO.

CURIOUS COSMOPOLITAN RESTAURANTS ON THE COAST.

One May Dine In the Manner of a Different Country Every Night In the Week. A Dirty Italian Restaurant on the Water Front That Is Very Popular.

One of the features of cosmopolitan San Francisco is its restaurants. Every foreign colony boasts of a place where its native cooking can be had, and adventurous San Franciscans who care to look these places up can dine in the manner of a different country every night in the week. If an elaborate Chinese dinner, with its numberless impossible courses, each accompanied by sweetmeats, proves unattractive, a Hawaiian dinner, with poi and salted fish, can be had by walking a few blocks. For those who like highly spiced dinners there are the Italian and Spanish restaurants to choose from, and for those with small appetites, who look for novelty in service, there are the Turkish restaurants, with their unpronounceable dishes and delicious coffee.

The most popular of the foreign restaurants are the Italian. There are several of these scattered about the Latin quarter, which are much frequented by San Franciscans on account of the excellence of the cooking. Most of them are dirty, very dirty, as to floors and walls, and the Italians are not oversqueamish regarding the table linen. When a party of Americans enter, however, there is a general shuffle among the waiters to secure the service of the table and the prospective tip. The question of precedence being settled, the wine stained tablecloth is whisked off and replaced by one not always newly laundered or else suspiciously damp.

These restaurants are rarely on the main streets and have to be approached through dark alleys. One situated behind the county jail occupies the back room of a small Italian grocery store. In going there one is reminded of dark deeds and sharp stilettos, but the dinner is worth the journey. The chef of this place is famous for cooking 'Italiarini,' a paste made by himself and cut in strips and cooked with a sauce made of tomatoes, spices and mushrooms. It is extremely rich and very peppery, but all Italian dishes are strongly dashed with chili peppers.

The dinner is attended with great ceremony. A bottle of their sour claret is served with each dinner. Every Italian drinks about two quarts of it with his dinner, so the bottle supply sometimes runs short. In this event the waiter goes to the bar, fillls an empty bottle from a demijohn, drives in a cork, and then carries the bottle to the table where it is needed, sometimes four feet from the bar, and impressively producing his corkscrew draws the cork as carefully as though he were handling the finest burgundy. His demeanor is so serious throughout the performance that one dare not look amused.

A very popular restaurant is Bazzuro's, which is situated near the water front. This is greatly patronized by the Italian fishermen, who file in after their day's work, still wearing their gum boots and smelling strongly of their craft. It is also frequented by the Italian vegetable gardeners, who drive in from the outskirts of town, and after disposing of their stock stop to dine. When the place is reasonably well filled, there is a babel of voices. They are all talking at once, and out of the confusion the word "scudi" is distinguished above all others.

This means money, which the proprietor says, with a shrug, "they talk about all the time, all the time." The fishermen bring the best of their day's catch here, and the gardeners offer their choicest vegetables. The chef, whose kitchen is back of the dining tables and in full view of the room, is a merry fellow, and between his juggling feats, tossing his pan into the air to turn the cooking fish or meat exchanges gossip and jests with the diners. This place is kept comparatively clean. The floor is covered with sawdust and the ceiling festooned with gaudy colored paper cut in fanciful designs. Two parrots add to the general din, and all sorts and conditions of cats prowl around the floor.

The restaurant is conducted by two brothers, one of whom waits on table, while the other attends bar and looks after the cash receipts. Every Italian after dining stops at the bar for a chat and a drink. Instead of a liquor, the host pours generous glasses of claret for himself and his guests, and these are speedily tossed off. A casual visitor, after witnessing this ceremony about 25 times in quick succession, is apt to grow nervous about the health of the host, but he appears none the worse for his conviviality at the end of the evening. The younger brother sometimes relieves his brother at the bar. He is quite as hospitable, and his invariable drink being absinthe and seltzer his case seems even more alarming.

This restaurant, at 7:30 in the evening, when dinner is in full swing, presents an odd sight, the Italians sitting around the tables, most of them with their hats on, gesticulating and talking excitedly across the room, while they roll the spaghetti round their forks and dexterously transfer it in yard lengths to their mouths. A butcher, with all the marks of his trade about him, occupies a table with the policeman on the beat, who gets the best service of all; a few men about town, who have heard of the chef's fame, and forget the unsavory looking company in their enjoyment of the plates, and often a table or two taken by young society girls with their chaperon and escorts. The girls consider a dinner at Bazzuro's a tremendous lark.

The Americans do not venture on the claret so generously served with the dinner. A flask of Chianti is ordered in its stead, and the proprietor always proffers the empty flask to the youngest member of the party as a souvenir.—San Francisco Letter.

JIM LEARNS BAD HABITS.

A Crow Becoming Dissipated in the Society of a New York Regiment.

When the Seventy-first Regiment went to Brooklyn during the trolley strike the headquarters of the regiment was established at the Bergen Street barns of the Atlantic Avenue lines. The accommodations were not extensive, and about the only available place for the offices of the battalion adjutants was a little box of a room about ten feet square, used by the superintendent of the Bergen Street line. When the adjutants moved in with their trappings the superintendent got out gracefully, and they didn't know until an hour or so later that their impropriation was to be questioned. Then a big black crow, which had been watching events gravely from his perch on a high shelf, began to scold loudly and flap his wings. Some of the Seventy-first boys tried to catch him, but he eluded them, squaking with anger, apparently, whenever anybody got near him.

It was not until the next morning that the crow would condescend to make friends. The boys learned that he was a pet of the superintendent's, and that his name was Jim. They called him by name, and then Jim evidently thought that he had asserted his dignity long enough, for he at once got friendly and allowed the boys to scratch his head. In return the boys kept a cup of water and a piece of bread on a desk for him at any hour of the day or night.

One morning, after some of the boys had been out in the cold a long time, several of them went into the adjutant's office to thaw out. They had a bottle of whiskey, and, as Jim looked not very spry that morning, they poured a little out in a cup and put it on a desk for him. Jim sidled up to the cup, put his head on one side, and looked down into it for a long time. Then he twisted his head and looked with the other eye quite as long. Finally he put his bill into the cup and took a long draught. Then he threw back his head and swallowed it.

Everybody was watching the bird. The swallow made Jim blink his eyes. Then he seemed surprised. The next second he had reached his water-cup in a corner of the desk in a hop, skip and jump, and was drinking water as fast as he could get it down.

"Why, he's just as sensible as a man!" cried one of the adjutants in admiration. "Takes water with it. Say, he'll be a candidate for a lieutenancy pretty soon, won't he? Here, Jim, come and wipe your mouth."

The adjutant held out his handkerchief, and the bird, without hesitating a moment, hopped over and wiped his bill on it six or seven times. Then everybody roared.

Jim evidently thought that whiskey, with water after it, was pretty good, for he went to the cup again and again and filled his bill. And always afterward he would hop gravely to his water cup and wash it down. He kept at it until there was neither whiskey nor water left, and then he got somnolent. He had great difficulty in keeping his balance till he got to his perch, and greater difficulty when he tried to go sleep. He couldn't manage it on one leg, so he squatted on both and closed his eyes.

After that the boys always give Jim a share of their whiskey. He got used to it in the course of a day or so, and instead of going to sleep he would get on a foolish jag and flop around the floor in a fashion very undignified, talking to himself. It was while on one of these jags that he got under the feet of one of the boys and had his toes tramped on. He was laid up for the rest of the afternoon, and when he drank again he was more moderate.

Jim has a passion for pecking at everything he sees. When anybody writes at the desk he isn't satisfied until he has tried to swallow the pencil or pen. Once, but once only, he sampled the ink, and it didn't agree with him. He also likes cigarettes, but he has discovered that the lighted end isn't as good as the other. If he lives through his inquisitiveness, the Seventy-first boys want to take him home with them. They think he would make a fine regimental pet, and he seems so intelligent that he could doubtless be taught to perform many tricks.

WHY STRIKES FAIL.

Prone to Disorder and Violence Public Sympathy Revolts.

A correspondent of the New York Sun asks that paper why it is always on the side of the corporations when there is a strike or tie-up, and receives this characteristic answer from Mr. Dana:

The great labor strikes which, during the last ten years, have called forth any extended comments have been the Missouri Pacific strike of 1886; the coal and freight handlers' strike of the same year in this city; the Reading strike of 1887; the locomotive engineers' strike of 1888; the street car strike of this city in 1889; that unparalleled disgrace to the name of organized labor and to the public dastards who, from newspaper offices and political platforms, gave countenance to its atrocities, the strike at Homestead; the Erie strike at Buffalo in 1892; the Debs insurrection in Pullman and in Chicago in 1894, and the trolley strike in Brooklyn. Now, will our correspondent answer these questions?

Can he point out one of those great demonstrations, in which the strikers, or the strikers' friends, or the "side against the corporations" didn't defy the law, overthrow it with violence pregnant with murder, seek to destroy property, to tyrannize over or to murder non-union men, and oppress and outrage the public.

Will he point to a single instance where the power of the State has been called into action to suppress lawlessness committed by the "side of corporations," and where, in order to defend the personal right or safety of any citizen, or to reopen interrupted traffic, the State has been obliged to turn its guns against the corporations?

Will he point to a single instance where at the times of these strikes The Sun has raised its voice against anything but riot and murder and outrage committed by rioters against the public peace?

We trust our friend will understand the true distinction between the "side of the strikers" and the "side of the corporations," as it must appear to every impartial observer alive to the unshirkable duty of putting down lawlessness and of upholding the sacred principle of liberty for all men.

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For Perth Amboy—1 43 a m daily except Monday, 6 44, 9 46, 10 59, 12 46 3 20, 4 53, 5 44, 6 12, 7 20 7 36 9 54 and 12 27. Sundays, 1 43 10 25, 11 47 a m 10 14 p m.

For East Millstone—7 10 a. m., 12 35, 2 48 and 5 40 p. m., week-days.

For Trenton—1 00, 6 57, 7 10, 7 59, 9 05, 9 36, 11 43 A. M.; 1 05, 1 37, 2 48, 5 08, 6 36, 7 46, 8 42, 9 39 P. M. Sundays at 1 00, 6 59, 9 05 9 36, 10 41 A. M.; 5 40, 6 37, 7 47 and 9 41 P. M.

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For Flemington—7 59 A. M.; 2 48 P. M.

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Leave New York from foot of Liberty street 4 30, 6 00, 7 15, 8, 8 40, 9 10, 10, 11 45, A. M., 1 10, 1 30, 2 30, 3 30, 3 45, 4, 4 30, 5, 5 15, except Saturday, 5 30 5 45, 6, 6 15, 6 30, 7, 7 30, 8, 8 30, 9 15, 10 15, 11 30 P. M. 12 15, 1, night. Sunday—4 30, 7 15, 9 00, 9 15, A. M., 12 M., 1, 2 15, 4, 6 30, 7, 9 00, 10 00 P. M., 12 15 night. 1 A. M.

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Leave Newark 6 10, 7 15, 7 55, 8 30, 9 08, 10 08, 11 35 A. M. 1 15, 1 35, 3 20 Saturday only, 3 50, 3 55, 4 05, 5 40, 5 04, 5 34, 5 50, 6 20, 7 15, 7 36, 8 40, 10 06, 11 35 P. M. Sunday—7 30, 9 46, 9 25, 11 35, A. M., 1 10, 3 05, 4 10, 5 40, 7 20, 9 25, 10 20 P. M.

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Leave Plainfield 5 45, 7 10, 8 16, 9 54, 11 a.m. 12 46 2 08, 3 32, 3 45, 4 36, 5 05, 5 14, 5 34, 6 04, 6 19, 6 39, 7 12, 8 21, 10 26, 11 22, P. M. 12 39 night Sunday—5 45, 8 39 9 54, A. M., 2 08, 3 38, 5 14, 6 35, 10 18, 11 14 P. M.

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PLAINFIELD AND EASTON.

Leave Plainfield 5 45, 8 16, 9 54, A.M., 12 46, 2 08, 5 05, 5 14, 6 35, 8 21 P. M. Sunday—5 45, 8 20 A. M. 2 08, 6 35, P. M.

Leave Easton 6 05, 7 00, 8 53, A.M., 12 32, 4 04, 7 00 P. M. Sundays—7 15, 10 52, A. M. 5 40, 7 30, P. M.

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5 45 A. M. for Flemington, Easton, Allentown Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Mauch Chunk Williamsport and Tamaqua.

7 10 a. m. for stations to High Bridge, connecting for stations on High Bridge Branch.

8 16 A. M. for Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R. Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9 54 A. M. for Flemington, High Bridge branch D L & W R R, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Pottsville, Nanticoke, Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c. Through coach to Williamsport.

12 4 6p. m. way for Easton, connecting at Junction for stations on D. L. & W. R. R.

2 08 P. M. for Flemington, Easton Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Sunbury and Williamsport, Wilkes-Barre and Scranton. Buffet parlor car to Mauch Chunk.

5 05 p. m., way for Easton, connecting at High Bridge for stations on High Bridge branch

5 14 P. M. for Flemington, Easton, Bethlehem, Bangor Allentown, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, Mauch Chunk Shamokin and Tamaqua, Buffet parlor car to Scranton.

6 19 P. M. for Flemington.

6 35 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading and Harrisburg.

8 21 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

5 45 A. M. Sunday for Easton, Bethlehem Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Wilkesbarre and Scranton. 8 28 a.m. Sundays for Easton. 2 08 p. m. Sundays for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Reading and Harrisburg, 6.35 p. m. Sundays for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, &c. and at Junction for D. L. & W. R. R.

For Atlantic City, 3 37 a. m. 1 18 p. m.

Long Branch, Ocean Grove, &c

Leave Plainfield 3 37, 8, 10 27, a. m 1.18, 3 51, 5 54, p. m. Sundays—(except Ocean Grove 3 53, a. m., 3 30 p. m.

For Perth Amboy, 3 37, 5 38, 8 10 27 a. m., 1 18, 3 51, 4 50, 5.54, 7 08 p.m. Sunday—3 53, a. m., 3 30 p. m.

For Freehold, 3 37, 8, 10 27 a.m., 1 18, 3 51, 4 50, P. m.

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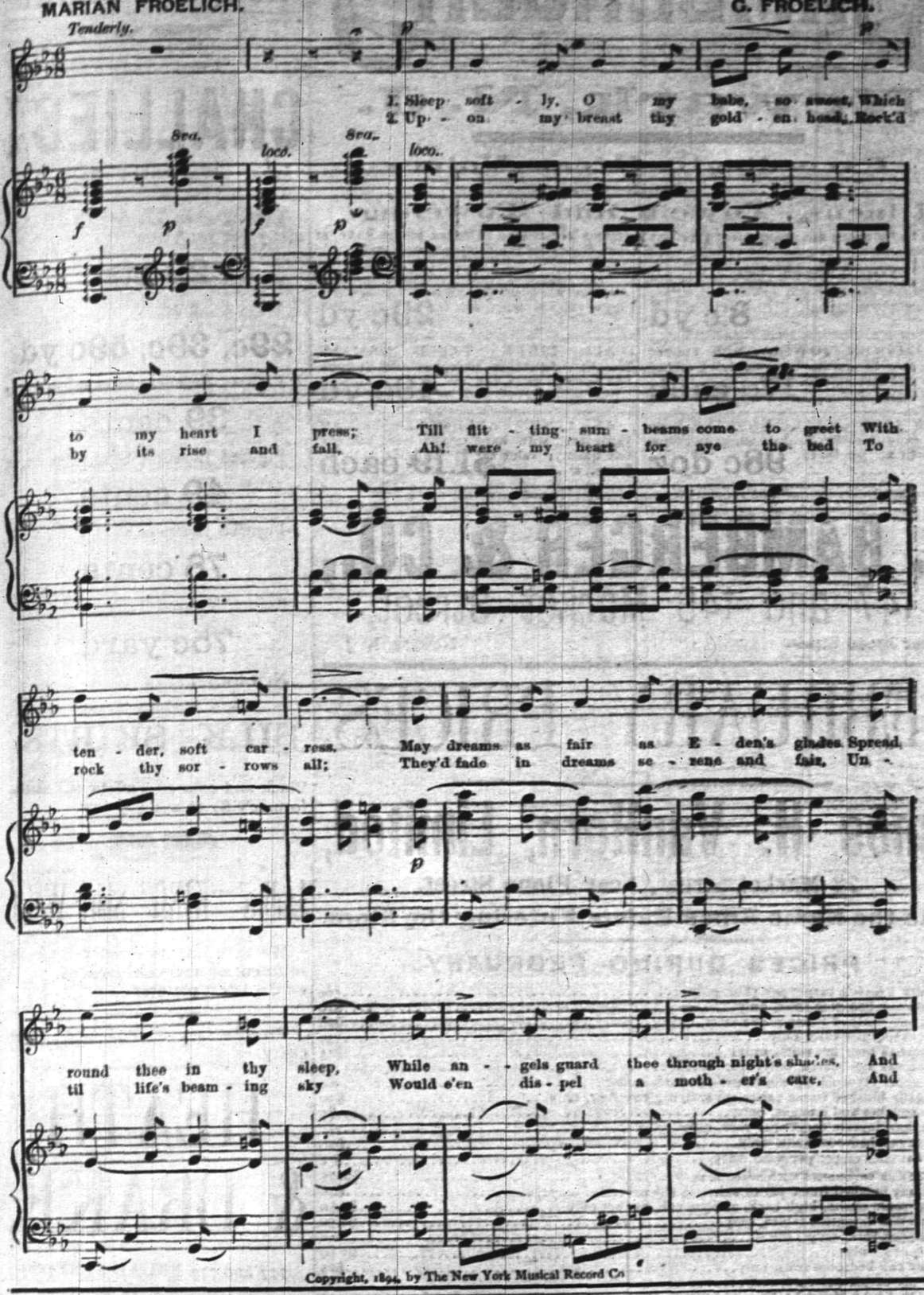

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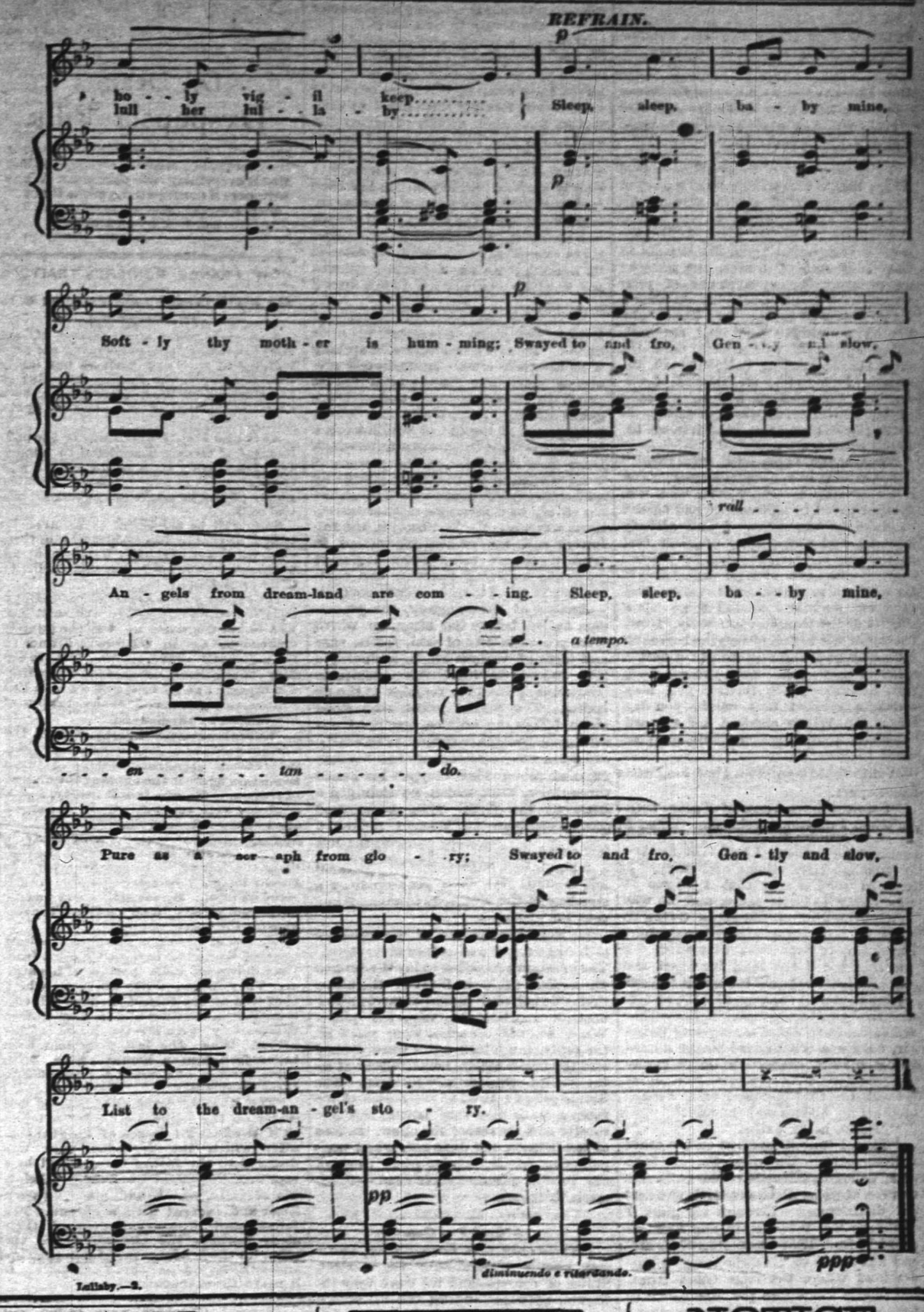

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Notice is hereby given to the creditors of Sidney E. Flower, of the city of Plainfield, Union county, New Jersey, carrying on the business of dealer in pictures and stationery at No. 128 East Front street, in the city of Plainfield aforesaid, that all claims against his estate must be exhibited to the subscriber, his assignee, at his store, No. 151 West Front street, Plainfield, New Jersey, under oath or affirmation, on or before the 25th day of March next, being the time fixed by order of the Orphans' Court of Union county within which such claims must be presented, or be forever barred from coming in for a dividend of the said estate; and said creditors are further notified that a list of the claims against said Sidney E Flower will be filed with the Clerk of the Court of Common Pleas of the County of Union at the expiration of said time when exceptions thereto may be filed by any person interested.

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TALKING ON THE AIR

RECORD FOR LONG DISTANCE CONVERSATION WITHOUT A WIRE.

How Carlotta Got an Amateur Balloonist Out of a Fix a Mile Up In the Air—Her Voice Reached Over Four Miles—Gasbags Acted as Receivers.

Tales are plenty of long distances over which men's voices have been conveyed by the medium of placid water. An Adirondack guide tells of having talked in ordinary tones, on a very still day, with a companion 1½ miles distant at the other end of a lake, and another guide caps this story with one of yells which were heard and returned near a water extent of three miles. These tales are quite outdone by a well authenticated story told by Carlotta, once the most famous woman balloonist in the world. In her story air, instead of water, was the medium, and the distance of the conversation was four miles. It took place above the outskirts of St. Louis some years ago.

"It was an aeronautic exhibition," says Carlotta in telling the story, "and a young man named White, who was inexperienced in ballooning, had agreed to make an ascension. I had already gone up and was quietly drifting east on an easy air current when he started out. He had had enough experience to know how to handle the valves and sandbags, and he intended to go up a mile or so and then descend easily. Now, the upper air is full of varying currents. You may be going due west at a half a mile altitude, and when you get up a few hundred yards farther you may strike a current that carries you due east. Mr. White checked his upward career in a west bound draft, so that when he finally drifted out of that current into mine we were a good long distance apart.

"I always have a powerful glass with me when I make an ascension. When I turned this on him, I saw that he was in trouble. His balloon had twisted a little in such a way that I judged it was likely to twist more, and he was clambering around the ropes trying to right it, but without much apparent conception of what was best to do. I was frightened for him, for when the bag of a balloon turns too much the gas begins to escape rapidly, and the results are likely to be serious. I knew that voices could be heard a long way in the air, for I had often heard people a mile below me shouting, so without knowing how far the two balloons were apart I decided to hail the other one. I gathered all my breath and shouted:

"'Hello, hello, hello!'

"Then I turned my glass on the other balloon again. Up where the air is so clear as it is a mile above the earth one can see at great distances with wonderful distinctness. Through my glass I could see Mr. White start and look all around him. That was quite awhile after I had shouted. He didn't seem to understand where the voice came from, but finally I saw him put his hands to his mouth, evidently making a speaking trumpet of them. I waited and waited and was just about to shout again when the huge gasbag above me began to thrill with sounds. They seemed to buzz along its sides and diffuse the air, only to collect and come whirring and rumbling down the funnel to be poured into my ears, and they formed in a tone that seemed made up of a million other tones:

"'Hello! Where—are—you?'

"It was the most peculiar sound I had ever heard. When it had scattered itself into silence, I took out my watch, and timing myself shouted:

"'Throw out one sandbag. I'll come to you!'

"Forty seconds later my balloon began to vibrate again, finally forming the words:

"'All right. In trouble!'

"There was method in my telling him to throw out the sandbag, as it was afterward of use. I threw out a number myself, for I reckoned that a little above me I would find a current to carry me toward Mr. White. This I did and was soon within a short distance of him, aerially considered. The trouble with his balloon was a slight disarrangement of the ropes, which I had myself experienced, so I told him what to do, and he was soon all right. As I explained to him when we reached the earth, we had been talking over an aerial telephone, the gasbags being the only material objects up there collecting all the sounds and acting as huge receivers."

"'Well,' said he, 'you got me out of a very bad scrape, but I never was so scared in my life as when that voice surrounded me. I thought the balloon was talking, and that I had gone crazy.

"'It was a pretty long talk,' said I, 'for, allowing the voice to travel five seconds to a mile by my timing, we must have been close to four miles apart.'

"'That's simply impossible,' said he.

"'Very well,' I said. 'That's why I told you to drop that sandbag. I threw some out, too, and we can find out how far they landed apart.

"It wasn't much trouble to find people who had found the bags and knew just where they were. Fortunately they had landed near a railroad track, so the distance estimating was made easy for us. It was 4¼ miles. I guess that is the record up to date for long distance talking without a wire."

His Names.

A pair of twins was born in the Back Bay district. A bright boy set about to try to name them. He said, "Will they be called Peter and Repeater?" But no. His mother would not listen to the name Peter. Then he said, "Let them be called Max and Climax."

"No," she said. "They are both little girls, so we cannot name one of them Max."

Then he said after much thought, "Let them be called Kate and Duplicate." After that his head was bandaged, and he was sent out to play.—Union Signal.

JAPANESE RITES.

Frederick Villiers Describes Funerals After the Battle of Ping-Yang.

Many of the sick and wounded who die are cremated. Their ashes are collected, placed in small square boxes, interred for a time in the little cemetery outside the foreign settlement at Chemulpo, and after awhile exhumed and sent to Japan. The ceremony I beheld in Chemulpo after the fight at Ping-Yang was not impressive or solemn, but simply curious. Eighty bodies had been cremated in various parts of the country and forwarded to the treaty port in small boxes. These were placed in two large, black cases at the hospital, and preceded by a motley group of coolies, citizens and soldiers were carried to the burial plot.

First came coolies with branches of foliage and white streamers in their hands. Then a few soldiers, marching with reversed arms. Immediately preceding the black cases was a Shinto priest in yellow kimono and a black gauze shako. Round his neck was a purple cord, at the end of which hung a fan. In his right hand was a flute, which from time to time as the procession wended its way he tooted on, producing an inharmonious sound which reminded me of my own attempts on that instrument when a boy. The coolies, the followers and the lookers on seemed to treat the whole thing more as a good joke than a solemn function and chatted and laughed to their hearts' content.

Arrived at the cemetery, the procession halted before the altar, on which were placed bottles of saki, fruits, eggs and birds of various kinds, including a live rooster. Behind this hospitable board were placed the remains of the 80 bodies. The Shinto priest, who stood alone before the edibles, stretched out his hands and made several passes with his fan in the direction of the rooster, groaned aloud, then clapped his hands three times, after which he indulged a little on the flute. Then he groaned again, straightened himself, retired a few paces, took several paces to the left and right, then advanced again, groaned and tooted. He then requested by a sign one of the mourners to advance and take his place.

He then handed one of the branches of foliage to the gentleman and retired. The mourner proceeded to lay the branch on a small table in front of the altar, then saluted and moved away to allow another mourner to take his place. When all the branches were piled on the table, the black cases were opened and the small square boxes taken out by the coolies and carefully interred. The Shinto priest retired to the bosom of his family, with the saki bottle, the live rooster and the rest of the chow. In lieu of tombstones, the Japs use, when campaigning, small wooden posts to mark the resting place of their dead.—Frederick Villiers.

A Quid Pro Quo.

He was only first consul then, and I was consul general—for the United States of course—and we were very intimate, notwithstanding the difference in rank, for I waived that. One day something offered the opening, and he said:

"Well, general, I suppose life can never get entirely dull to an American, because whenever he can't strike up any other way to put in his time he can always get away with a few years trying to find out who his grandfather was."

I fairly shouted, for I had never heard it sound better, and then I was back at him quick as a flash:

"Right, your excellency. But I reckon a Frenchman's got his little standby for a dull time, too, because when all other interests fail he can turn in see if he can find out who his father was."

Well, you should have heard him just whoop and cackle and carry on. He reached over and hit me on the shoulder and said:

"Land, but it's good! It's immensely good! I George, I never heard it said so good in my life before. Say it again."

So I said it again, and he said his again, and I said mine again, and then he did, and then I did, and then he did, and we kept on doing it and doing it, and I never had such a good time, and he said the same. In my opinion there isn't anything that is as killing as one of those dear old ripe pensioners if you know how to snatch it out in a kind of a fresh sort of original way.—Mark Twain in North American Review.

American Cities a Hundred Years Ago.

When Washington was inaugurated, Philadelphia, then the metropolis of the country, had only about 42,000 people, New York but 33,000, Boston 18,000, Baltimore 13,000 and no other city anywhere near 10,000. Even after the lapse of half a century, during which New York had overtaken Philadelphia, so that in 1840 it had 312,000 inhabitants to the latter city's 258,000, Baltimore and New Orleans were the only other places with more than 100,000 people, and except Boston, with 93,000, all of the few remaining cities fell short of 50,000. During the formative period of the new nation, therefore, all but the merest fraction of its citizens lived in places of small population, the local affairs of which were easily administered through town meetings or other such simple machinery.—New York Post.

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The recent public degradation of Capt. Dreyfus, while impressive and thrilling, was not so dramatic as was the punishment meted out to traitors in France in the sixteenth century. The last to undergo that solemn ceremonial was a Gascon captain named Frangez, who, in 1523 traitorously connived at the taking of Fontarable by the Spanish.

"Twenty stainless knights," says the ancient chronicle, "were assembled, and before them appeared the King of Arms to sustain against the accused the charge of treason. He was found guilty, and 2 scaffolds were erected. Upon one stood the knightly judges, the King of Arms and the heralds; upon the other the condemned, incased in complete armor, his shield hanging reversed—point upward—before him. By his side stood twelve surpliced priests, who chanted the service for the dead.

"At the end of each psalm the priests paused, while the heralds stripped from the condemned some portion of his armor. They began with his helm, which they cast at the foot of the scaffold, crying: 'This is the helm of a traitor!' and so successively with all the pieces of his armor. When the last piece had been taken from him a herald broke, with three strokes of a mace, his shield into three fragments.

"The King of Arms then poured hot water on the bared head of the felon, as if to efface all traces of knighthood, after which the degraded man was dragged to the foot of the scaffold by a rope attached about his body just below his armpits, was bound, placed upon a litter and covered with a shroud. The judges and priests then turned their steps towards the church, where the office for the dead was said, the miserable traitor finishing his expiation meanwhile beneath the executioner's axe."

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J. H. Darrah, Secy. 2 2 14

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Whereas, It is reported that a rabid dog has been running at large through the village of Scotch Plains and other parts of Fanwood township, and

Whereas, It is common rumor that a number of dogs owned by various residents within the limits of said township have come in contact with and been bitten by said rabid dog, therefore, be it

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Fanwood, N. J., Feb. 1, 1895.
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References given and required.
Address letters to the office of this paper.
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Call and see the new
SPALDING
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26 acres, or in plots to suit
Also trees, shrubs, hedge plants, palms, Bermuda lilies, Indian azaleas, india rubber trees, etc.
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Sulphur and Vapor Baths,
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ANOTHER NEW FEATURE.

The Daily Press Adds to Its Already Large List of Special Attractions.

THE Napoleonic wave which has displayed itself in America by a revival of Empire gowns and decorations, Napoleonic literature, pictures and relics has reached the proportions of a craze in Paris and is only less enthusiastic but scarcely less real and vital in other European capitals. So that now, eighty years after Waterloo, the Man of Destiny fills almost as conspicuous a place in the public eye as when he held the peace of Europe in his hand.

Napoleon is altogether the most brilliant, the most potent personality in modern history. Men are hero worshipers all, whether they know it or not, and the tremendous achievements and dramatic career of Napoleon appeal powerfully to the intelligent reader of today. The story of Napoleon has never been briefly told with better effect than in the new series of monographs fresh from the pen of John Clark Ridpath to appear for the first time in print in The Daily Press, to whose exclusive service in Plainfield they are copyrighted. Each monograph is two columns long, and they are arranged consecutively for publication in weekly installments. The first article is released for publication Saturday, Feb. 16, and the others in regular order on succeeding Saturdays. They will be a welcome new feature to readers of The Daily Press.

Big Deals for '95.

There is no business which admits of so many wonderful innovations as the theatrical business. The present age might appropriately be styled "The Realistic."

Men with vast capital have entered the field, and their rivalry and spirited competition have called forth the most astounding results. The public crave amusements as one of the most essential necessities of life, and are so thoroughly educated as to the merits of what is good or bad that it pays best to cater to them by presenting only what is certain to be stamped as "O. K."

One of the most colossal theatrical enterprises which will open in New York City is the great comedy drama, "She Couldn't Marry Three," for which extensive preparations have been carried on. The scenery will eclipse anything presented in New York in recent years, and with the magnificent company of selected artists, is sure to make an instantaneous and unqualified success. After its New York opening it will be sent across the continent to San Francisco with the entire New York caste, and it is unanimously conceded by newspaper and theatrical critics that among the big deals for '95 will be found "She Couldn't Marry Three."

An End to the Trouble.

Chief Marshal Pangborn of North Plainfield has done a clever stroke of detective work in an anonymous letter case. A borough family was annoyed by unsigned communications received through the mail, and though the letters came from various postoffices, including Newark, Rahway and New Brunswick, Mr. Pangborn by shrewd and careful work located their author, secured confession, and effectually stopped continuation of the annoyance. The grateful family express high praise for the Marshal's work.

Miss Uncle Peter's Shovel.

Those who have walked along Somerset street the past few years have always commented on the snow being promptly shoveled off the sidewalks, on the property of the late Peter Wooden, between the Somerset Hotel and the schoolhouse. The old man was often seen doing the work himself, but now that Uncle Peter is dead the snow remains on the sidewalk, and the pedestrians suffer in consequence.

Spirited Equine.

Thomas Clacy, who was driving A. M. Griffen's horse and truck on East Front street yesterday afternoon, had considerable difficulty in holding the horse, which became frightened at a trolley car. Watchung avenue was reached before the animal was under control.

A Des Moines woman who has been troubled with frequent colds, concluded to try an old remedy in a new way, and accordingly took a tablespoonful (four times the usual dose) of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy just before going to bed. The next morning she found that her cold had almost entirely disappeared. During the day she took a few doses of the remedy (one teaspoonful at a time) and at night again took a tablespoonful before going to bed, and on the following morning awoke free from all symptoms of the cold. Since then she has, on several occasions, used this remedy in like manner with the same good results, and is much elated over her discovery of so quick a way of curing a cold. For sale at Reynolds's pharmacy, Park and North aves. T. S. Armstrong, manager.

COMING THEATRICALS.

Farce and Minstrels to Be Seen at the Casino.

TOWN AND SOCIETY INTERESTED.

Good Music and a Laugh-Provoking Play for the Benefit of Muhlenberg Hospital—Something About the Players Who Will Take Part—Newcomers in the Company.

It has been nearly a year since Plainfield's amateur actors have been seen on the Casino stage, and the announcement of the performance that is to be given on the night of the 21st has been received with acclamation everywhere. The minstrel show which is to form the first part of the entertainment has been planned on the old conventional lines which makes any announcement of its character unnecessary. Suffice it to say that the music both vocal and instrumental is to be of the best procurable. All of Plainfield's funny men and her good singers have been secured, and each will do his best for the sake of charity in general and Muhlenberg Hospital in particular. Eugene Rose, who came with his orchestra from the Lyceum Theatre in New York to play at the two performances of the "Gray Mare" last year, will be seen, if not recognized, through his burnt cork on the stage. A topical song of great local interest, a very well known middleman, and part singing of various kinds, including a double quartette, will be among the special festures.

Although it is expected that the minstrels will take up the better part of the evening as far as time is concerned, the play which is to follow it will not be the least interesting portion of the entertainment. The one-act farce by Mrs. Burton Harrison entitled "Tea at Four o'Clock" has been in rehearsal for the past month, and will be given with the usual attention to cast and scenery, costuming and detail that has characterized the previous productions by the same company.

The cast is a large one consisting of eleven characters and the story is briefly as follows: Mrs. Effingham, a fashionable widow, in love with Arthur Rutlege, is discovered "at home" in the garden of her country house. Her first caller, Mr. Grayson, is about to pour a declaration of love into her unwilling ears when he is interrupted by the announcement of Mr. Walton, a former but rejected suitor. Their conversation is broken into by the arrival of Mr. Appleby, a stuttering millionaire, who in turn is cut short in his dialogue with the others by the arrival of Mrs. Marabout, a volatile society woman. Mrs. Coddington and Arabella Coddington are the next arrivals. Arabella is shy and does not wish to talk but is constantly exhorted by her mother to keep the conversation going. In a fit of desperate and embarrassed ingenuity provoked by a direct appeal from Mrs. Effingham she invents the story of the duel and when pressed for particulars as to the names of the antagonists mentions the first that come into her head, of which Arthur Rutlege's happens to be one. Mrs. Effingham, distracted by the idea that Rutlege is in danger, endeavors to send Thomas, the butler, to find out the facts of the case but realizes the impossibility of doing so without detection. At this moment General Sabretache is announced. The General is a boasting, bombastic old party who persists in recounting his sanguinary achievements to the great discomfort of Mrs. Effingham, who constantly pictures Rutlege in similar situations. Sabretache, becoming offended at some remarks of Walton's, leaves in a fit of anger, threatening dire vengeance. Mrs. Effingham, unable to remain longer in doubt as to Arthur's fate, begs Grayson to go to the club and find out the facts of the case. He accordingly departs and Dr. Grantley, Arthur's uncle, comes on the scene. He is an old bore who constantly talks about the tariff. Mrs. Effingham, believing that he has come with a full knowledge of the duel, finds hidden meanings in his simplest remarks and is fast becoming distracted when the happy arrival of Rutlege calms her fears. The return of Mrs. Marabout, Sabretache and Grayson each with a different tale about the duel which they tell without perceiving Rutlege, further complicates matters until Arthur suddenly makes his presence known to the new arrivals and disclaims any intention of fighting at all. The question of who could have started the story is solved by Arabella who confesses that she made it up to supply conversation.

The play is well cast and has been faithfully rehearsed. Mrs Mason as Mrs. Effingham is, as always, at home in her part.

Mrs. Saunders as Arabella Coddington is sure to add one more to her many successes, while Mrs. Serrell in the character of Mrs. Marabout will prove a valuable addition to the company and Mr. and Mrs. Irving Brown as Dr. Grantley and Mrs. Coddington will add to the fun of the play. Mr. Cock is sure of increasing his popularity in the part of Thomas, the destructive servant, and George Taggart does some excellent character work in the role of Mr. Appleby, in which he has some capital comic business with Arabella. The other parts are admirably cast as follows: Mr. Grayson, Mr. Bogert; Mr. Walton, Fred Walz; General Sabretache, Mr. Anthony; and Arthur Rutlege, Mr. Colburn.

Of the eleven in the cast all but four are well known to Casino audiences. The new comers are Mrs. Serrell, Mr and Mrs. Brown and Mr. Bogert. The tickets are for sale by the patronesses, who alone would make a good sized audience, and at Reynolds's and Hebard's pharmacies.

LINCOLN'S BIRTHDAY.

The Daily Press Celebrates the Event with a Special Palatable Literary Menu.

Probably no American hero and patriot, not excepting the illustrious Washington, has been more written about, more discussed, more severely criticised, more carefully analyzed or better loved, than Abraham Lincoln. His career was the wonder of the world, and today it is just as wonderful, just as interesting as ever. Lincoln seems to be a subject of inexhaustible interest, and the Lincoln page in this issue of The Daily Press furnishes quite as interesting a collection of Lincoln lore as has ever been comprised within the space of six columns.

"Lincoln was always something of an enigma", says G. T. Ferris, and he gives a thoughtful, entertaining and instructive study of the enigma.

Junius Henri Browne, the famous war correspondent, describes in his usual masterly style his first meeting with Lincoln; and E. J. Edwards contributes an interesting account of Lincoln's great oration at Cooper Union, in New York city, shortly before his nomination for the presidency.

Besides these leading articles there is a remarkable love letter (with the word "love" left out) written by Lincoln, and a story of the Lincolns' home life before the war told by an old family nurse, still living.

The illustrations are notable for their appropriateness and artistic excellence.

Office of Citizens' Organized Aid Association, 101 North Avenue.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE DAILY PRESS:—Just at the time when the Winter is at its worst, when all the defense that warm clothing, warm houses and good food can yield is most needed: When in-door work is scarce and out-door work is impossible: When every charity should and must be doing its utmost: *Just now*, that is to say, the funds of this association are practically exhausted. True, all bills are paid to February 1st: True, again, we do not use or need a large sum of money—only about $500 annually—since the association aims rather to help its beneficiaries to become self supporting than to give alms: But *what we do* need, *that* we must have and have at once. And if the community believes our work to be in itself wise and useful, and wisely and usefully conducted, then the least the community can do is to support that work with sympathy and money, especially money.

We solicit subscriptions for annual memberships at $2.00, or for life-memberships at $50.00: We earnestly hope for forty or fifty annual "sustaining" members at $10.00 each, since we should then have a solid basis for regular business. But we will gladly receipt for any sum from $1.00 upward, *for the need grows greater as the mercury goes lower.*

H. P. REYNOLDS, Treasurer.

Feb. 11th.

Dr. Pierson Will Be Here.

The Rev. Arthur T. Pierson, D. D., has been secured to address the Y. M. C. A. convention on Saturday at 3:15 p. m. Few men are more widely known than Dr. Pierson both as a preacher and writer. He occupied for an extended period the pulpit of the late Charles H. Spurgeon. Among his best known books are "The Crisis of Missions." "Many Infallible Proofs" and "The New Acts of the Apostles." This session of the convention will be held in the First Baptist Church in order that more of our citizens may be able to hear this gifted speaker.

Peel Held in Bonds.

Thomas Peel, the milkman, who was engaged in a fight yesterday as exclusively reported in The Daily Press, was arrested today, and Justice Nash held him under $100 bail to await the action of the Grand Jury.

Frank Patience wishes The Press to say that he was not present at the time of the trouble, but arrived later, when Peel went for him and attempted to strangle him, but did not succeed.

Four Big Successes.

Having the needed merit to more than make good all the advertising claimed for them, the following four remedies have reached a phenomenal sale. Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption, coughs and colds, each bottle guaranteed—Electric Bitters, the great remedy for liver, stomach and kidneys. Bucklen's Arnica Salve, the best in the world, and Dr. King's New Life Pills, which are a perfect pill. All these remedies are guaranteed to do just what is claimed for them and the dealer whose name is attached herewith will be glad to tell you more of them. Sold at L. W. Randolph's drug store.

PARLIAMENTARY LAW.

D. P. Hall Expounds Governing Rules to the Monday Afternoon Club—Says Filibustering Has Its Merits.

The Monday Afternoon Club has enjoyed fully as pleasant sessions, but it is doubtful if a more instructive and profitable meeting has been held in some time than was that in the parlors of the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian Church yesterday afternoon, when David P. Hall of Central avenue delivered a discourse on parliamentary rules and practice.

The speaker is thoroughly conversant with all the phases of rules which govern deliberative bodies, and his talk was so clear and concise that everyone was enabled to grasp the illustrations and points which he sought to bring forth.

He considered that organization was the great element which had brought the nineteenth century to its present state of civilization, and organization could accomplish nothing without a proper application of rules seeking to govern a set of people as it would govern one individual. Parliamentary law should be studied the same as any other law, which must be commenced at the foundation.

The one great stumbling-block, he held, in grasping the proper scope of just governing rules, was precedent, to which the English-speaking people had become slaves in accepting it as a means of direction to the right.

Going from the theoretical to the practical side of his subject, the functions of the presiding officer were described in a lucid manner. He ventured the opinion that filibustering, where great principles were at stake, was justifiable on the part of the minority, and defined the term as the use of the rules to prevent the passage or adoption of pending business.

The Monday Afternoon Club, he said, was not liable to experience any filibustering, for the club did not discuss anything serious enough to precipitate filibustering—at which there was a titter of laughter among the audience of women.

After his address, numerous questions were profounded, which the speaker instructively answered.

Thanked the Retiring Treasurer.

The North Plainfield Township Committee met in adjourned session last evening.

Clerk Martin read the minutes of the previous meeting, which were approved.

Bills amounting to $1,332.59 were presented and ordered paid.

Charles Willis who lives near Johnston's drive asked the Committee to open the drive and clear the snow away so he could travel back and forth. The request was granted.

Mr. Smith reported that several tons of stone had been ordered through the township.

The following resolution was offered by Mr. Fountain and adopted unanimously:

Resolved, That a vote of thanks be extended to our retiring member and treasurer, W. C. Smith, for his untiring efforts on behalf of the township in all its various interests.

Those present were the recipients of Collector Spencer's hospitality. He furnished them with a box of his excellent cigars. Mr. Spencer was highly complimented for his valuable service as collector.

Mr. Smith made a motion that the Township report be printed in a consolidated form, and that bids be opened for the same. The clerk was authorized to get 250 copies.

The balance of the evening was spent socially, during which Mr. Smith made some very interesting remarks.

Mr. Fountain and Mr. Allen will audit the treasurer's books in a few days, and the business of the present Committee will be concluded for this year.

Blew Out a Cylinder Head.

Train No. 47, westbound train for Flemington in charge of Conductor Sam Johnson, due in this city at 6:19, last evening blew out one of her cylinder heads between Elizabeth and this city, and was delayed here until 6:55, when she slowly pulled out and steamed to Somerville, where the disabled engine was disconnected and put in the stable and another substituted. Closely following No. 47 on the schedule is No. 49, Conductor Chas. Dodwell's westbound local for Dunellen, which is due here at 6:34. A similar unpleasant experience happened to 49 and the crippled train was delayed until 7:02, at which time, necessary repairs having been made, the train started for Dunellen.

Decorating for the Young Men.

The flower committees from the Plainfield Christian Endeavor societies met at the Y. M. C. A. Building yesterday to arrange for the decorations at the convention to be held this week.

The superintendents of the Junior Christian Endeavor societies, and the social committees, also met to plan for their branches of work.

Mrs. Emily Thorne, who resides at Toledo, Washington, says she has never been able to procure any medicine for rheumatism that relieves the pain so quickly and effectually as Chamberlain's Pain Balm and that she has also used it for lame back with great success. For sale at Reynolds's pharmacy, Park and North aves. T. S. Armstrong, manager.

A BRILLIANT AFFAIR.

Plainfield Society Attends the Ackerman Reception.

A SUCCESS IN ALL ITS FUNCTIONS.

The Casino of the Country Club Affords a Scene of Gaiety—All the Local Social World Was There to Enjoy the Beautiful Event.

The fact that the lenten season is but a few days distant, when the mantle of seclusion and quietude is donned by society, added to the brilliancy and success of the reception given by Mrs. J. H. Ackerman in the Casino of the Country Club last night. The reception had long been anticipated as one of the events of the season, attending which would be a lavish display of entertaining seldom observed outside of the metropolis; and it was a happy realization of the fondest desires of those who participated.

Never has the Casino presented a more animated appearance, and gaiety was the predominant element.

The spacious ballroom had been transformed into a veritable bower of beauty, by the artistic arrangement of plants and flowers by Butler of New York. Smilax and wintergreen were everywhere, sheltering from view every object save bright foliage. In front of the stage was arranged a tier of potted palms, obscuring the orchestra from the guests, and along the north and south walks the smilax was trailing as though growing from mother earth. At short distances bunches of roses added a variety of color and made a pretty effect, emitting a fragrance that permeated the whole room. Surrounding the fireplace, in which logs were brightly blazing, potted palms were again in evidence, and more smilax and wintergreen served as decorations to screen the glossed bricks from the vision. The balcony was also a bower of flowers. Along the sides of the ballroom and in the alcoves seats were arranged for the use of the guests. The suffused glow of the electric lamps, which were almost hidden from view by flowers, added a finishing touch to the exquisiteness of the ballroom surroundings.

As the orchestra of five pieces, under the direction of Elliott of New York, commenced to discourse sweet music from behind the tropical plants, the guests began to arrive and the constant intermingling of the varied-colored gowns of the women relieved the sombreness of the conventional dress of the men, and made the assemblage a brilliant spectacle.

The guests were received by Mrs. Ackerman, assisted by her daughters, Mrs. E. R. Ackerman, Mrs. Marion Ackerman and Mrs. Robert Bushmore.

Mrs. J. Hervie Ackerman was becomingly attired in a dress made of black sunset moire, trimmed with white Irish point lace, with panels of lace in the skirt. Her flowers were violets, and jewels moire pearls.

The gown of Mrs. Ernest Ackerman was made of pale blue crepe de chene. About her neck she wore a bertha of Brussels lace. A bouquet of pink violets were her flowers.

Mrs. Robert Bushmore's dress was of white crepon, trimmed with blue mirror velvet. Pink roses were her flowers.

Mrs. Marion Ackerman was prettily arrayed in a gown of sea green silk, combined with pink satin, and trimmed with Valenciennes lace. She carried pink roses and green orchids.

The serving of refreshments was commenced at 9:30, and was continuous under the direction of Thomas Tombe, steward of the Country Club. The principal serving table was in the woman's reception room, and the second on the piazza, one end of which had been attractively shut off by a garden scene. On the principal table was an immense centrepiece of pink roses, and a miniature aquarium, which was a marvel of culinary skill. Here was a salmon in a lake where real goldfish disported. The waiters were distinguished by white waistcoats. The menu was as follows:

Consomme, Finger Rolls,
Oyster Poulette,
Chicken Croquettes, Chicken Molonaise,
Lobster Molonaise, Salmon Molonaise,
Fois Gras in Aspic,
Chicken Sandwiches, Ham Sandwiches,
Watercress Sandwiches,
Glaces Fantasie, Charlotte Russe,
Petti Fours, Bon Bons,
Mottoes,
Coffee and Lemonade.

The principal serving table was illuminated by electricity which issued from small bulbs encased in wax candles, a method that was novel and unique, and only one of the many features which contributed to make the affair a success in all its details.

The display of potted palms was valued at $1,000, and the smilax was brought from the South for this occasion.

The guests included the following prominent people:

Mr. and Mrs. Morgan Olcott of New York.
" " A. D. Shepard.
Dr. " D. B. St. John Roosa of New York.
Mr. and Mrs. Hervie of Boston.
" " Tilney of Boston.
" " K. U. Webber of Springfield.
" " Clifton Wharton.
" " Charles Lawson.
" " E. N. Erickson.
" " E. S. Hooley.
" " F. O. Herring.
" " H. O. Fleming.
" " J. P. Mason.
" " J. F. Raymond.
" " Townsend Rushmore.
" " James Hallock.
" " L. G. Timpson.
" " H. C. Adams.
" " Wm. M. Stillman.
" " C. B. Corwin.
" " George M. Randall.
" " G. H. Squires.
" " Alexander Gilbert.
" " E. H. Ladd.
" " Leander Lovell.
" " John F. Harman.
" " H. C. Munger.
" " Craig A. Marsh.
" " Eugene H. Hatch.
" " Joseph H. Sandford, Jr.
" " August Kleinecke.
" " Henry Depew.
" " A. W. Haviland.
" " Lemuel W. Serrell, Jr.
" " George Chapman.
" " C. Arthur Baynon.
" " W. D. Murray.
" " Roger F. Murray.
" " J. W. Murray, Jr.
" " J. Evarts Tracy.
" " Howard Tracy.
" " J. B. Dumont.
" " E. L. Walz.
" " J. K. Myers.
Dr. and Mrs. E. W. Hedges.
Mr. and Mrs. George H. Goddard.
" " Wm. J. Roome.
" " B. A. Hegeman, Jr.
" " James R. Joy.
" " Wm. F. Arnold.
" " Joseph Sandford, Sr.
" " L. V. F. Randolph.
" " C. F. Randolph.
" " Samuel Huntington.
" " D. N. Groendyke.
" " George W. VanBoskerck.
Rev. and Mrs. C. L. Goodrich.
Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Wadsworth of New York.
" " Albert Drake of Westfield.

Misses Dumont, Yates, Huntington, Halloway, Walz, Evans, Waring, Hunter, Haviland, Betts, Morgan, Tracy, Titsworth, Newton, Kenyon, Marsh, Randolph, Abbott, Kirkner, Munger, Gardner, VanBoskerck, Cooley, Cock, Gilbert, Schipper, Yerkes, Hasbrouck and Erskine.

Miss Lockwood of Philadelphia.

Misses Drake, Cox and Wadsworth of New York.

Dr. Endicott, Rev. Dr. K. P. Ketcham, Rev. Dr. Rodman, Dr. B. VanD. Hedges, Dr. F. C. Ard.

Messrs. Murray, VanBuren, West, Huntington, VanBoskerck, Waring, Moore, Matthews, Cooley, Walz, Beebe, Munger, DeGraff, Lowe, Freeman, Cock, Drayton, Morgan, Leonard, Streuli, Masters, Corlies, Schipper, Borden, Wills, Martin, Marsh, Erickson, Bloodgood of Elizabeth, Augustus Wadsworth of New York.

A Plumbing Attempt Starts a Fire.

J. W. Van Sickle, the well-known North Avenue butcher, had a lively little time all to himself Saturday afternoon about 5. Owing to the absolute refusal of the thermometer to rise above the freezing point, Van Sickle's waste pipe had frozen solid, and after searching in vain for a plumber who was disengaged, he secured a blow-pipe and started to do the job himself. After working for three hours and nearly accomplishing the object in view, the heat became too intense for the surrounding woodwork, and like a flash the casing running from the basement to the floor above was a mass of flames. Fortunately water was at hand and by reason of his long experience in the business Van Sickle was very clever with the axe. A few well-directed blows with the latter opened the casing sufficiently to allow water to be forced on to the blaze, and it was soon under control.

Had someone less level-headed and quick-witted attempted the job, it is probable that Chief Doane and his men would have been asked to take a hand.

Easy on Delinquents.

Tax Collector Spencer of North Plainfield is the right kind of a man in the right place. His large and generous heart has been the means of assisting several taxpayers who otherwise who would not have been able to meet their bills.

The Town Committee discussed his beneficience last evening, and decided it would be an excellent idea to reimburse the collector and at the same time be lenient with those who could not pay the costs attached to the bill.

Happily Surprised.

Mrs. Southwick of Trenton, retiring president of the Women's Relief Corps, Department of New Jersey, was agreeably surprised at the encampment last week.

Just before she vacated her office, she was presented with a handsome gold watch and chain by the women.

Every Corps in the department contributed to the gift and all equally enjoyed the presentation which was such a pleasant feature of this gathering.

Dynamite in the Borough.

As the excavating for the cellar of Mr. Bistz's new house on Somerset street proceeds so slowly, owing to the frozen condition of the ground, and it being almost impossible to drive a wedge in the ground to break the frozen crust, Contractor Burnett will use dynamite today to hasten the work.

—Good judges say that for the quality of the goods offered at Peck's the prices are surprising.

O. W. O. Hardman, sheriff of Tyler Co., W. Va., appreciates a good thing and does not hesitate to say so. He was almost prostrated with a cold when he procured a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. He says: "It gave me prompt relief. I find it to be an invaluable remedy for coughs and colds." For sale at Reynolds's pharmacy, Park and North aves. T. S. Armstrong, manager.

THEY WEPT FOR JOY

Rejoicing Over La Gascogne's Arrival.

Big Men Cry as Little Children—Shook Hands with Friends and Strangers Alike—The Big Steamer Arrived at Her Dock This Morning—Her Steering Gear Disabled.

New York, Feb. 12.—Most welcome news was flashed from Sandy Hook last evening, when La Gascogne was sighted at last, although tempest-tossed and disabled.

For eight days the French flyer had been missing.

The news of her arrival swept through the city like wildfire.

Before anchoring she was seen approaching the lightship with three red lights in her forerigging. There were three tugs at her stern, apparently acting in place of a rudder.

The signals indicated that La Gascogne was unmanageable and disabled. But to what extent is as yet unknown.

Scene at the Office.

The scenes in the office of the Compagnie Gererale Transatlantique when the news of the steamship reached it beggared description. Men threw up their hats and wept for joy.

One gentleman, Mr. Riche, first cried and then laughed. He threw his hat, cane and gloves away, and shook hands with every person present. His friends tried hard to restrain him, but it was impossible. For a week past he said he had not slept, and now that the ship was in, he declared that he didn't want to either sleep or eat. Mr. Riche has three daughters, passengers on La Gascogne, who are returning from Paris. The fourth died there a few weeks ago.

Mr. Riche, however, was not the only one who threw dignity to the winds. In fact there was hardly a person present, even the ladies, but walked around and shook hands with friend and stranger alike.

Agent Forget, however, was as cool and calm, as though it was an everyday occurence. The anxiety has nevertheless weighed heavily upon him. His eyes were marked with great dark ridges, and he had more the appearance of a man who has buried his best friend.

At 5:15 came the word, "La Gascogne slowly coming toward the bar." Often had the same message reached the office, but it never meant what it did now. It meant that 400 odd souls were not in a watery grave.

A notice was posted that the company expected the La Gascogne would be at her dock early in the morning.

The Only Topic.

The tidings of the arrival of the overdue steamer were joyfully received throughout the city, and in every little village and hamlet there was general rejoicing.

The big ocean liner was brought into her dock this morning. Thousands thronged the dock to greet her.

FLOWERS FILLED THE CASKET.

Her Husband Lost on the Elbe—A Novel Funeral.

St. Louis, Feb. 12.—Mrs. Conrad Weiderhold received word Saturday confirming the report that her husband was a passenger from Bremen on the steamer Elbe.

She determined to hold funeral service at her home and yesterday purchased an expensive casket, which she ordered filled with the choicest flowers. Last evening the residence was draped in mourning. Six pall-bearers bore in their light burden amid the moans of a widow and little girl and between the bowed heads of numerous friends.

Rev. Gustav Wangerin of the German Protestant church conducted brief services and the assemblage dispersed. Just what disposition will be made of the casket has not been determined.

3,000 Employes May Strike.

Clinton, Mass., Feb. 12.—The Lancaster mills last night issued notices in every department announcing a cut in wages which will affect in the vicinity of 3,000 men and women. The weavers of whom there are probably 1,000, are cut three cents a piece, the work for which the employes of the "new mill" have got forty cents coming down to thirty-seven and the employes in the "old mill", getting thirty-four cents instead of thirty-seven cents. Other departments are similarly affected some workmen suffering 12 per cent. cuts. There is general talk of a strike.

A Swell Englishman Under Arrest.

Eureka Springs, Ark., Feb. 12.—Dr. J. Newton Jones, alias John I. Manniers, was arrested here on the double charge of perjury and bigamy. He is a swell Englishman who came to this country a year ago and was married to Miss Maud West, daughter of Captain Digby West. Jones has spent money freely and claimed to be a member of several New York clubs. It is alleged that he has a wife and two children in Yorkshire, England.

An Aged Beggar Frozen To Death.

Newark, N. J., Feb. 12.—Mrs. Margaret Hunter, the aged begging recluse who froze to death in a little room at 63 Fair street, Newark, had over $17,000 in different banks. One of the two rooms in which she lived was always kept ready by her in anticipation of the return of her son, whom she has not seen for fifteen years. The bed was made and a light kept.

He Must Stand Trial.

Detroit, Feb. 12.—William Brusseau was arraigned in police court charged with the murder of Dr. Horace Pope. Brusseau refused to plead and a plea of not guilty was entered and the date of his examination fixed for Feb. 21, the same as that of Mrs. Pope. He was remanded to jail without bail.

Cold Wave Traveling Eastward.

Colorado Springs, Col., Feb. 12.—The cold weather for the last few days was brought to a climax last night when the signal service thermometer registered 18 degrees below zero, the lowest point touched for several years. The cold wave is traveling eastward.

THE DEBS TRIAL.

May Be Renewed Before a New Jury. Still After Pullman.

Chicago, Feb. 12.—It is probable that the case of the United States against Eugene V. Debs and others will have to be begun all over again before a new jury, on account of the continued illness of Juror J. C. Coe. At the opening of court Judge Grosscup announced that he himself had been to see Mr. Coe and that it was his opinion that the sick juror would not be able to leave his bed for at least two weeks and perhaps not then. Counsel for both sides had a conference with Judge Grosscup in the latter's chambers on the advisibility of going on with eleven jurors. It was the best judgment of counsel with the exception of District Attorney Black that this could not be done without invalidating the trial and in this opinion informally concurred.

All the testimony for the government is in and part of that for the defense. The trial has been in progress for over two weeks. Both sides are well satisfied with the present jury and would go on if it could be done legally. It was suggested that another juror be selected and permitted to read the proceedings up to date and make oath that he had a fair knowledge of them, but it was decided that this could not be done.

The defense is still after George M. Pullman. Secretary Weinsheimer, of the Pullman company, has been subpoenaed to tell what he knows about Mr. Pullman's alleged dodging of service.

SHIPWRECKED CREW RESCUED.

A Pilot Boat Finds Them Adrift and Nearly Frozen.

New York, Feb. 12.—Pilot Thomas Jackson, who brought the North German Lloyd steamship Wittekind into this port yesterday, brought news also of the rescue of the crew of a shipwrecked schooner of Nantucket. The rescue was made by pilot boat No. 1, the America, which was cruising off the Rhode Island coast, about 200 miles from this port. The America picked up the crew of ten men from the shipwrecked schooner while they were adrift in an open boat. The rescued men were in a terrible condition, being nearly frozen when help reached them. When Pilot Jackson left the America to bring the Wittekind into port, he left the shipwrecked crew and its own crew of seven men on board the pilot boat, which is expected to reach this port within a day or two.

SHOCKS BY EARTHQUAKE.

Riot in Acerra over the Grain Tax. The Troops Called Out.

Rome, Feb. 12.—Severe shocks of earthquake were felt in the province of Reggio di Calabria and Sicily yesterday. The people of the town of Palmi fled to the fields and several houses collapsed in the village of Santanna.

A serious riot occurred in the village of Acerra growing out of the resistance of the people to the grain tax. The populace set fire to the tax offices, which were destroyed, and endeavored to throw from the track the Naples express as it passed through the town. The troops were called out and in their collision with the rioters a number were wounded on both sides.

A bomb was exploded at a club ball in Massa, shattering the windows of the hall, but fortunately injuring no one.

TO SAIL THE CUP DEFENDER.

Said To Be a Peer as a Trimmer of Sails and a Great Judge of Wind.

New York, Feb. 12.—The old sea sharp, Captain Terry, has been engaged to sail the cup defender of 1895. It is said that in many respects he is the superior of Captain Hanson, who sailed the Vigilant.

His superiority at the tiller is admitted, and he is considered a great judge of wind, and knows better when to bring the yacht about than any other yachtsman. He is also without a peer as a trimmer of sails.

In this respect the Vigilant was decidedly behind the Valkyrie II. The Englishmen were much smarter than the Vigilant's crew, and but for the marked superiority of the Vigilant over Valkyrie II., the much coveted cup might have changed hands.

Murder in the First Degree.

Philadelphia, Feb. 12.—The supreme court in an opinion by Justice Dean, sustained the conviction, in the Westmoreland county court of oyer and terminer of William Freeman of murder in the first degree. The defendant appealed to the upper court on the ground that the handling of the jury wheel had been irregular. While ruling that this condition was not trifling or immaterial the court held that the complaint had been made too late. The judgment of the lower court was accordingly affirmed.

Snow in Dixie's Land.

Atlanta, Ga., Feb. 12.—All North Georgia is under snow and the streets of Atlanta are filled with hastily rigged sleighs. Snow began falling about midnight and by 8 o'clock it was about five inches deep. A heavy sleet then began to fall and it has continued incessantly since, so that the snow has been covered with a heavy cake of sleet. None of the street cars are running. The tracks being caked with ice and sleet several inches deep.

Where the Elbe Went Down.

London, Feb. 12.—In the house of commons Mr. James Bryce, president of the board of trade, said, in reply to a question, that the government had no intention of placing a lightship or buoy upon the spot where the Elbe went down. The sunken wreck, he said, was nearer to Holland than England, and if the spot was to be marked the work should be done by the Netherlands government.

Died on the Train.

Newburgh, N. Y., Feb. 12.—A dispatch received here announces the sudden death of Isaac S. Powell, on board a railroad train at Tallytown, Pa. He resided at Jamestown, N. Y., and was just returning from a visit to Florida.

Compelled To Shut Down.

Winsted, Conn., Feb. 12.—The Empire Knife works and the Franklin Moore Belt works have been compelled to shut down on account of low water.

CONGRESSIONAL WORK

Hill's Resolution for a System of Bimetallism.

Question of How To Pay Our Bond Obligations Raised in the Senate—Mr. Stewart's Resolution—Legislative and Judicial Bill Considered by the House.

Washington, Feb. 12.—The senate had under consideration the postoffice appropriation bill, but its progress was blocked by a decision arising out of an amendment looking to the abolition of the Southern Fast Mail service. Senator Allen (pop., Neb.), after he had expressed some views on that subject, switched off into a long speech relative to the elections in the state of Alabama last August, asserting that, on account of the gross frauds therein perpetrated, that state was deprived of a republican form of government. The two Alabama senators occupied seats in his immediate neighborhood while he read affidavits in support of the charge which he made, but they seemed not to be at all worried over the showing which he made. The postoffice appropriation bill went over without a vote on the Southern Fast Mail service item.

Earlier in the day a concurrent resolution was introduced by Mr. Hill (dem., N. Y.), and went over till today, in reference to the question of the coin in which bonds now outstanding or to be issued are to be paid. It declares it to be the true policy of the government to direct its efforts to the establishment of a safe system of bimetallism; but if that cannot be done, then the bonds shall be paid in standard gold dollars. This resolution was followed by one offered by Mr. Stewart (pop., Nev.) declaring that there is no authority of law to buy gold coin in preference to silver coin for any purpose whatever. In the regular course of procedure one or both of these resolutions will come before the senate to-day.

House of Representatives.

A session of the house lasting six and a half hours was given over almost entirely to the consideration of the legislative, executive and judicial bills for the year ending June 30, 1896. It was completed before the house adjourned, with the exception of the paragraphs providing money for the pension office force, and upon that one and a quarter hours debate at a subsequent session was arranged for. Amendments were made to be as follows:

Directing the secretary of the treasury to arrange for the refining and melting into bars of gold and silver bullion at the Helena, Montana assay office.

Referring to the attorney general for report to the next congress, as to law and facts, the statement made by the Indian bureau of the accounts between the United States and several Indian tribes, as authorized by the act of 1891 for the purchase and opening of the Cherokee strip.

Striking out the appropriation of $2,000 to pay the salary of the private secretary to the secretary of the interior.

Requiring the master of every vessel upon arrival at any port in this country where there is no naval officer, to mail a copy of his manifest to the auditor of the treasury department.

BEFORE HER MAJESTY.

The Queen Interested in the Wreck of the Elbe.

London, Feb. 12.—After an interview with the Empress Frederick, Miss Boecker was introduced to the queen and the duke and duchess of Connaught. All listened with deep interest to her narrative of the wreck of the Elbe. At the queen's request she wrote her name in her majesty's autograph book. After leaving Osborne she received a souvenir from the Empress Frederick.

President McBride To Meet Charges.

Columbus, O., Feb. 12.—John McBride, president of the American Federation of Labor, arrived from Indianapolis last evening and will remain during the week. He is here to meet the charges of President Adams, of the Ohio miners. Adams has charged the national officers of the Mine Workers union with selling out the miners last June when the national strike was settled. All the delegates refuse to express an opinion as to the probable outcome of the investigation of the charges.

Fire in a Planing Mill.

Elwood, Ind., Feb. 12.—The large plant of the Elwood Planing Mill company was entirely destroyed by fire yesterday. The costly machinery, models and patterns were destroyed, together with the electric light company's dynamos. The estimated loss is $50,000, partially covered by insurance. The fire was caused by the bursting of a gas regulator.

Not in Favor of Home Rule.

London, Feb. 12.—John Redmond, leader of the Parnellites, brought forward in the commons yesterday his motion to amend the address by demanding that the government appeal at once to the country, inasmuch as they had failed to carry out their home rule programme. The motion was defeated by a vote of 256 to 236.

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ALONE WITH A CORPSE

Frozen To Death in a Hovel at Hickory Tree.

Brothers, But Hermits of a Pronounced Type—The Body Eaten by Goats and Chickens—Kept Watch in a Corner—Was Once a Teacher in Orange.

Madison, N. J., Feb. 12.—For more than twenty-five years Jacob Stout and his brother James lived happily together in an old tumble-down shanty at Hickory Tree, about one mile from this place. They both have been considered hermits of the most pronounced type, they having little or no intercourse with the outside world.

A farmer passing the shanty yesterday was hailed by James Stout, who told him that his brother had been frozen to death. The farmer came to this town and told Undertaker Burroughs about the case. The undertaker immediately sent word to Coroner Douglas, of Morristown, and then started for the hovel in which the Stouts lived. He found the body of Jacob Stout lying on the floor of the one room in the shanty, surrounded by goats and chickens. In the corner sat James Stout, the brother of the dead man.

Almost Naked.

The floor was covered with straw and hay. The only furniture in the room was an old table and a few boxes, which served as chairs. The dead man was frozen stiff. He was almost naked, his clothing having probably been eaten off by the goats. The remains were mutilated about the head, and other parts of the body bore evidence of the ravages of the goats.

The room was filthy beyond description. James Stout when questioned answered in an incoherent manner. He, too, had suffered severely from the cold and was frost bitten about the feet. He said he left his brother Friday night in order to seek aid from neighbors, as he had no food in the house. He went to the nearest house, about a quarter of a mile away. They fed the old man and he ate too heartily and became ill and soon after unconscious. He remained at the neighbors over night and returned home about noon the next day, when he found his brother frozen stiff on the floor.

Only a Few Dry Crumbs.

Since then he has been in the house with his brother with nothing to eat except a few dry crumbs.

The shanty in which the Stouts lived is nothing more than a shed. Originally it was a farm house. The front part of the house was all tumbled down and the Stouts lived in the room that was once a kitchen. The windows, two in number, are stuffed with rags to keep out cold. The Stouts made what they could by raising goats and selling poultry.

Dead Three Weeks.

About seven years ago the Stouts were brought into notoriety by the death of their sister, who had lived with them. She died of some brain trouble and her body was left unburied for three weeks. The neighbors discovered that she was dead, and reported the case to the authorities.

James Stout is 62 years old. His brother was over 70. James will be sent to the poor house as soon as his brother is buried. Originally the Stouts came from Newark. Both were well educated. Jacob was once a school teacher in Orange.

KILLED A WHOLE TRIBE.

Massacring of Woman and Children. Seven Men Under Arrest.

Sydney, N. S. W., Feb. 12.—A dispatch from Perth, West Australia, says that seven men have been arrested in Coolgardie for massacring an entire native tribe, including women and children. The men had gone out gold seeking and were encamped near the village of the tribe which they are accused of exterminating. They say that they acted in self-defense as the natives menaced their lives.

They Have No Suggestions To Make.

Washington, Feb. 12.—The republican members of the senate finance committee at a meeting decided that they had no suggestions to make on the financial question. There will be no meeting of the finance committee to-day. Mr. Gorman (dem., Md.) will offer an amendment to the sundry civil bill authorizing the issue of 3 per cent. treasury certificates to meet current deficiencies, and if he does, the republicans will favor it.

Important to Farmers.

Lansing, Mich., Feb. 12.—The Michigan crop report for February says that in reply to the question, "Has wheat during January suffered injury from any cause?" 234 correspondents answer yes, and 527 answer no. Farmers marketed 1,061,838 bushels of wheat in January and 7,296,941 bushels from August 1 to January 30, which is 1,952,971 bushels less than reported marketed in the same months last year.

The Prospects Were Poor.

Detroit, Feb. 12.—The American Savings bank, doing business at 116 and 118 Griswold street, this city, has decided to liquidate its affairs and retire from the field. The causes leading to this action are that the bank has not made any money of late and that the prospects for making money were poor. The bank has a capital of $300,000 and was organized in 1887.

Her Terrible Fall.

New York, Feb. 12.—Bridget McSweeney, a middle-aged domestic employed at 125 East 57th street, got out on the ledge of a window on the fifth floor to clean the windows, and while at work, lost her balance and fell headlong to the ground. She died shortly afterward.

Nine Prisoners Break Jail.

Athens, O., Feb. 12.—Nine prisoners escaped from the county jail yesterday by boring out a panel of the inside door of the jail. Six of the nine are under indictment for felonies.

POSTPONED ONCE MORE.

The Coleman-Drayton Divorce Case Delayed Until Next Monday.

Jersey City, Feb. 12.—The motion to amend by Mrs. Coleman Drayton to her husband's complaint was to have been argued yesterday in the chancery court here. A big crowd was present in anticipation of hearing testimony about the Astor family's dirty linen. A week ago the hearing had been postponed because Mrs. Drayton's counsel was unable to attend. Mr. Clark, Mr. J. Coleman Drayton's lawyer, strenuously opposed any delay whatever.

Yesterday when all was ready Mr. Drayton looked around in vain for his lawyer, and finally asked leave to go out and telephone to his office. He soon returned, saying Mr. Clark did not feel well and would not be over. The case was then set down for next Monday.

MR. MAXWELL'S RESIGNATION.

Willing That the Facts in the Case Should Be Published.

Cincinnati, Feb. 12.—Ex-Solicitor General Lawrence Maxwell jr., in an interview here, said the whole story of his resignation was told in the correspondence that passed between Attorney General Olney and himself.

"I am willing," he said, "that it should be published and had hoped that the attorney general would give it out. However, it is the property of the department of justice and I will refer you to Mr. Olney. I decline to discuss the matter. The statement that I will locate in New York is absolutely without foundation. I propose to remain in Cincinnati and my family will be here as soon as this bad weather breaks up."

Mr. Maxwell left during the day for New York.

THE LETTER WAS STOLEN.

A Row in the Reichstag over a Socialist Paper's News.

Berlin, Feb. 12.—During the debate on the estimates of the parliament building Baron von Manteuffel, conservative, declared that a letter which was printed in yesterday's Liepzinger Volkszeitung was stolen from the cloak room of the reichstag building, and demanded that Herr Schoenlank, socialist, who is the editor of the Leipzinger Volkszeitung, furnish an explanation to the house, of which he is a member.

Herr Schoenlank replied, saying that the "copy" was sent to him anonymously. This caused an uproar and many cries of incredulity. Baron von Manteuffel then demanded that the letter be returned to him in order that he might criminally prosecute the person who took it from the cloak room.

TRIED TO COMMIT SUICIDE.

A Physician and the Stomach Pump Saved His Life.

Newark, N. J., Feb. 12.—John Shafer, of Philadelphia, who was taken to the court of special sessions yesterday, to plead to two charges of forgery, tried to commit suicide in the jail. The warden found the man unconscious in his cell with a slight cut on his wrist. It was also found that Shafer had taken poison. A physician was summoned who succeeded in pumping the poison out of the prisoner's stomach and saved the man's life. This morning when Shafer was brought into court to plead to the charge of passing two worthless checks he staggered a moment and then fell to the floor in a faint. He was revived and afterwards was sent back to jail.

JAPS AGAIN VICTORIOUS.

Sink Three Torpedo Boats While Attempting To Escape.

London, Feb. 12.—The Times correspondent in Wei-Hai-Wei telegraphs, under the date of Feb. 8:

"A severe engagement began at 7 o'clock this morning. Several Japanese warships entered the bay from the eastward and three Chinese torpedo boats attempted to escape by the western entrance. The Japanese boats sank them. The thirteen remaining Chinese warships have taken up a position at the southeast island. The main Japanese squadron is still out side the harbor. Four Chinese forts on the southeast island maintain an incessant fire."

For "Ways That Are Dark."

Guthrie, O. T., Feb. 12.—The legislative committee investigating the agricultural college are eliciting some sensational testimony showing that many thousands of dollars was corruptly squandered, positions openly bought and sold, members of the board going on long junketing tours at the expense of the institution, etc. The report, it is believed, will show up the greatest scandal in the history of the territory.

The Wages of Sin.

Fayetville, Ark., Feb. 12.—J. L. Dickson, formerly the cashier of the Mollroy Banking company, of this city, committed suicide by taking poison. Dickson had recently been discharged from the bank, and an investigation of his accounts showed that he was a defaulter to the amount of $21,000. Fear of prosecution drove him to suicide.

Hung by His Suspenders.

Pittsburg, Feb. 12.—Frank Potter, a convict in the Western penitentiary, committed suicide by hanging himself in his cell. The man made a noose out of his suspenders. He was serving a four years sentence for burglary committed in Mercer county.

Woman's Suffrage Bill Defeated.

Carson, Nev., Feb. 12.—The womans' suffrage bill after being reported unfavorably by the committee of the whole and being beaten in the assembly by 17 to 12 was made a special order. Mrs. Mila Tupper Maynard addressed the assembly on the subject.

Receiver Appointed.

Pittsburg, Feb. 12.—The court of common pleas, on application of stockholders and creditors, appointed Henry Warner, receiver of the Linden Steel company. The company's statements show assets valued at $695,000 and liabilities of $485,000.

Kelly To Die in the Chair.

Utica, N. Y., Feb. 12.—Michael Kelly, alias Corey, was convicted of murder in the first degree at Morrisville yesterday and sentenced to be electrocuted at Auburn state prison next month.

TO SETTLE THE DISPUTE

Efforts Being Made To End the Brooklyn Strike.

The Only Point in Dispute Seems To Be the "Tripper" Agreement—This Said To Have Been Arranged—Strikers Will Fight to the Bitter End for That Clause.

Brooklyn, N. Y., Feb. 12.—It is probable that the strike may be settled today. Negotiations are pending which it is expected will be concluded by that time.

Secretary William Holcomb, of the executive board, D. A. 75, said that the strike would not be declared off until contracts had been signed between the companies and the men.

An effort to bring about a compromise between the trolley strikers and President Lewis, of the Brooklyn Heights railroad, was made by means of a third party, whose name the strikers refuse to disclose.

Master Workman Connelley said that everything was agreed upon except the nature of the contracts between the company and the men.

President Lewis insisted upon individual contracts, and that each motorman and conductor sign for himself. But the strikers declare they want contracts made through a committee of their labor organization.

The point in dispute between the two parties is a vital one to the Knights of Labor, as upon it depends whether the strikers organization will continue to exist among employes of Lewis' road. If the company gains its point, it will be really a refusal to recognize the Knights of Labor.

Fight to the Bitter End.

The master workman said that the "tripper" question had been agreed upon, but he refused to state particulars.

"If no agreement can be reached," he continued, "it will be a fight to the bitter end."

In speaking of President Lewis' statement made on Saturday, that he was willing to take the old men back, with the exception of some who committed crimes, Connelley said the men would only go back as a body. He does not believe that the contracts with the new men need be a bar to a settlement of the strike. The men know that some of the contracts made with the non-union men are for fifteen or thirty days. The contracts do not bind the companies very tightly, they claim, and besides the new men have broken the rules, which in ordinary times would cause dismissal.

Want H's Removal.

Assistant Corporation Counsel Yonge will appear before the general term of the supreme court and present a petition for the removal of Police Justice Watson. To-morrow he will take similar action in the case of Police Justice Quigley. Mayor Schieren is the petitioner in each case and the corporation counsel's office has taken up this matter at his request. Mr. Yonge will hand in charges of incompetency and neglect of duty on which the applications are based.

Judge Watson in the Ewen street police court, when asked about the charges brought against him by Mayor Schieren, refused to talk until he received the papers. He said, however, he could not see on what grounds charges are brought against him. All told, he has held seventeen for the grand jury for violating Section 635 of the penal code. The cases dismissed were principally those where the evidence was not strong enough to hold and in several cases the prisoners were boys.

Grand Jury on the Strike.

The grand jury began an investigation into the matters connected with the strike. The case of President Norton, of the Atlantic Avenue railroad, who was held for the grand jury, was under consideration. Some of the witnesses before the grand jury were Benjamin Jeremiah Desmond, James Dwyer and Patrick J. Collins. Assistant Corporation Counsel Yonge was also present. He was questioned, it is supposed, as to the city ordinances.

According to a report received by Mayor Schieren, Lewis' company was running 527 cars out of about 720 ordinarily run before the strike. The Atlantic avenue was running 81 out of 230, and the Brooklyn, Queens County & Suburban, 77 out of 315.

A Bomb Thrown In.

Lineville, Ia., Feb. 12.—Unknown men made an effort to blow up the house of Sol Litton, a farmer living a mile from here just after midnight last night. The door of the room was broken open and a bomb thrown in. It exploded but no one was killed. The house was badly wrecked. Litton extinguished the flames and was badly burned.

Met Death While Asleep.

Bryan, O., Feb. 12.—The bodies of two middle-aged men one of whom is thought to be F. P. Hart, a member of the Metal Workers' union of Denver, were found in a barn owned by Gideon Follis near here yesterday. The men had evidently taken refuge and frozen to death while asleep.

Made an Assignment.

New York, Feb. 12.—John Rowland & Sons, manufacturers of hats, doing business at Yonkers, and also having a place of business in this city, has made an assignment to William H. Sweny, of Yonkers, for $13,400 on notes of the firm and $585 to the Citizen's National bank of Yonkers.

A Remarkable Dispatch.

Berlin, Feb. 12.—The St. Petersburg correspondent of the Tageblatt sends a remarkable dispatch to the effect that both the empress and dowager empress are enceinte. The empress, who was the Princess Alix of Hesse, was married to Nicholas II., on last Nov. 26.

Charley Johnson the Winner.

London, Feb. 12.—Charley Johnson, of St. Paul, U. S. A., met the welterweight, Robinson, here last evening for twenty rounds, but Johnson's superiority told so strongly that the fight was awarded him by the referee in the seventh round.

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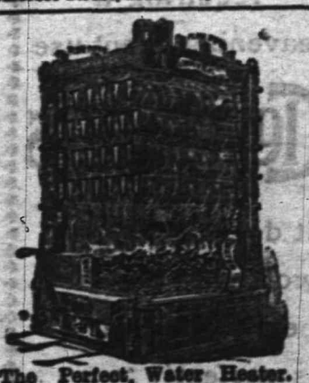

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Just what a new dress is to a woman a new dress of type is to a newspaper; and The Daily Press congratulates the embellished Courier-News on its improved good looks.

Just as The Press today celebrates Lincoln's Birthday, so will it celebrate Washington's, by a special copyrighted page of news of George later than the hatchet story.

Ouida, who has been so severely ill that she cancelled her literary engagements, has fully recovered, and is engaged on a new novel to appear in March in The Daily Press, in the short-serial series.

Daily Press serials have not only the merit of being brand-new, copyrighted and by the best authors, but also of being short enough to be compassed in six consecutive issues of the poper. Thus the reader gets choice variety, and does not grow wearied by one story drawn out many weeks.

To Lincoln the immortal, whose natal day is this, The Press gives tribute in its specially prepared matter on Pages 6 and 7. Six full columns are devoted to the martyred president, and the best informed student of human nature and statesmanship as revealed in Lincoln will find therein much to interest and ennoble.

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Prizes at Salmagundi.

Miss Edna French and Miss Bessie Valiant gave a Salmagundi party to their numerous friends last evening, at the home of Miss Edna French on Craig place. Nine tables were arranged with the following games:

Head table, Go Bang; second, Fish Bond; third, Messenger Boy; fourth, Tiddley Winks; fifth, Parcheesi; sixth, Dominoes; seventh, Fascination; eighth, Sewing; ninth, Snap.

Each guest started at the lowest table and then worked his way up. The lucky ones to score the highest number of points were Miss Mary Collier, who received a cup and saucer as first feminine prize, and Maxwell Honeyman, who received as his reward a hat band check. Miss Mary Luckey won the booby prize, a hand-painted match safe, while Charles Barlow, the lowest among the young men, received a penknife.

After a very enjoyable evening spent with the games, the gay party partook of an elaborate collation. Dancing and conversation closed the very successful evening.

Among the young people who enjoyed the good cheer were: Miss Florence Serrell, Miss C Florence Barnes, Miss Percy Emmons, Miss Mabel Ladd, Miss Bertha Thorn, Miss Lillian Glenn, Miss Mary Collier, Miss Mary Luckey, Miss Lillian Schoonmaker, Miss Edith Hurlbut, Miss Adele Kirby, Miss Stella Swain, Miss Maud French, Henry B Drake, Frederick Bettman, Arthur Peck, Everett Peck, Orville T Waring, Walter Serrell, Herbert Schutt, Raymond A McGee, George A Horne, Sydney R Titsworth, Volney F Green, George P Smith, Charles Barlow, Howard Martin, Clifford M Crane, Philip Suffren, Maxwell Honeyman, John VanWinkle and Wilbur F Cornwell.

Party and Presentation.

Last evening a party of 50 relatives, friends and fellowmembers of the Sangerbund Society invaded the home of Mrs. H. Weigmann at 146 East Front street and at once made themselves perfectly at home.

The occasion was a birthday surprise party to the involuntary hostess of the evening.

The merry-makers not only took Sam Frazee and his orchestra with them to discourse sweet music, but were also loaded down with gifts which showed the high regard in which Mrs. Weigmann is held by her associates and friends. The presents were many and valuable, consisting of a elegant rocking chair from the women of the Gesang and Turn Verein, and a lemonade set, lamp, pretty neck muffler, table scarf, gloves, boxes of candy, three tidies, an ice-cream set, and a dozen napkins, from various relatives and friends in the party. Following the presentations, and after Mrs. Weigmann's surprise had somewhat abated, dancing, chat and a general good time were enjoyed until 12, when an elaborate repast was discussed. Again Frazee sounded to the dance and it was long after 2 when the happy gathering dispersed in the moonlight, not failing to wish their friends "many happy returns" ere they departed.

Funeral of Mrs. Boice.

The funeral services of Mrs. Anna Boice, a niece of the late Peter Wooden, were held from her late home in Newark yesterday afternoon at 2.

A sad circumstance was the fact that her husband, John Boice, was lying in a room upstairs ill, and not able to see the silent form.

Those who attended from this city were Mrs. Ann Dickinson, Mrs. Elizabeth Vail, Mr. and Mrs. Jonathan Clawson and Caleb Dickinson.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

Postmaster Hetfield is rapidly recovering from his recent attack of the grip.

The death occurred this morning of Mrs. Margaret Conrad Burr at the home of her son, 417 Kensington avenue.

Collector Plough of the New York and New Jersey Telephone Company was in town yesterday on business for the company.

L. J. Denton of Hillside avenue does not improve as rapidly as his friends would desire, and is still confined to his home.

Wm. C. Ayers of West Second street, hale and hearty, celebrated the 86th anniversary of his birthday today in a fitting manner.

Nathan D. Daboll of 330 East Sixth street received a telegram yesterday announcing the death of his mother in New London, Conn.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dunham of Central avenue will give a progressive whist party to a number of friends Thursday evening of this week.

Miss Minnie Mills of Middletown, N.Y., returned home yesterday from a pleasant visit with her cousin, Miss Louella Mills of East Fifth street.

Mrs. Marion Ackerman will give a dinner in honor of Miss Cox of New York, at her home on East Ninth street this evening, Max Wiertz catering.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Covey are boarding at Mrs. Robinson's on West Second street prior to moving into their home on West Front street near Grant avenue.

Theodore Smith of the borough, who has been a great sufferer with inflammatory rheumatism the past four weeks, took a short walk yesterday with his attendant, Garrett P. Smith.

Dr. Daniel H. Thickstun, who went to Florida about a week ago for his health, has written to his son William Thickstun that he is feeling much better, and enjoys the southern climate.

J. P. McAndrews, the local yardmaster of the Jersey Central railroad, is again confined to the house with sickness. The doctor entertains grave fears that his malady will develop into pneumonia.

J. W. VanHorn of Duer street has resigned his position as collector for the Prudential Life Insurance Company in this city. Mr. VanHorn will devote his time to the constable and special marshal business of the borough.

The Misses Lillian and Helen Coward of East Front street, who attended a whist party at Orange Thursday evening, were unable to return home because of the blizzard and remained with friends for several days.

UNCLE PETER'S WILL.

Investigation in Progress, and Contest Probable.

Ex-Judge Wm. R. Codington, who has been consulted by several heirs under Peter Wooden's will as to the advisability of contesting it, is at present making a searching investigation of the affairs relative to the matter, and should such research bring warrantable facts to light a contest will doubtless result.

—Chief Doane of the Fire Department and Superintendent Amos Andrews of the Plainfield Water Supply Company have thoroughly overhauled the hydrants throughout the city and found all but three of them in perfect working order. These were at once put in condition. This inspection is a labor always undertaken by the Chief after an unusually severe cold snap and speaks volumes for his watchfulness of the safety and comfort of Plainfield's citizens.

—A lineman accidentally cut a Plainfield fire-alarm wire this afternoon, sending in a blow on the gong.

The Festum Asinorum, or feast of asses, was formerly held Jan. 14 to commemorate the flight into Egypt. There are still extant several rituals of this festival. One, of Beauvais, in France, orders the priest to bray three times and the congregation to resound each time in a similar manner. An ass, decorated with costly coverings, was led to the altar in a procession and with hymns of rejoicing.

A Modern Instance.

"Oh, of course," said the old man, "I don't blame you for taking the boy's part—it is just like a boy's mother to do so. But I'd think a heap more of him if there were less point to his shoes and more to his conversation."—Chicago Inter Ocean.

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BY THE WAY.

—Messrs. Broadway and Kirk had a speeding match on Park avenue Sunday afternoon, which was witnessed with much pleasure by many lovers of good horseflesh.

—William Boe, Jr., of North Plainfield, received a severe wound in the third finger of his left hand this morning while constructing a box. The knife with which he was working slipped and entered the finger, cutting it to the bone.

—The vestry meeting of St. Stephen's Church, Netherwood, which was to be held this evening at the residence of C. P. Ralli, Belvidere avenue, has been postponed until further notice.

Lincoln's Love-Letter.

Did you ever read the letter Lincoln sent his sweetheart? It is newly discovered, a curiosity, and appears in this issue of The Daily Press.

The experience of Geo. A. Apgar, of German Valley, N. J., is well worth remembering. He was troubled with chronic diarrhoea and doctored for five months and was treated by four different doctors without benefit. He then began using Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, of which one small bottle effected a complete cure. It is for sale at Reynolds's pharmacy, Park and North aves. T. S. Armstrong, manager

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REMOVAL.

Dr. Lighthill begs leave to give notice that he has removed to

NO. 132 CRESCENT AVE.

(a few doors from his former location) where he can be consulted on all chronic diseases of whatever name and nature.

Dr. Lighthill refers with pardonable pride to the success of his practice in Plainfield and submits below a few of the many testimonials which he has received from grateful patients. A mass of similar ones can be seen at his office.

AN ALMOST MIRACULOUS CURE.

The Statement of Mr. Edward Teel, Jr., of Dunellen, N. J.

TO THE PUBLIC:

From a sense of duty I desire to call public attention to the almost miraculous cure which Dr. Lighthill effected in the case of my wife. For eleven years she had been afflicted with piles of an unusual severe and distressing character. She suffered every day of her life the most intense pain, attended with frequent and profuse hemorrhage. This state of things debilitated her entire system until she became a perfect wreck of her former self.

We made every effort to obtain a cure but they all resulted in bitter disappointment, although a number of physicians of excellent reputations for skill in that direction had treated her case. She grew worse and worse all the time, the pain became perfectly unbearable and I felt she could not bear the strain of her condition much longer. In this extremity, a friend of mine, Mr. W. E. Dilts, a resident of Roselle, N. J., a passenger conductor on the New Jersey Central told me that he had been similarly affected, and had been permanently cured by Dr. Lighthill, after other medical skill had failed. He assured me that the doctor would cure my wife, no matter how severe her case may be, and his prediction proved perfectly correct. In spite of her desperate condition, Dr. Lighthill, I am glad to say, has effected a complete and perfect cure in her case, and has given her new life.

Since the cure has been effected she has gained in health and strength and is so improved in appearance that her friends scarcely recognize her. They all consider her cure as almost miraculous, and Dr. Lighthill's praise is heard on every side. Our gratitude to Dr. Lighthill is unbounded and we only hope that other sufferers may be benefited by this publication.

EDWARD TEEL, JR.

A Flattering Testimonial from Colonel John Dietrich, One of Plainfield's Oldest and Best Known Residents.

16 ARLINGTON PLACE,
Plainfield, N. J., July 17, 1894.

I am profoundly grateful to Dr. Lighthill for his speedy and radical cure of a most painful malady of over ten years standing with which I was afflicted.

I deem it proper to say to all afflicted to place themselves under the care of this skilful physician and be permanently cured.

I will cheerfully impart any information I possess when called upon.

JOHN DIETRICH.

Mr. Thomas Callahan of No. 214 Richmond street Cured of a Very Distressing Trouble by Dr. Lighthill.

PLAINFIELD, N. J., June 1, 1894.

TO THE PUBLIC:

For some time past I have been greatly distressed with noises in the head. They were all over my head and troubled me constantly; they were loudest at night when everything was quiet and at such times would often keep me from sleep and disturb my rest. In fact they got to be so bad and distressing that they affected my whole nervous system as well as my health. I did not obtain the least relief until I placed myself under the care of Dr. Lighthill, of No. 132 Crescent avenue, who effected a complete cure in my case in a short time and made me a very happy man.

THOMAS CALLAHAN,
214 Richmond street.

A Card From Mr. T. R. VanZandt,
of Nos. 304 and 306 Park ave.,
Plainfield, N. J.

I certify with pleasure that Dr. Lighthill has effectually cured me of a most painful case of piles. For some time past I had been subject to its attacks, but the last attack was so exceedingly painful that it completely upset my whole system. The pain extended to my legs and in many other directions, and made me so nervous that I could neither sleep, sit down, lie down or move about without serious discomfort and distress. Such was my condition when I applied to Dr. Lighthill for relief, and I am glad to say that as soon as he took hold of my case, I began to improve, and in a short time found myself completely cured. Dr. Lighthill has also effected a radical and permanent cure in a most terrible case of piles on my cousin, Mr. J. V. Z. Griggs, of Rocky Hill, N. J., whose flattering testimonial is in Dr. Lighthill's possession.

T. R. VAN ZANDT,
304 and 306 Park avenue.

Dr. Lighthill
can be consulted daily (except Thursdays) on all CHRONIC, OBSTINATE AND COMPLICATED diseases of the human system of whatever name and nature, at his office and residence,
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Plainfield, N. J.

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Children's overcoats and school suits at cost.
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Commercial Palace, Babcock Building.

FORMAL OPENING OF OUR
Grocery Department!
MONDAY, FEB. 11.

A few plain remarks in connection with this new departure we think is opportune.

A few months ago I rented and fitted up at a heavy expense my present elegant and spacious stores, with the intention of giving Plainfield a department store second to none in the State.

As I have progressed from one improvement to another, I find that if I fulfill my plan, I must, of necessity, add a first class Grocery Department, in order to compete with New York and Brooklyn department stores, as many of my patrons are buying these goods there, and desire me to furnish them with their Groceries together with their Dry Goods, Housefurnishings, etc.

I am very much surprised as I have talked to people in regard to this movements, to find that there is such a large proportion of this trade going to New York department stores, and I shall make a strong effort to induce it to remain at home—where it belongs.

I shall do all I can to counteract the too prevalent idea abroad that Plainfield is an expensive place to live in on account of the high prices on articles of food, as real estate agents often say they are obliged to meet this objection when trying to sell or rent houses to New York and Brooklyn people.

We shall, therefore, sell our goods, which will always be of the best quality to be had, at what may be known as cut prices

Introductory Specials!

At 6c Can	One lot Bedford Park tomatoes, good quality... / One lot string beans, good quality... / One lot sugar corn, good quality...	At 6c Can

Bahama sliced pineapples, very fine, worth 30c at... 19c can
California free peaches, standard goods, at... 19c can
Soda crackers, first quality, at... 5c pound
Ginger snaps, " ... 6c pound
Ground coffee, good quality... 24c pound
Very best Old Government Mocha and Java coffee... 34c pound
Mixed tea, regular 40c quality, for... 29c pound
" " 45c " ... 34c pound
Very fine Oolong tea, regular 60c quality, for... 49c pound
Very fine Young Hyson tea, regular 70c quality, for... 59c pound
Oyster Bay asparagus, flat cans, for... 19c pound
Edsall's baking powder, warranted to give satisfaction, ¼ pound 4c; ½ pound 7c; 1 pound 12c

While they last, 3c each.	Just received—another lot of white plates, all sizes and perfect; 50 dozen coffee cups and saucers, St. Denis shape. As long as they last.	While they last, 3c each.

Cork Filled

During this month we will offer all of our Burt & Packard
Double Sole Cork Filled Men's
$5 Shoes for $3.98 per Pair.
Just the shoe for you to wear without rubbers up to the first of May. Sizes 5 to 11; widths B to E; styles, narrow, round and Common Sense toes.
See our window Saturday for specials.
DOANE & EDSALL.

ROYAL IN NAME AND NATURE.

Plainfield Arcanamites Celebrate Their Growth, and Enjoy a Happy Time.

Plainfield Council, 711, Royal Arcanum, had a notable celebration last night of the acquisition of their two-hundredth member, and the large number present at the session were "glad they came". The Plainfield Council is one of the largest organizations in this city, having acquired its phenomenal growth on the strength of its benefits to members.

Not only did the Council accomplish what it had set for the night, but it went even further, and elected the 201st. The 200th was M. L. Bullock, admitted by card from Passaic, and after him was Henry F. Ritterbusch, transferred by card from Somerville, and an additional proposition for membership was received.

E. W. Conklin had been deputized by the District Grand Deputy to install E. C. Pease chaplain, and James K. Arnold sentry. Wm. B. Remsen acted as guide, and introduced Deputy Conklin and the new officers to be installed.

Mr. Conklin was assisted by Past Regents F. A. Emmons and S. C. Baker, and performed with dignity and decorum the installation.

Mr. Bullock, introduced to the officers and members, was impressed with the importance of his membership, completing as it did the second century of the roll call. He was welcomed with well chosen words by Regent A. M. Res, the central idea expressed being that the men and the society were a great help one to another, and it was hoped he would be of value to the society proportionate to its worth to him. All were in a most happy mood, and it was with much pleasure that business was concluded for entertainment.

James Phillips of Evona, one of the members, gave funny character sketches and songs, in his clever style, being repeatedly recalled. He was followed by Fred DeForest Crozier, an inimitable original dialect story teller, who is a credit to his profession of newspaper man as well. He had a ceaseless fund of humor, and he always amused and never offended. The people could not seem to get enough of him.

There was singing by Fred J. Pope, and piano music by W. E. MacClymont, Orator Burtis had charge of the entertainment, and himself gave some happy recitations. During the programme Eggerding's best were passed, and the air was speedily blue with fragrant Havana smoke.

Not till near midnight did the merry men seek their homes, and then it was to tell their wives what a great and glorious institution was the Royal Arcanum, from which the widows and families of members receive such substantial benefit.

TOPSY, TOPSY-TURVEY.

She Gee'd When Ordered to Haw, and Down She Went with the Cart.

This morning, after removing a cart full of dirt from the cellar of Love Bros. recent purchase, which adjoins Dreier s on West Front street, Charley Nelson led Duffy's high-stepping black mare Topsy to the dump back of the Babcock Building for the purpose of unloading. On this particular trip Topsy seemed to have a load on her mind, for she "gee'd" when ordered to "haw" and Charley and Topsy started down the slide with the inverted dump cart as an improvised toboggan. Witnesses to the affair ran down the bank and in the confusion grabbed Charley's hair, mistaking it for Topsy's mane, but matters were soon straightened out and an inventory showed that no damage was done. Charley removed some of the rich Jersey soil from his immaculate waistcoat and things in general assumed their wonted aspect of Sabbath happiness in the region of Plainfield's Commercial Palace.

Miniature Donnybrook Fair.

James Caufield of Johnston avenue, Netherwood, was so delighted at the recent safe arrival of a little daughter in that particular portion of "this vale of tears" in which his home is located, that he held a christening party Saturday evening in honor of the happy event, to which were invited the relatives ot the little stranger and many neighborhood friends. Now James believes with Owen Meredith that "All things are best", and, in order to make the affair seem as much as possible like similar affairs in the old country, he provided several shillelahs and numerous bottles of good old Irish whiskey, the former to beat time to the infantile music and the latter to ward off possible attacks of the grip.

It was a miniature "Donnybrook Fair" and an Irish "Come-all-ye" at one and the same time.

Time flew rapidly—so in fact did the corks. Finally the latter got ahead of time and finding they had no more bottles to open the entire party began looking around for something else, and quickly selecting one of their number who had the largest head in the crowd they opened his head in a very artistic manner with their sticks. The "claret" flowed freely after this little pleasantry, and had not the one owning the head felt somewhat "broke up" and the entire party soon afterward been troubled with the same feeling (doubtless out of sympathy), "One of the finest" might have been called upon to give an exhibition of twirling the nightstick.

Anyway, the baby is christened.

Knows His Business.

Frank Hedden is receiving compliments on all sides for the efficient manner in which he managed the large number of carriages last evening at the Casino. One hundred and twenty-five carriages were in attendance after the ball, and few people realize the quick judgment and ability necessary in handling so large a number of vehicles in so short a time without a hitch.

—All interested in the Y. M. C. A. building, women as well as men, are cordially invited to the opening tonight at 5.

—Every person will receive a hearty welcome at the opening exercises of the new Y. M. C. A. Building tonight at 8.

$100 Reward $100.

The reader of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly on the blood and mucous surface of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer $100 for any case that it fails to cure.

Send for list of testimonial.

F. J. Cheney & Co., Props. Toledo, O.

Sold by druggists, 75c.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report

Royal Baking Powder

ABSOLUTELY PURE

EARLY INTELLIGENCE.

—The baths are not yet completed at the Y. M. C. A., but soon will be.

—The Unit Social Club are planning for a most enjoyable time at their Washington Birthday dance.

—The Camera Club will exhibit the Newark slides at their rooms this evening, to club members and friends.

—The surplus snow hauled from the main streets in town is being dumped in the spare space near the Y. M. C. A. building.

—Most of the furniture for the new Y. M. C. A. Building arrived yesterday, and the rooms will be furnished immediately, to be in readiness for the convention.

—In St. Joseph's Church next Sunday morning at 10:30 the forty-hours devotion will commence. Four priests will be present, American, German, French and Italian.

—Jacob Kleiner, the star route mail carrier between this city and Warrenville, succeeded in reaching that place yesterday with much difficulty, having made two previous unsuccessful attempts.

—Harry Marshall of East Front street has had a covering made to place over the iron grate in front of his laundry. This is done to keep the cold air from the cellar. Daniel Dunavan did the work.

—Street Commissioner Meeker and his force of men have removed the bank of snow which blocked East Front street at Mulford Cole's hill, thus making an open thoroughfare between this city and Scotch Plains.

—A water pipe in the flat over Mallinson's drug store burst last evening about 6:15, and water fell in torrents from the ceiling, flooding the rear part of the store. George Tobin was called, and repaired the break immediately.

—A special communication of Jerusalem Lodge No. 26, F. and A. M., will be held tomorrow evening, when the Fellow Craft Degree will be conferred on three candidates. A large attendance is requested, and visiting brethren are cordially invited to attend.

—No prize is offered for the correct guess on the identity of the tall young man in Hallock's ad, but every purchase made at Hallock's is a prize.

—With the grip in nearly every member of the family, and the water pipes frozen and burst, the family of F C. Adams of 604 Washington street has been severely tried of late.

—The North Plainfield Township Committee have not decided on the two polling places for the township yet, but it is thought that Demler's store and Acker's mill will be used.

—Elias Allen of Washingtonville, a member of the North Plainfield Township Committee, was the guest last night of his son-in-law, Mr. Schutt of Duer street. Mr. Allen has not been well the past three weeks.

Shiloh's cure is sold on a guarantee. It cures incipient consumption; it is the best cough cure, only 1c a dose; 25, 50c, $1. Sold by all druggists.

Karl's Clover Root, the great blood purifier, gives freshness and clearness to the complexion and cures constipation; 25c 50c, $1. Sold by all druggists.

Mrs. T. S. Hawkins, Chattanooga, Tenn., says: "Shiloh's Vitalizer saved my life; I consider it the best remedy for a debilitated system I ever used. For dyspepsia, liver or kidney trouble it excels; 75c. Sold by all druggists.

Diligent in His Business.

James Daley of the Northern Pacific Tea Company attempted to reach his customers in Metuchen last Saturday, but was unable to get any farther than Campbell's club-house, and had to return.

Yesterday he tried again, taking an assistant and two snow-shovels. He succeeded in reaching his destination, and his patrons were happy to get their goods.

A False Diagnosis.

La grippe is confounded by many persons with a severe attack of catarrh, which in some respects resembles the former. These individuals suffer severely with pain about the forehead, eyes and ears, with soreness in throat and stoppage of the nasal passages, and in fact, are incapacitated for work of any kind for days at a time. These are catarrhal sufferers. Ely's Cream Balm has been used with the best results in such cases. The remedy will give instant relief.

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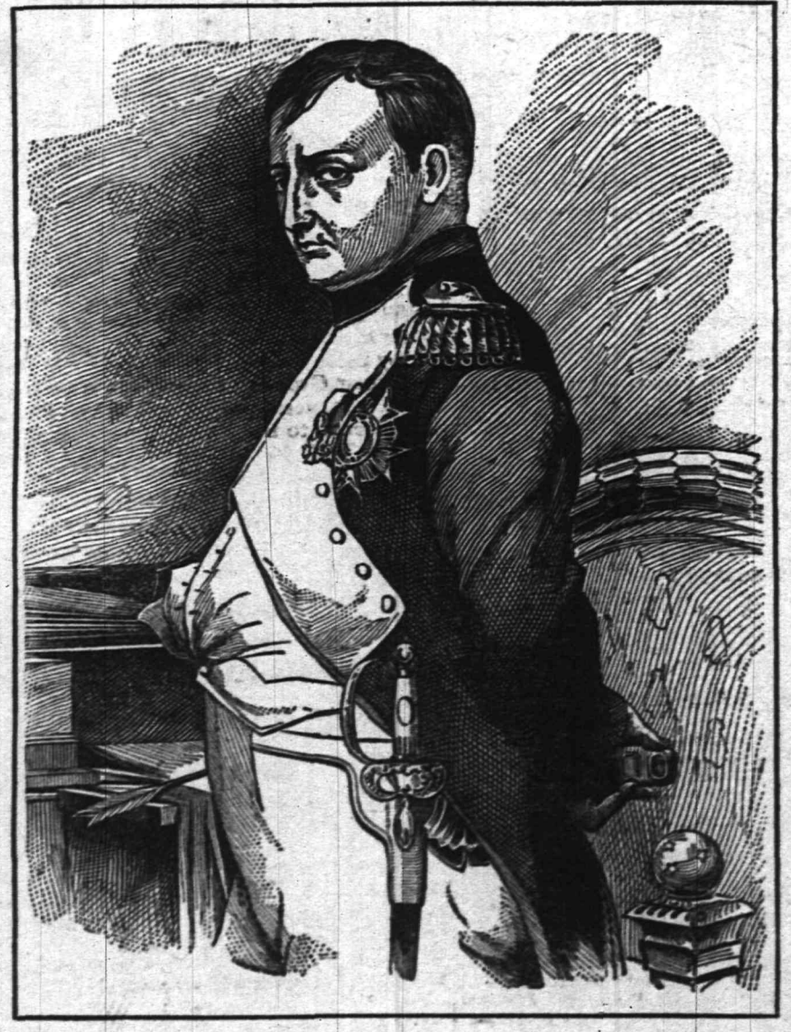

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Reynolds's Pharmacy, Park and North Avenues.

106 East Front Street—NEW NEW STORE. GOODS.

Grand Opening of the Plainfield Tea and Grocery Co., Saturday, Feb. 9.

"EVERY DAY PRICES."

Fine quality mixed tea	25c	Can tomatoes, solid packed	8c
" Oolong tea	30c	Can peas, early June	8c
" Young Hyson tea	40c	Can corn, fine goods	8c
" Japan tea	40c	Fine butter	24c
XX soda crackers	4½c	Ground coffee	17½c
Ginger snaps	5½c	Java and Mocha coffee	32c
Nic-nac crackers	6c	Extra fine Maricaibo coffee	30c
California peaches	17c can	" Rio coffee	24c
		Lard	8c

All goods warranted as represented.

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Acts Quickly,
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Special discount of 10 per cent on all Fall and Winter Goods.

Are you looking for an Overcoat or Ulster? Remember we have them and are closing them out at slaughter prices.

Our Men's, Boys' and Children's Goods are all put in at the same cut rates.

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Special Bargains for February.

HIRTS at 39c; regular price 50c.
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For ease and comfort, there is nothing better than our cork sole turn; just the thing for these cold walks. Don't have to break them in—are easy as an old shoe.

Alex. Willett & Son,

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DEATHS.

BURR—In this city Tuesday, Feb. 12, 1895, Mrs. Margaret Conrad Burr. Notice of funeral hereafter.

SCHNEIDER—Tuesday, Feb. 12, 1895, at the residence of her son, John Ammon, 305 East 4th st., Elizabeth Schneider, in the 73d year of her age. Notice of funeral hereafter.

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2 yards wide	14c yd
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2½ yards wide	16c yd

One Yard Wide Bleached Muslins.

Fruit of Loom, Dwight Anchor, Hill, Lonsdale, Barker, Gold Medal, Arcade, extra heavy, all at...6½c yd

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Clock Spring Blade. Soft as a Brush. Fits every Curve. The Only Perfect Comb. Used by U. S. Army and by Barnum and Forepaugh Circuses, and Leading Horsemen of the World. Ask your Dealer for It. Sample mailed post paid 25 cents. Give your name on the handle. SPRING CURRY COMB CO., 102 Lafayette St., South Bend, Indiana.

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JUST TRY US.

We put on sale the balance of those fine French imported draperies; they are worth 40c yard; our price 13c.

Those 50 inch wool mixtures are good. Six yards makes a dress and all they cost is 39c per yard.

Some good things in Hosiery—

Children's seamless fast black,					12c.
Ladies'	"	"	"	"	12c.
"	"	"	"	"	19c.
"	"	"	"	"	price

was 35c; now 25.

Gentlemen who wear a 9½ or 10 inch black cashmere sock can get a bargain. There are only 10 dozen; price was 50c pair; price now 25c. Ask for them.

Try our 5-hook Foster kids at 75c

HOUSEFURNISHINGS.

Granite iron coffee pots 37c.
" tea pots 37c.
" wash basins 17c.
" stew kettles 29c.
" tea kettles 79c.
A good broom 13c.
China custard bowls 4c.

WHITE, of Plainfield.

TALK IS CHEAP!

but our Coats and Capes are cheaper. This week we have inaugurated the Greatest Coat Sale ever held in the city. We have marked our entire stock 33 per cent. lower than the original price. Our prices enable everyone to buy one. You need a coat; we need the room and money. We give you a large bargain for little money. We would rather sell them for half their original cost than carry them over.

Hourefurnishing Goods.

3c Sale 3c In Basement 3c

Any article on our 5c counter for 3c for one week only. We wish to inform you that this department is below our first floor and prices below other houses.

Glassware.

7 piece fruit set 50c, regular price 75c.
7 piece water set 90c, regular price $1.25.
7 piece lemonade set $1.39, regular price $1.75.
Initial tumblers, fine blown glass, 98c doz.

Decorated Toilet Sets.

A $2.50 toilet set	for	$1.96
A $3.25	"	$2.50
A $5.50	"	$4.50

Tea Set Sale.

56 piece tea set $3.45, former price $4.50.

DRESS GOODS.

Now is the time for you to get bargains in our Dress Goods Department.
Our 25c worsteds 38 in wide, 15c.
Our 40c flannels 38 in wide, 25c.
Our 65c black serge 45 in wide, 45c.
Our 75c " 45 in wide, 49c.
Our $1 Covert cloths 54 in wide, 75c.
Our $1.15 black henrietta 40 in wide, 75c.

Just received a beautiful line of Embroideries at astonishing prices. The only house in the city that carries a complete line of Fancy and Plain Silks.

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Lincoln's Famous Oration In Cooper Union, New York.

Mr. Lincoln was the only man who ever went directly from the stump to the presidency and was, in fact, the only man ever chosen to that office who did not at the time of such choice or within a very near period of time hold public office or stand conspicuous before the nation for military achievement.

Mr. Lincoln was nominated for the presidency within a few weeks after he had finished the last and one of the most important stumping tours which he ever made. It is one about which less has been written than has been told of any of his other experiences upon the hustings, and yet it was one which had almost as important influence in reconciling the leading men of his party to his nomination as even that more conspicuous and brilliant succession of debates which he held two years before with Stephen A. Douglas.

It was doubtless with a view of revealing to the able men of the east that Mr. Lincoln was as logical, lucid, terse, impressive and cultivated an orator as

LINCOLN AT COOPER UNION.

any man that the east possessed that the suggestion was delicately conveyed to the eastern Republicans that he might consent to deliver an address in New York city. If there was no great belief on the part of these able eastern Republicans in Mr. Lincoln's higher intellectual cultivation and quality, there was on the other hand something of curiosity to see and hear this man who had overthrown Douglas, and who had crystallized public opinion in the west.

The congregation that assembled in Cooper Union on that now historic evening was a splendid one. Many of the distinguished Republicans brought their wives or members of their families. Evarts was there, curious to see and hear this man of whom he had heard so much, but for whom he had not at that time the most admiring opinion, perhaps because of premonitions that it was Lincoln who was to defeat the darling hope of Evarts and of that great company of eastern Republicans who had cherished for four years the desire to see Mr. Seward nominated for the presidency. Governor Morgan was there, and Moses H. Grinnell, who might have been governor had his partner not objected, and young Colonel Arthur, who was afterward to be president, and Professor Dwight, one of the profoundest lawyers New York has ever had, and William Cullen Bryant, even then seeming venerable in appearance, and, in fact, nearly all of those men who had been conspicuous in the service of the young Republican party in New York city.

Mr. Lincoln was introduced, and very happily, by William Cullen Bryant, and when he stepped forth upon the platform a great throng saw a man conspicuous above every other one in that hall for height, with a sort of awkward grace suggested by his loose jointed figure, a careless indifference to nicety in his dress, his face clean shaven, homely and his hair tossed about his head seemingly as though his fingers had been run carelessly through it just before he arose. His appearance for the moment was not such as to greatly impress those who saw him. He spoke in a voice pitched upon a high tenor key, but it was noticed that his words were distinctly enunciated, and his voice carried easily over that hall.

His first sentence surprised the accomplished orators and thinkers who were before him. They expected to hear a flowery, rhetorical and showy exordium, but there was no exordium at all. He plunged immediately into his subject, taking as his text a paragraph from a speech delivered a few months before by Douglas in Ohio. Before he had spoken five minutes these able men perceived his intellectual strength and began to understand why he had gained the pre-eminence which distinguished him in the west. There were no flowers of rhetoric in the address, but it was noticed that the diction was singularly accurate, simple, appropriate, and that it was used with such remarkable felicity as enabled him to express abstract ideas so that they were understood upon the moment of hearing.

He had that great and distinguished audience completely in his power within a few moments after he began to speak. Curiosity had vanished, and there came in its place that impressive recognition which intellect gives to intellect. Before he was half through it was perceived that he was setting forth the tremendous issues of the day in such a manner as had never been done in New York, and when he had finished these able men turned to one another and with common thought exclaimed, "That is a masterly address."

The pre-eminent ability revealed by this address caused the profoundest impression in New York city. The speech and the man were the chief topics of interest when Republicans met on the following day and for many days thereafter, and when the news came three months later from Chicago that Mr. Lincoln had been nominated for the presidency there was probably not one of those who heard that address who did not recall it and find consolation in the recollection of it for their disappointment over Mr. Seward's defeat.

E. J. EDWARDS.

A STUDY OF LINCOLN.

THE MASTER IN DIPLOMACY, DEBATE AND POLITICS.

Genius In Cowhide Boots—Something That Charles A. Dana Will Remember—Lincoln In Action and In Fitness of Speech. A Man of Many Sorrows.

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THE Lincoln bibliography comprises thousands of volumes, and each year adds to the catalogue. Yet the world, not only American, but foreign, never tires of reading his life and studying its cipher. Lincoln was always something of an enigma, and there is a feeling not yet dead that the last word has not yet been said concerning the man, unique and complex above all his compeers. He belonged to the "plain people," whom he loved, and who were ever in his mouth. He was their voice, one with them in the limitations of taste and in the elemental forces of temperament. Like them, he wasted but little thought on the graces of culture. It was not, one may fancy, that he did not esteem the things which decorate social and intellectual life. But these had not been mother's milk to him, and when gigantic issues clutched him in their grip they so minimized lesser ideals as to make them worthless.

So he remained to the last, genius in cowhide boots, a man of the backwoods in outer seeming, but with the delicate tenderness of a Bayard under the skin, which needed but a pin prick to escape and transform him into the noblest of gentlemen. The one statesman of his period whose grasp on the logic of the history then being worked out in battlefield and forum and council chamber was infallible, he could also be at need the craftiest of wire pullers, with a skill in jerking the puppets which would have shamed the shrewdest modern politician in his own game. The poetic elevation of the prophet, which so often burned in his utterances of tongue and pen, was linked with homespun sagacity, and the melancholy so ingrained in the substance of his being would often burst at the mere twist of a suggestion into the wildest fooling of the buffoon. Such were some of the antitheses of the immortal whose name pairs that of Washington to make the Dioscuri of American history. Today no less than at that time, when he filled the whole foreground of national life, the essential quality of the man shines through so many and so diverse facets that their cross lights dazzle perception. Yet he never ceased to be a man of the "plain people," its finest incarnation indeed, the "Honest Old Abe" of familiar speech.

There was nothing in Lincoln's youthful conditions but what are closely paralleled in those of other distinguished self made Americans. It was the life of the log cabin and the dugout, 16 hours' grapple per diem with hard physical toil for hog and hominy. He had grown hair on his chin before he had emerged from the mysteries of long division.

His rise to distinction as lawyer and politician, though he began under conditions which handicapped him, was remarkably rapid. During the early fifties he had hammered out a solid reputation throughout the length and breadth of the west, but his national fame did not become settled till the great Douglas-Lincoln debate of 1858, when he crossed blades with one of the strongest controversialists in the country as competitor for the United States senate. Those speeches have become classics of debate and sounded the ringing prelude to the hundred battlefields of the early future with such swordlike epigrams as, "A house divided against itself cannot stand."

When Abraham Lincoln was elected president, probably no one would have classed the choice of the Republican party as a special dispensation of Providence. It is sure that there were a score who were willing to be understood of all that each and every one could better fill that pair of No. 11 shoes than could the gaunt Illinoisian. Sure it is that during a large portion of that terrible period, 1861-5, numerous leaders of public opinion, and of his own party withal, did not spare the lash, in season and out of season, from the shoulders of their sorely tried chief. The president, however, felt that the heart of the "plain people" was with him, lifting him on its ground swell. When the history of Republican faction fighting, specially in the senate, during the Lincoln administration, is fully written, it will reveal a curious story. Never did diplomat show more subtle tact and knowledge of men than did Lincoln in smoothing the bristles of opposition and winning his own will. Let a single instance of a little understood side of his character suffice.

A jealous senatorial majority in 1863 had determined to drive Secretary Seward from his portfolio at any cost, and irresistible pressure was brought to bear on Mr. Lincoln. Much as he valued Seward, the cordial support of the senate was still more essential. Here was a stump to plow around, to use his favorite metaphor. Mr. Chase, the secretary of the treasury, was as great a favorite with the oligarchy in the upper house as Seward was its bete noir. Lincoln demanded and received Mr. Seward's resignation and forthwith sent for Mr. Chase, whom he also asked to resign and in written form which he himself should dictate. The putative reason assigned by the great financial secretary was Mr. Seward's resignation and his unwillingness to serve in an administration with that strong right arm lopped off. The two papers were shown to Morton, Wade and others of the astonished coterie, and rather than have Chase go they expressed their willingness to yield the point as to Seward. So Mr. Lincoln's craft disarmed their obstinacy and saved the integrity of his cabinet without giving offense to the "conscript fathers," so suavely hoodwinked by this master hand.

The presidential campaign of 1864 affords an illustration of the cunning in practical politics which supplemented the loftier aspects of the statesman and the patriot. To make sure of Pennsylvania, which was the native state of McClellan, and which seemed very doubtful, was a grave problem. At a conclave held in Washington the president ended discussion with the following dictum: "Let the right men, soldiers hot from the battlefield and full of enthusiasm, be furloughed home by the thousands for the week preceding election. One of these missionaries will make more votes than a score of stump speakers. But the president," he continued, "must not be known as privy to it, nor must it be an order from the war department." Assistant War Secretary Charles A. Dana was sent to General Meade's headquarters to negotiate this piece of finesse, and that general was very unwillingly persuaded to spare his battalions. But Pennsylvania went "Lincoln" by an overwhelming majority. The versatility of Lincoln, master in power and mental resource even as political juggler, astonishes the mind. One is interested in such incidents mainly as they blazon his complex makeup and wonders that a man so equipped on the noblest side of statesmanship should have had these lesser gifts of the working politician, an endowment rarely united in the same man.

Whatever credit may be justly given to the staff of great lieutenants in council and camp who held up the hands of Abraham Lincoln, his genius overshadows them all. His was the initiative of all great measures, his the power to see things dissociated from party or temporary bias in luminous perspective. Stanton, Seward, Chase, great men as they were and of domineering wills, recognized the master, who had them bitted and bridled, yet never let them feel the gall of the curb, so firmly gentle was his touch. It was not really till the last year of Lincoln's life, the year of his renomination, that there was a fully adequate notion abroad in the land, however, of just what measure of greatness there was in him. But that was the year when the nation made a stock taking of the four years, posted the ledger and struck the balance. The sharp cut, salient bigness of him, cleaving upward like an Alpine peak, stood out monumental. All cloud of misconception had blown away. Men could look back and see in true proportion the president's management of the slavery question as in its threefold relation, a military, political and international weapon. The emancipation proclamation probably saved the country. Had it not been for that downright step, which stiffened the backbone of English liberation, Earl Russell would probably have had free hand to have smashed the blockade. So, too, Lincoln's treatment of the "Trent" incident, of the Mexican imbroglio and of the other great exigencies which rose with repeated threat, shone in its true light. Men felt that here was "a man sent of God" when the polling booths of November, 1864, were the scene of the most important battle of the war.

Mr. Lincoln rose greatly to occasion in times of action. In rising to occasion in fitness of speech he was equally sure. Scores of his utterances have got imbedded as unwritten sections of the American constitution. That, for example, where he spoke of this country as one "where every man has a right to be equal with every other man," is a lamp set in the midst of the Declaration of Independence. At least two of his utterances will live, while the speech of men endures, among the greatest monuments of eloquence. The first of these thought out incidentally within a few hours of delivery and only 269 words long, spoken at the dedication of the Gettysburg battlefield, completely dwarfs everything similar in history. The simple Doric phrases were elegy and trumpet blast. They are ineffaceably chiseled on the world's memory, and Edward Everett's brilliant oration of two hours at the same time has already gone to the dust heap. So Lincoln's second inaugural takes rank among the matchless things of human speech, the becoming of the hour and the man.

Lincoln's fame has broadened and deepened and heightened with the flight of years. Unlike most great men, he inspires love equally with awe and admiration. When we think of him now, it is not merely the figure of the great statesman and the savior of a nation that rises. It is the man of many sorrows, the big tender heart in the uncouth giant frame, the intense humanity of him that sounds the magic stop and tells why Lincoln is Lincoln.

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Leave New York from foot of Liberty street 4 30, 6 00, 7 15, 8, 8 40, 9 10, 10, 11 45, A. M., 1 10, 1 30, 2 30, 3 30, 3 45, 4, 4 30, 5, 5 15, except Saturday, 5 30, 5 45, 6, 6 15, 6 30, 7, 7 30, 8, 9 30, 9 15, 10 15, 11 30 P. M., 12 15, 1, night. Sunday—4 30, 7 15, 9 30, 9 15, A. M., 12 M., 1, 2 15, 5 30, 7, 9 00, 10 00 P. M., 12 15 night. 1 A. M.

PLAINFIELD AND NEWARK.

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Leave Newark 6 10, 7 18, 7 55, 8 39, 9 08, 10 05, 11 35 A. M., 1 15, 1 35, 2 30 Saturday only, 3 50, 3 35, 4 05, 4 40, 5 04, 5 34, 5 40, 6 20, 7 15, 7 35, 9 40, 10 05, 11 25 P. M. Sunday—7 30, 8 45, 9 35, 11 35, A. M., 1 10, 3 35, 4 10, 5 40, 7 30, 9 25, 10 20 P. M.

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Leave Somerville, 5, 6 00, 7 00, 7 25, 7 35, 7 48, 8 20, 9 06, 9 48, 11 40 A. M., 12 53, 1 45, 2 05, 3 25, 4 25, 5 25, 6 35, 8 07, 8 45, 11 05, P. M. Sunday 8 25, 9 45, 10 55 A. M., 12 00, 1 20 5 05, 6 45, 8 02, 9 05, 9 40 P. M.

PLAINFIELD AND EASTON.

Leave Plainfield 5 45, 8 16, 9 54, A. M., 12 46, 3 06, 5 06, 5 14, 6 38, 8 21 P. M. Sunday—5 45, 9 28 A. M. 2 06, 6 35, P. M.

Leave Easton 6 05, 7 00, 8 52, A. M., 12 52, 4 04, 7 00 P. M. Sundays—7 15, 10 52, A. M. 5 40, 7 30, P. M.

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7 10 a. m. for stations to High Bridge, connecting for stations on High Bridge Branch.

8 16 A. M. for Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R. Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9 54 A. M. for Flemington, High Bridge branch D L & W R R, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Pottsville, Nanticoke, Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c. Through coach to Williamsport.

12 46 p. m., way for Easton, connecting at Junction for stations on D. L. & W. R. R.

2 06 P. M. for Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Sunbury and Williamsport, Wilkes-Barre and Scranton. Buffet parlor car to Mauch Chunk.

5 06 p. m., way for Easton, connecting at High Bridge for stations on High Bridge branch

5 14 P. M. for Flemington, Easton, Bethlehem, Bangor Allentown, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, Mauch Chunk Shamokin and Tamaqua, Buffet parlor car to Scranton.

6 19 P. M. for Flemington.

6 38 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading and Harrisburg.

8 21 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

5 45 A. M. Sunday for Easton, Bethlehem Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Wilkesbarre and Scranton. 9 28 a.m. Sundays for Easton, 2 06 p. m. Sundays for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Reading and Harrisburg, 6.35 p. m. Sundays for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, &c. and at Junction for D. L. & W. R. R.

For Atlantic City, 3 37 a. m. 1 18 p. m.

Long Branch, Ocean Grove, &c

Leave Plainfield 3 37, 8, 10 27, a. m. 1.18, 3 51, 5 54, p. m. Sundays—(except Ocean Grove 8 52, a. m., 3 30 p. m.

For Perth Amboy, 3 37, 5 58, 8 10 27 a. m. 1 18, 3 51, 4 50, 5.54, 7 03 p.m. Sunday—8 52, a. m., 3 30 p. m.

For Freehold, 3 37, 8, 10 27 a.m., 1 18, 3 51, 4 50, 5 54 p. m.

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GENIUS OF LINCOLN.

A STRIKING EXAMPLE OF HIS REMARKABLE POWER.

How Junius Henri Browne Was Charmed by His Sincerity and Perfect Fairness, His Personalveness on the Political Rostrum—Effect of His Speech.

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The first time I saw Abraham Lincoln and the impression he made upon me I shall never forget. It was in the days of my early youth, just before the civil war, when I had already been impelled by some unknown though adverse influence to enter journalism in a southwestern city on the border.

Lincoln had very recently emerged from comparative obscurity into national reputation through his memorable canvass in Illinois with Stephen A. Douglas for the United States senatorship and had been defeated. He visited the city where I then lived as a prospective candidate for the presidency and had been announced to speak on the issues of the forthcoming campaign, the long deferred struggle between freedom and slavery. The public was eager to hear him, for it had read his famous debates with Douglas as reported by the press, and he had in consequence an immense open air audience. The reporter who had been assigned to the meeting failed at the last moment to appear, and I went in his place rather reluctantly, I admit, for I cherished a most violent prejudice against the man on whom I had never laid eyes. Like Charles Lamb, I had damned him at a venture.

The cause of the prejudice was that, though a native New Yorker, I had been reared in the southwest. I had had southern boys as chums at college, I had been much in the cotton states, and I was the son of a strong Whig. The Whig party had always favored and been in sympathy with the south (they well deserved the name dough faces), and I had been bred in my father's political school, which as a boy I had accepted unhesitatingly. The very name of abolitionism was detestable to me.

I had a place very near Lincoln on the balcony from which he spoke, though expecting to give only an abstract of his address, for the newspaper I represented was opposed to him and his convictions. He more than realized my anticipations. He was, I thought, the ugliest, most awkward, most common looking man I had ever seen. To imagine him president of the republic almost made me shiver. The first words he might speak would, I felt sure, repel me even more than his personal appearance had.

That long, lank, disjointed figure, half leaning on the iron railing, that sallow, angular, unsymmetrical face, those few clumsy gestures still live in my memory. So does his voice, which, when he opened his lips, had a rather strident, uncultured sound. It was strong, penetrating, particularly earnest, honest, persuasive. And this earnestness and honesty made me forget its rusticity of accent and intonation. It contained, too, a note of sadness, which corresponded to the melancholy expression of his deep, luminous, significant, impressionable eyes.

After a few minutes of intent listening, which his perfect simplicity and earnestness commanded, I began to forget his manner in his matter. I lost sight of his appearance as he uttered his undoubted convictions. Nobody who heard him could have questioned for a moment his absolute sincerity, the complete truthfulness of the man. He was the very embodiment of candor, benevolence, uprightness. His whole nature seemed to be animated with the highest purpose, the purest of motives.

Lincoln's subject was, of course, "Slavery," the one, the absorbing question of the time. He treated it in the calmest, fairest, most unimpassioned manner, though the habit of the day, both north and south, was to look at it altogether sectionally and to discuss it for the most part with ardent bias and temper.

He pointed out clearly, as I remember, the danger of slavery to the whole country; that slavery was as inconsistent with freedom in the north as it was with freedom at home. Whatever slavery might be morally, and he declined then to debate its moral aspect, its political aspects at such a crisis were more important, were vital indeed, to the preservation of the nation. He would give to the south every constitutional right, but it should be remembered that the north also had rights, and that it could not endure continued encroachments, which, a few years before, had never been put forward or even imagined, without losing its independence and self respect. The two systems of slave labor and free labor, he did not believe, could much longer coexist.

This was, I think, the substance of his speech, but it gives no idea of its impartial character, to which even a Carolinian fire eater could hardly have taken exception. It contained not one rhetorical phrase. It was all reason, practicality, common sense, but intensely interesting. The speaker plainly was not an orator in the usual sense, and yet his effort was the sum of all oratory. It was wholly convincing, wholly unanswerable, and the vast assembly must have so regarded it. The enthusiasm at the close was immense. A new order of politician, the coming man, had clearly been revealed.

I in common with many others stepped forward to grasp his hand. He had won me over completely. From that hour to his death I was his profound admirer, and I revere his memory today as the greatest of all Americans. It may seem nothing to conquer the passionate prejudice of a bumptious boy barely out of his teens. But it is the strongest prejudice that can be cherished and can be conquered only by a combination of the rarest power and the loftiest genius, such as belonged indisputably to Abraham Lincoln.

JUNIUS HENRI BROWNE.

A LINCOLN NURSE.

She Cared For Bob and Willie Lincoln Before the War.

Aunt Ruth Stanton, an old colored woman who resides in St. Louis, was a nurse in Abraham Lincoln's family years ago, when they lived in Springfield, and long before the ultimate glory of the great emancipator was outlined. Aunt Ruth is now a janitress and drudges all day long, but she is yet in robust health. This is the story the old lady tells of her experience, minus the quaint dialect:

"The Lincolns were poor then and lived in a frame house with six rooms. Mrs. Lincoln belonged to the Episcopal church, and so did the Bradfords. I used to take the Bradford children to Sunday school, and on the way we would sometimes see Mr. Robert Lincoln, who was only 5 years old. He was going to Sunday school, too, and the Bradford children would say: 'Oh, Ruth, there's that Bobby Lincoln with his patched pants! Let's go the other way, so as we won't meet him.' Then we would go by a roundabout way to church to get away from Bobby Lincoln because he used to wear blue jean pants which his mother made for him and patched for him when he wore a hole in them. After awhile Mrs. Bradford sent me over to help Mrs. Lincoln every Saturday, for she had no servant and had to do her own housework. Then Mrs. Bradford sent me to live with the Lincolns.

"I scrubbed the floors and waited on the table and helped Mrs. Lincoln to clean the dishes and do the washing. She did all the up stairs work, made clothes for the boys, Robert and Willie, and cooked the meals. Mr. Lincoln was a very good and kind man, but I don't remember anything particular about him, for I was very young. He was a very tall man. That's all I can remember of him. He used to be at his office all the day long, and I did not see much of him, but I never expected to see him president of the United States.

"Mrs. Lincoln was a very nice lady. She worked hard and was a good church member. Every Thursday the sewing society of the Episcopal church would meet at Mrs. Lincoln's house and make clothes for the very poor people. She was very plain in her ways, and I remember that she used to go to church wearing a cheap calico dress and a sunbonnet. She didn't have silk or satin dresses. The children, Robert, 5 years old, and Willie, a few years younger, were very good boys. I used to take care of them, for they were too small to go to school. We would play around the streets of Springfield, and the white children would throw stones at the colored children.

"After I left, Mrs. Lincoln had to do all of her own housework, for she could not afford to get another servant. I have never seen any of the family since, but of course I have heard a great deal about them. I guess that Mr. Robert Lincoln does not remember when he used to wear patched jeans pants since he has become a big man."

AUNT RUTH STANTON.

LINCOLN'S LOVE LETTER.

But It Was Without the Word Love and Was a Proposal That Did Not Propose.

Of all the strange traits in Abraham Lincoln, certainly the strangest was his attitude toward women. The original letter to the lady he afterward married, of which so much has been conjectured, was found by accident after The Century biography was completed. If it has a rival in the world for oddity among love letters, it certainly has but one—that written by George Whitefield, which has long been considered the queerest proposal ever penned. Mr. Lincoln's letter is addressed to "My Dear Mary" and is as follows:

MRS. LINCOLN.

You must know that I cannot see you or think of you with entire indifference, and yet it may be that you are mistaken in regard to what my real feelings toward you are. If I knew you were not, I should not trouble you with this letter. Perhaps any other man would know enough without further information, but I consider it my peculiar right to plead ignorance and your bounden duty to allow the plea. I want in all cases to do right and most particularly so in all cases with women. I want at this particular time more than anything else to do right with you, and if I knew it would be doing right, as I rather suspect it would, to let you alone, I would do it. And for the purpose of making the matter as plain as possible I now say you can drop the subject, dismiss your thoughts, if you ever had any, from me forever and leave this letter unanswered without calling forth one accusing murmur from me. And I will even go further and say that if it will add anything to your comfort and peace of mind to do so it is my sincere wish that you should. Do not understand by this that I wish to cut your acquaintance. I mean no such thing. What I do wish is that our further acquaintance shall depend upon yourself. If such further acquaintance would contribute nothing to your happiness, I am sure it would not to mine. If you feel yourself in any degree bound to me, I am now willing to release you, provided you wish it, while, on the other hand, I am willing and even anxious to bind you faster if I can be convinced that it will in any degree add to your happiness. This indeed is the whole question with me. Nothing would make me more miserable than to believe you miserable, nothing more happy than to know you were so. In what I have now said I think I cannot be misunderstood, and to make myself understood is the only object of this letter. If it suits you best not to answer this, farewell. A long life and a merry one attend you. But if you conclude to write back, speak as plainly as I do. There can be neither harm nor danger in saying to me anything you think just in the manner you think it. Your friend, LINCOLN.

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J. H. Darrah Secy. 2214

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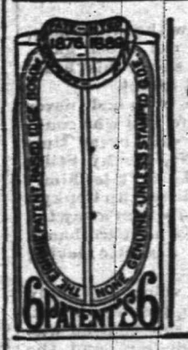

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CONKY STILES.

As near as I could find out nobody ever knew how Conky Stiles came to know as much of the Bible as he did. Thirty years ago people as a class were much better acquainted with the Bible than folk are nowadays, and there wasn't another one of 'em in the whole Connecticut valley from the Canada line to the Sound that could stand up 'longside of Conky Stiles and quote Scripture. Well, he knew the whole thing by heart, from Genesis, Chapter 1., to the amen at the end of the Revelation of St. John the Divine; that's the whole business in a nutshell!

His name wasn't Conky; we called him Conky for short. His real name was Silas Stiles, but one time at a Sunday school convention Mr. Hubbell, the minister, spoke of him as a "veritable concordance of the Holy Scriptures," and so we boys undertook to call him Concordance, but bimeby that name got whittled down to Conky, and Conky stuck to him all the rest of his life; not a bad name for him, neither, as names go; heap more dignified than Si!

My father always insisted that Conky got his start in the Scriptures in this way: Conky's folks lived for about five years (while Conky was a boy) in the old Ransom house. Their next neighbors were the Cooleys, and just over across the road lived the Kelseys. Maybe you've heard of the Cooley-Kelsey debate? No? Funny, isn't it, how soon folks forget events and epochs and things! Fifty years ago nothin' else but the Cooley-Kelsey debate was talked of in Hampshire county, and yet here we are livin' in this intelligent State of Illinois, and it's dollars to doughnuts that half our people never heard of Lawyer Kelsey or of Deacon Cooley!

You see, the deacon was high up in the Congregational church, and he believed in "baptyzo," which is the Greek for the Congregational doctrine of sprinkling. Lawyer Kelsey had never been converted and had never made a profession, but, havin' a brother who was a Baptist minister in Pennsylvania, he was counted with the Baptists, too, and I guess he was a Baptist if he was anything, although like as not, he'd have said he was a heathen if he thought he could get up an argument by saying it, for of all the folks you ever saw Lawer Kelsey was the worst for keepin' things stirred up. One time Deacon Cooley and Lawyer Kelsey came together and locked horns on that word "baptyzo," Lawyer Kelsey maintainin' that the word wasn't or shouldn't be "baptyzo," but "baptidzo," and, as you know, of course, there is as much difference between "baptyzo" and "baptidzo" as there is between a fog and a thunder shower.

Well, for about six months they had it up hill and down dale, in all the meetin' houses, and schoolhouses, and vestry-rooms, and towns halls in the country, and it did beat all how much learnin' they got out of the books and dictionaries, and what long sermons they made, and what a sensation there was among the unbelievers as well as the elect! I guess they'd have been arguin' yet if the freshet hadn't come an' distracted public attention by carryin' away the Northampton bridge and the Holyoke dam.

It happened that while this theological cataclysm was at its height, Conky Stiles, being 6 years old, was born again, and, repentin' of his sins, made a profession of faith. And from that time he never lapsed nor backslided, but was always a conscientious and devout follower, illustrating in his daily walks (as Mr. Hubbell, the minister, said) those priceless virtues which had illuminated the career of his Grandmother Cowles, a lady esteemed not more by the elders for her piety than by the younger folks for her cookies and squash pies.

When Conky was 8 years old he got the prize at our Sunday school for having committed to memory the most Bible verses in the year, and that same spring he got up and recited every line of the Acts of the Apostles without having to be prompted once. By the time he was 12 years old he knew the whole Bible by heart, and most of the hymn book, too; although, as I have said, the Bible was his specialty. Yet he wasn't one of your pale-faced, studious boys; no, sir, not a bit of it! He took just as much consolation in playin' three-old-cat and barn ball and hockey as any of the rest of us boys, and he could beat us all fishin', although perhaps that was because he learnt a new way of spittin' on his bait from his Uncle Lute Mason, who was considerable of a sport in those days.

Conky was always hearty and cheery; we all felt good when he was around. We never minded that way he had of quotin' things from the Bible; we'd got used to it, and maybe it was a desirable influence. At any rate, we all liked Conky.

But perhaps you don't understand what I mean when I refer to his way of quotin' the Bible. It was like this: Conky, we'll say, would be goin' down the road, and I'd come out of the house and holler: "Hello, there, Conky! Where be you goin'?"

Then he'd say: "John, xxi., 3"—that would be all he'd say, and that would be enough; for it gave us to understand that he was goin' a-fishin'.

Conky never made a mistake; his quotations were always right; he always hit the chapter and the verse sure pop the first time.

The habit grew on him as he got older. Associating with Conky for fifteen or twenty minutes wasn't much different from readin' the Bible for a couple of days, except that there wasn't any manual labor about it. I guess he'd have been a minister if the war hadn't come along and spoiled it all.

In the fall of 1862 there was a war meetin' in the town hall, and Elijah Cutler made a speech urgin' the men folks to come forward and contribute their services—their lives, if need be—to the cause of freedom and right. We were all keyed up with excitement, for next to Wendell Phillips and Henry Ward Beecher I guess Elijah Cutler was the greatest orator that ever lived. While we were shiverin' and waitin' for somebody to lead off, Conky Styles rose up and says: "First Kings, xix., 20," says he, and with that he put on his cap and walked out of the meetin'.

"Let me, I pray thee, kiss my father and my mother, and then I will follow thee."

That's what Conky said, or as good as he said, and that's what he meant, too.

He didn't put off his religion when he put on his uniform. Conky Stiles, soldier or civilian, was always a livin', walkin' encyclopedy of the Bible, a human compendium of psalms and proverbs and texts; and I had that confidence in him I'd have bet he wrote the Bible himself if I hadn't known better and to the contrary.

We were with McClellan a long spell. There was a heap of sickness among the boys, for we weren't used to the climate, and most of us pined for the comforts of home. Lookin' back over the thirty years that lie between this time and that, I see one figure loomin' up, calm and bright and beautiful in the midst of fever and sufferin' and privation and death. I see a homely, earnest face, radiant with sympathy and love and hope, and I hear Conky Stiles' voice again speaking comfort and cheer to all about him. We all loved him; he stood next to Mr. Lincoln and Gen. McClellan in the hearts of everybody in the regiment.

They sent a committee down from our town one Thahksgiving time to bring a lot of good things, and to see how soon we were going to capture Richmond. Mr. Hubbell, the minister, was one of them. Deacon Cooley was another. There was talk at one time that Conky had a soft spot in his heart for the deacon's eldest girl, Tryphena, but I always allowed that he paid as much attention to the other daughter, Tryphosa, as he did to her eldest sister, and I guess he hadn't any more hankerin' for one than he had for the other, for when the committee come to go home Conky says to Deacon Cooley: "Well, good-by, deacon," says he, "Romans, xvi., 12."

We had to look it up in the Bible before we knew what he meant. "Salute Tryphena and Tryphosa, who labor in the Lord"—that was Conk's message to the Cooley girls.

He wrote a letter once to Mr. Carter, who was one of the selectmen, and he put this postscript to it: "Romans xvi., 6." You see Mr. Carter's wife had been Conkey's Sunday school teacher, and Conky did not forget to "greet Mary, who bestowed much labor on us."

Down at Elnathan Jones' general store the other day I heard Elnathan tell how Conky clerked it for a spell and how one day he says to Conkey: "That Baker bill has been runnin' on for more'n six weeks. We can't do business unless we get our money. Conky, I wish you'd just kind o' spur Mr. Baker up a little."

So Conky sat down on the stool at the desk and dropped Mr. Baker a short epistle to this effect: ("Romans i., 14; xxii., 11; Psalms, cxiii., 6."

Next day who should come in but Mr. Baker, and he allowed that that letter had gone straighter to his conscience than any sermon would have done, and he paid up his bill and bought a kit of salt mackeral into the bargain, so Elnathan says.

I could keep on tellin' things like this day in and night out, for lots of just such stories are told about Conky all over Hampshire county now; some of em' doubtless are true, and some of 'em doubtless ain't; there's no tellin'; but it can't be denied that most of 'em have the genuine Conky flavor.

The histories don't say anything about the skirmishes we had with the rebels at Churchill's bridge along in May '64, but we boys who were there remembered it as the toughtest fight in all our experience. They were just desperate, the rebels were, and—well, we were mighty glad when night came, for a soldier can retreat in the dark with few chances of interruption. Out of our company of 150 men, only sixty were left. You can judge from that of what the fighting was at Churchill's bridge. When they called the roll in camp next day, Conky Stiles wasn't there.

Had we left him dead at the bridge, or was he wounded, dying the more awful death of hunger, thirst and neglect?

"By——!" says Lew Bassett, "let's go back for Conky!"

That was the only time I ever heard an oath without a feelin' of regret.

A detachment of cavalry went out to reconnoiter. Only the ruin of the preceding day remained where we boys had stood and stood and stood—only to be repulsed at last. Bluecoats and graycoats lay side by side and over against one another in the reconciling peace of death. Occasionally a maimed body, containing just a remnant of life, was found, and one of these crippled bodies was what was left of Conky.

When the surgeon saw the minie hole, here in his thigh, and the saber gash, here in his temple, he shook his head, and we knew what that meant.

Lew Bassett, a man who had never been to meetin' in his life, and who could swear a new and awful oath every time—Lew Bassett says: "No, Conky Stiles ain't going to die, for I shan't let him!" and he bent over and lifted up Conky's head and held it, so, and wiped away the trickles of blood, and his big hard hands had the tenderness of a gentle loving woman's.

We heard Conky's voice, and only once, again. For when, just at the last, he opened his eyes and saw that he was there, he smiled, feeble-like, and the grace of the Book triumphed once more within him, and he says—it seemed almost like a whisper, he spoke so faint and low: "Good-by, boys: II. Timothy, iv. 7."

And then, though his light went out, the sublime truth of his last words shone from his white, peaceful face.

"I have fought a good fight. I have finished my course, I have kept the faith!"—Eugene Field in the Chicago Record.

PUTTING UP THE FEET.

A Comfort-giving Habit, Though Reproved by Caricaturists.

"What a delight it is to put the feet up!" said Mr. Gratebar. "Caricaturists used to show the American sitting in an armchair with his feet on the mantel or braced against the chimney-piece just under it; and surely the American might do worse things than that. I dare say that the height to which one might desire to elevate his feet might depend upon the individual. Some might desire to put their feet on the shelf, some might find greater comfort at less height; for myself I like my legs about horizontal. I like to sit after dinner in a big easy chair with my feet across another in front. I suppose that if you were to ask a doctor about this, he would tell you that the sense of relief and comfort that comes with putting the feet up is due to a relief of, or to a reversal of, the strain upon some muscle or muscles with more or less lofty latin names; but I don't care to know about that. I am satisfied with the calm but profound delight of putting up my feet."

Journalism in the West.

We wish some of those fellows who are eternally telling us how to run a paper would think more and talk less. Here we are eighty miles west of the rain belt, ninety feet from water, several million miles from heaven, fifty yards from the devil and 300 miles from a saloon, sweating and worrying, trying to get out a spicy paper.—Dighton Herald.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

Mrs. Edward Skinner of Elmwood place is ill.

Grocer F. W. Dunn is confined to his home by illness.

H. R. Hatch of West Fourth street is a sufferer from the grip.

Matthew Walker, who had a long illness, is able to be out again.

Isaac Smalley of East Front street is slowly improving from his severe illness.

Miss Minnie Force of Summit avenue was out yesterday after two weeks of the grip.

Mrs. Stephen Hope of Third and Richmond streets does not improve from her illness.

Mrs. George W. Rockfellow is able to be about the house today after two weeks of the grip.

Miss Addie Weaver of Grove street was able to venture out yesterday after a week of illness.

Chauncey Stout, son of Street Commissioner Stout of the borough, is out again after three weeks of illness.

Secretary J. H. Manning of the Y. M. C. A. attended the State Secretaries Conference held in Paterson yesterday.

Henry Uhrhahn, 12-years-old, son of William Uhrhahn of Regent street, gave a party of friends great delight last evening by a sleigh ride.

Marvelous Results.

From a letter written by Rev. J. Gunderman, of Dismondale, Mich., we are permitted to make this extract: "I have no hesitation in recommending Dr. King's New Discovery, as the results were almost marvelous in the case of my wife. While I was pastor of the Baptist Church at Rives Junction she was brought down by pneumonia succeeding la grippe. Terrible paroxysms of coughing would last hours with little interruption and it seemed as if she could not survive them. A friend recommended Dr. King's New Discovery; it was quick in its work and highly satisfactory in results. Sold by L. W. Randolph druggist. Regular size 50c and $1; our price 45c and 90c

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When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria,
When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

CLEAN YOUR WALKS & GUTTERS

Residents and property owners are requested to clean their walks and gutters as required by city ordinance. Also to assist the Street Department by throwing the snow well out into the middle of the street and not leave it in high heaps along the curb.

CHAS. J. FISK,
2 11 2 Chairman of Street Committee.

READY TO PAINT.

Before you put on paint see that the article you put on is what it is represented. It is poor economy, indeed, to put on a mixture of burnt clays and kerosene. Come to us and get the best.

Marsh, Ayers & Co.,
141 East Front st.

ASSIGNEE'S SETTLEMENT. Notice is hereby given, that the account of the subscriber, assignee of Sylvester Sharkey, will be audited and stated by the Surrogate and reported for settlement to the Orphans' Court of the county of Union, on Wednesday, the thirteenth day of March next.
Dated January 7, 1895.
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Tapestry Brussels carpet per yard, only	50c
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Antique oak bedroom suits, only	$20
Body Brussels carpet per yard, only	87c
Antique oak chiffoniers with mirrors, only	$8.75
Mahogany finished frame parlor suits, in silk covering, only	$40
Dining-room chairs, high back, antique oak, per set only	$7.50
Antique oak extension tables, only	$8.50
Oilcloth per yard, only	20c
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Antique oak bedroom suits, only	$25
Three ply carpet per yard, only	75c

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We will sell ladies black cashmere gloves 50c quality, for 40c; do 39c quality for 30c; children's fast black hose, all sizes, 25c quality for 18c; children's printed border handkerchiefs 5 and 8c quality for 4c; bleached table linen 50c quality for 43c; do 65c quality for 50c; do 85c quality for 70c; unbleached table linen 40c quality for 32c; do 50c quality for 40c; do 55c quality for 45c.

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SILK SKIRTS.
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References given and required.
Address letters to the office of this paper.
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has just received an elegant assortment of rare ferns and other plants, also bulbs of all kinds, for Fall planting. She has a large supply of cut flowers daily.

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YOUNG HEARTS UNITE.

With Pure Delight Their Tender Vows Are Spoken.

LILY PERFUME AND ORANGE BLOOM

Afford Their Happy Token—Grace Church Enshrines a Charming Sight, a Wedding Gowned in Pink and White.

HAPPY to all hearts and beautiful to all eyes was the pink and white wedding which took place in Grace P. E. Church yesterday afternoon at 5, an hour when the sun lingered softly at the close of a day which had been favored by the smiles of Winter in her softest mood.

The contracting parties, two of Plainfield's popular young people, were Miss Sadie E. Addis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Addis of Orange street, and Clarence Nathan Mundy, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Mundy.

At the appointed hour the handsome church, choicely decorated with evergreens, was filled with friends and relatives of the bride and groom.

The bridal party proceeded up the centre aisle. Miss Alice O. Smith, formerly musical instructor of the bride, was at the organ, and her interpretation of the wedding march from Lohengrin added to the brilliancy of the effect.

The bride was beautiful in a gown of ivory-white Lansdowne silk, with feather trimmings and pearl passementerie; she wore a tulle veil, with natural orange blossoms and lilies of the valley in her coiffure and corsage. She carried an ivory-bound prayer-book.

The maid of honor, Miss Tillie M. Barnes, cousin of the bride, was gowned in white crepe de chene, with white lace and satin ribbon trimmings. The bridemaids were Miss Gertrude Haskard of Elizabeth, cousin of the bride, who wore a gown of white crepe de chene, with lace and rhine stone buckles, and carried a bouquet of pink and white carnations; Miss Lizzie Barnes of Elizabeth, cousin of the bride, in a gown of pink crepe de chene, with lace and rhine stone buckles, and carrying a bouquet of pink carnations; Miss Hannah Merrill of Elizabeth, also cousin of the bride, in a gown of pink silk and white, with lace trimmings, and carrying a Martha Washington bag; and Miss Jennie Addis, sister of the bride, in gown of pink silk and white lace trimmings, also carrying a Martha Washington bag.

The best man was Charles B. Barnes of Elizabeth, cousin of the bride.

At the altar the party were met by Rev. Dr. E. M. Rodman, who performed the very impressive ceremony of the Episcopal Church, the responses being noticeably clear and distinct.

The strains of Mendelssohn's wedding march were heard as the ceremony was concluded, and the party left the church while this favorite recessional was being played.

The bride and groom were driven to the home of the bride's parents, where a reception was given to the immediate friends and relatives.

Guests were present from New York, Brooklyn, Newark, Bayonne, Elizabeth and Roseville.

An excellent supper was served about 6, after which music was enjoyed.

Mr. and Mrs. Mundy were the recipients of many handsome and valuable gifts. The ushers officiating at the church were Walter F. Barnes of Elizabeth, cousin of the bride, Harry Hamilton, Chauncey L. Lane of New York, and William H. Addis, brother of the bride. They wore boutonnieres of white carnations and lilies of the valley.

Mr. and Mrs. Mundy left on the 7:45 Philadelphia train for a journey South. They will live in Plainfield.

Mr. Mundy has an excellent situation with the Seaboard Lumber Company of New York.

The happy couple have the best wishes of a very large circle of friends.

Among the gifts was a very handsome pair of embroidered pillow cases, made by Mrs. Elizabeth Garret of Elizabeth, age 80, grandmother of the bride.

—A special meeting of Gazelle Engine Company will be held this evening.

A Des Moines woman who has been troubled with frequent colds, concluded to try an old remedy in a new way, and accordingly took a tablespoonful (four times the usual dose) of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy just before going to bed. The next morning she found that her cold had almost entirely disappeared. During the day she took a few doses of the remedy (one teaspoonful at a time) and at night again took a tablespoonful before going to bed, and on the following morning awoke free from all symptoms of the cold. Since then she has, on several occasions, used this remedy in like manner with the same good results, and is much elated over her discovery of so quick a way of curing a cold. For sale at Reynolds's pharmacy, Park and North aves. T. S. Armstrong, manager.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

Mrs. Henry McGee will give a tea Saturday, Feb. 23, from 4 to 7.

John Rafferty's son Thomas is suffering from inflammatory rheumatism.

Edward Sebring of 40 Craig place is confined to his home with the grip.

Jack Fillmore of North avenue, Netherwood, is suffering from a bone felon on his right hand.

Rev. J. A. Craig of LaFayette, Sussex County, is the guest of Horace Huff of West Fifth street.

Mrs. Hall, mother of Wallace Hall of Rockview avenue, is recovering from her recent severe illness.

T. E. Warman of 104 Grove street was out yesterday for the first time in three weeks, after an attack of the grip.

The Misses Evelyn and Nellie Dunn of New York, daughters of Samuel P. Dunn, were in town yesterday for a call among friends.

Hugo Fisher of Liberty street has been appointed a collector by the Prudential Life Insurance Company of Newark, for this city, in place of J. W. VanHorn, resigned.

Fred DeForest Crozier, the humorist who entertained the Royal Arcanum, was the guest while in Plainfield Monday and Tuesday of Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Lavell at their elegant home on Putnam avenue.

Miss Florence Honneger of New Brighton, S. I., who has been visiting Mrs. J. B. Hill of Belvidere avenue, is now making a short visit to Mrs. F. J. Miller of Carleton avenue, after which she will return to her home.

Mrs. Chas. H. VanNess has so far recovered from her recent severe attack of pneumonia, through the skilful and constant attention of Dr. J. H. Carman, that she was about the house yesterday for the first time in over five weeks.

W. Montgomery Smith of Plainfield, who excels in artistic decorative work, has issued a sumptuous calendar for The Gill Engraving Company of 104 Chambers street, New York. The sheets of enameled cardboard reproduce famous paintings, set in frames whose dainty sumptuousness of decoration and whose exquisite colorings are characteristic of Mr. Smith's masterhand.

JUST A LOVE STORY

is what most folks like to read, if it is original in plot, and felicitously told. And it is just that kind of a love story which Mrs. Alexander, the author of "The Wooing o' It", and other powerful novels whose names are in everybody's mouth, has written in

"SETTLED OUT OF COURT".

This tale is one of the masterpieces of a masterhand. It will appear in The Daily Press, beginning Saturday, Feb. 16, and will run for six days. Do not miss an instalment. You will read the story in The Daily Press or nowhere.

BY THE WAY.

—A special business meeting of the W. C. T. U. will be held in their rooms Thursday afternoon at 3:30. A large attendance is requested.

—The borough Board of Canvassers are busily engaged in making a house-to-house canvass prior to the Spring election, which takes place in March.

—The board walk leading to the Watchung avenue entrance of the Y. M. C. A. Building was completed today. It will be replaced by flagging in the Spring.

—There is a scarcity of coal among a few of the coal dealers of this city, owing to the delay in shipping from the mines, caused by the heavy snowdrifts in Pennsylvania.

—The ardor of a sleighing party of fifteen New Brunswickers who came to town yesterday was somewhat dampened by reason of the fact that they frequently had to get out and walk because of the numerous bare spots encountered along the road.

—Capt. T. Durling of Phillipsburg, Warren County, an official of the Knights of Pythias, came to the city last night to install the officers of the local lodge, but was unable to perform the duties from the fact that the installation meeting is set for next month.

—A work of elegance and utility is the calendar issued by the New York Engraving and Printing Company of 320-322 Pearl street, New York. Each month's leaflet gives the face of a popular actress. The mechanical execution is a sample of the perfection of the company's work.

A Needed Municipal Improvement.

An improvement which this city is in need of is a restoration of signs on the corners of thoroughfares, designating the names of the treets. Plainfielders themselves may not observe the necessity of such a feature, but strangers do not always find it easy to locate streets away from the business section. Oftentimes it is not convenient to interrogate passing people on the street for the right direction to proceed in locating a residence. The signs were up years ago, but have largely disappeared.

GRACE PARISH NEWS.

[From The Advance.]

Grace parish receptions are held every Monday evening from 8 to 11, in the Rectory, 224 LaGrande avenue.

The Altar Society are busy making a set of red altar hangings and vestments, which are much needed.

The Rectory Society contemplate giving a tea at the home of Mrs. Fred H. Wills, where fancy articles will be for sale, and later a garden party at the home of Mrs. Joseph W. Reinhart. These two entertainments will be given for the benefit of the Rectory Society Fund.

The members of the Parish Guild are holding afternoon teas the first Tuesday of each month from 4 to 6.

The women of the Guild are busy preparing a box of clothing to be sent to Rev. Mr. Pullman, of Austin, Texas.

RUDYARD KIPLING

never wrote, and never will write—and nobody else ever will write, because nobody can—a better story than "A Disturber of Traffic", a tale of seafaring life in the Eastern seas. But Mr. Kipling has written just as good a story in something the same vein, and yet with a freshness and originality all its own. It is called

"AN UNQUALIFIED PILOT",

and is a tale of an Indian boy who grows up to his father's trade of piloting vessels through the strange rivers down to the seas where every drop of water has a romance to tell. You will read this story, first published, and fitly illustrated by the best newspaper artists, in The Daily Press Friday, Feb. 15, and Saturday, Feb. 16. It is brand-new, and copyrighted to Daily Press use.

The Monthly Illustrator.

In only one way was it possible for Harry C. Jones of 92 Fifth avenue, New York, to improve his magazine of the choicest in art, The Quarterly Illustrator, and that was to issue it oftener. That improvement he has now accomplished, and in its new guise of The Monthly Illustrator it is just four times as good as it was before.

The Monthly Illustrator is artistic excellence. The February number contains 272 superb illustrations by 74 well-known artists, and a wealth of letter-text besides. No home of culture should be without The Monthly Illustrator.

Postman Stops a Runaway.

While Milkman E. T. Schenck was delivering milk in H. Fleischhauer's drug-store on East Front street, yesterday morning, his team ran away at a rapid pace towards Scotch Plains. Letter-carrier William Demarest, who was returning from his morning delivery, saw the horses coming from a distance, drove his own horse to the curb, and succeeded in stopping the runaway team before any damage was done.

Successful Use of Dynamite.

Contractor Burnette was very successful yesterday in blasting the frozen ground of the excavation for the cellar of the Blatz house on Somerset street. Before the blasting took place, the neighbors being much frightened, closed their window blinds, but as no damage resulted from the blasting they heeded it as little as the booming of a Fourth of July celebration.

Perfecting the Service.

The electric current from the Borough Electric Light Company was turned on through the entire circuit at 4 yesterday afternoon to enable Inspector Clarence Brokaw to discover which lamps were defective, so as to replace them. The recent storms and high winds caused the company considerable loss and damage.

Plainfield Toasts the President.

From a report in the Brockville (Ont.) Evening Recorder, of the banquet of the Showshoe Club, The Press learns that "The President of the United States" was responded to by Consul J. A. Demarest, and further honored by the boys giving "For He's a Jolly Good Fellow".

Opening the Highways.

Street Commissioner Meeker of this city, is a hustler, as far as snowbanks are concerned. He and his force of men yesterday afternoon removed the snow on the Rahway road, thus opening all the principal thoroughfares leading to and from the city.

Four Big Successes.

Having the needed merit to more than make good all the advertising claimed for them, the following four remedies have reached a phenomenal sale. Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption, coughs and colds, each bottle guaranteed—Electric Bitters, the great remedy for liver, stomach and kidneys. Bucklen's Arnica Salve, the best in the world, and Dr. King's New Life Pills, which are a perfect pill. All these remedies are guaranteed to do just what is claimed for them and the dealer whose name is attached herewith will be glad to tell you more of them. Sold at L. W. Randolph's drug store.

IN THEIR NEW HOME.

They'll Never Roam in Search of Better Quarters.

BUILT THIS HAS BEEN FOR PLAINFIELD MEN,

Helped by Fair Plainfield Daughters—With Past Review, an Era Now the Smugly Quartered Men Commence—Renew Their Youth, with Words of Truth from Past and Present Presidents.

BUILT for Plainfield's progress was the new Y. M. C. A. Building, and the finely appointed and pretty Assembly Hall of the structure was well-filled last night by a representative audience which had gathered to enjoy exercises incident to the formal opening of the Association's new home. On the platform were seated the members of the Board of Directors, opening and building committees, a number of the local clergy, and the double male quartette, composed of F. S. Runyon, E. E. Runyon, Nelson Runyon, L. A. Hummer, Charles Hummer, T. E. Hazell, A. J. Moore and Ezra Loomis.

The meeting was called to order by Mayor Gilbert, who was chairman of the Opening Committee and the Association's first president. Rev. Dr. D. J. Yerkes read a few verses from the 7th chapter of Acts, after which prayer was offered by Rev. Cornelius Schenck.

Mayor Gilbert spoke in part as follows:

"The duty has been put on me tonight of bidding you welcome to this beautiful new home of the Young Men's Christian Association, and I can assure you the duty is doubly enjoyable to me simply because I was present at the birth of the Association. I was its first President. I am familiar with its early struggles and with many of the important incidents of its early life. I can reach back from its beginning to the present time; I can touch the past and present in the history of this Association. I can bring them both together, and I can realize perhaps more fully than the most of you how remarkable has been the success of this Association, and in looking back over the interval of time which reaches from the beginning, twenty-eight years ago, down to the present development of this Association, this beautiful building suggests to me how remarkable has been the growth and development of this organization. This building tells its own story of prosperity, healthful growth, development, public sympathy and support. It reminds me also of many changes that have taken place under my own observation in the aims and purposes and in the personnel of the Association. I can clearly recall the first meeting that was held in the modest little room on Park avenue 28 years ago. We were not ambitious then; we had no thought at that time of ever achieving a state of development that would warrant such a beautiful building as this. We simply hoped to organize and to do some good. There were only a few of us but we were interested in the work and ties that bound us together in our early association work developed into stronger ties of personal association, and I am proud to say tonight that I number among my personal friends tonight men whom I discovered in that association of long ago.

"But speaking now as Chief Executive of this city, I think that I ought to congratulate the people of Plainfield on having this beautiful edifice added to the architectural development of Plainfield. Plainfield has fine avenues, beautiful streets, and charming residences, and all speak of the refinement of our people, but we have few public buildings, and these we need to express the progressive spirit and business methods of the people. There is nothing that serves so well to express the character and civilization of a people as the buildings they erect. The old world is full of the architecture of magnificent nations that have arisen, flourished and passed away, leaving nothing behind them but the ruins of old temples and public buildings, and these stand as silent monuments to the purposes and civilization of their time, and there they have stood for ages furnishing the historian reliable data for the writing of history. The old world has much to boast of in this line. From these we derive large benefits, but all these buildings were reared to perpetuate the glory of man, or of nations. The beautiful palace at Versailles has over the entrance this inscription: 'For the glory of France,' built by a prince for his own glory with money wrung from the people. How much different is it in the case of this building—money for which has been donated by a liberal people, donated as a recognition of the right of this Association to exist.

"You have given to the young men this beautiful building; you have enlarged their usefulness and increased their capacity for work, and you have laid upon them a new responsibility as well, and in order to discharge this responsibility and in order to give you what you look to them for now, it will be necessary for those who have the interest of the young men at heart to be generous in support. Now, that it is in position to do valiant work, it will need valiant support, and the money spent in this direction is well spent. As an investment, see what this institution is doing for young men in Plainfield. You all know, if you have sons, that when they reach a certain age and come home from an office or from being confined in a store you feel that they would like to go out and spend some time with their companions. Now, what is this association for these young men? Why, it is a rendezvous, a meeting place, and as a rendezvous and meeting place you want to see that it is a good place. It makes all the difference in the world whether it is a rendezvous that throws around them good influences or not. Looking upon it as an indispensible institution we ought to rally around it and defend and support it and I have no doubt that after you have listened to Dr. Richards and to Mr. Murray you will all feel that to support this institution would be a good investment to your sons and a good investment to Plainfield."

At the conclusion of the Mayor's address the quartette rendered a selection which brought forth many encomiums.

The following is a part of Dr. Richards's excellent address:

"When I came here tonight I was thinking of course, as we all were, of the work of the Young Men's Christian Association, and thinking of it with gratitude; but I found myself thinking especially of those gathering here tonight in this new building and what it meant to this Association to have at last a home of its own. I suppose my special duty was to bring a multitude of congratulations to the society itself and to all these friends who are gathered here, many of whom know what it is to have a home of their own, and when we think of it I do not know that there is any material advantage to be set ahead of the advantage of having your own home. A minister speaks of that subject with a little feeling, because it is an advantage that he never expects to possess. Belonging to a race of tramps he simply can look with envy upon those who have what is denied to him. It is not only the people who have a home of their own who are blessed; it is an advantage to the community. They have a great deal more confidence in their citizens when they own their own houses. You are not afraid of their behaving themselves in such fashion that it will be necessary for them to leave the place, if they own their own homes. Any institution comes to be worth more to the community, or at least be valued more highly when it can be properly housed.

"Now it seems to me that this is the special advantage the Young Men's Christian Association has assumed tonight. It is met in its new home; it has come to a place that belongs to itself and we hope that it will be soon paid for, and here it stands as one of the institutions of the city—something that will stand here forever as a home for the young men of Plainfield, and for the young men of our own families. We all have our own houses with their own parlors, with their own libraries, with their own privileges of social intercourse, and anything that is offered to those boys by the Young Men's Christian Association is an addition to a good many things which they have already. But after all, this thing is to be here to furnish a home for the young men in Plainfield who have n't one, and who are not likely to have a home for the present. I think our prayer to God is that as this building is now dedicated He will so fill it with His Spirit that has always guided it in the past, that this aim may be more and more completely realized, that this Association may be interested to offer to the young men of this city who need it most the advantages of a Christian home."

Dr. Richards was followed by W. D. Murray, President of the Association. In opening he spoke of the time seven years ago when the subject of the Association owning a home was first broached, and now what a feeling of gratification and joy it afforded him to participate in their formal opening. He then described the efforts that were necessary to consummate their desire, which had found root in the minds of those taking an interest in the welfare of the Association. To illustrate the immensity of undertaking to erect such a structure, he furnished a few figures concerning the finances in this connection. The total amount subscribed was $47,300, of which $46 017 46 had been paid in. It had been necessary to get a loan of $2 500, which afforded the sum of $48,517.46 to draw upon. Thus far there had been expended $14,000 for land and $34,344 90 on the building. The contract called for $43,615, which left a deficiency of $10,000 still to be raised. Now the question was asked whether the result accomplished justified the cost involved? The work done in the past answered that proposition affirmatively. He said that many young men, who had pleasant homes, were simply content to live for themselves, and conform with the rules of society and law, but the Association was a field of labor in educating them to something better and higher than mere drones. The citizens of Plainfield he said had donated the building to perpetuate the religious work which they had undertaken, and it was what was done in the future rather than what was said at present that would justify the trust placed in them.

Another song was rendered, after which the programme was concluded by a short talk by Arthur Lucas, State Secretary of the Y. M. C. A. He congratulated the Association on possessing in many respects the finest building of its kind in the State. The structure stands for the highest ideal of manhood, and in its various departments would teach that there is something better and nobler than just living and something more than death. In the religion of Jesus Christ, he said there was need for creeds and sects, but the Young Men's Christian Association afforded a common platform and purpose to centre the mind and efforts for the salvation and elevation of the young man.

After Dr. Yerkes pronounced the benediction, the audience were invited to make a general inspection of the building, of which the majority availed themselves.

The cozy reading room, the pleasant parlor, and all the apartments, were admired by the visitors, and the completion of the building was commented on as one of the events in which Plainfielders should take great and pardonable pride.

Kitty Pilot Changes Hands.

Michael Quinn has sold his well-known prize-winner, the dark bay mare, "Kitty Pilot", to a Brooklyn horseman, and a valuable black mare from Mr. Quinn's stables became the property of Mr. Arkell of Westfield about the same time.

O. W. O. Hardman, sheriff of Tyler Co., W. Va., appreciates a good thing and does not hesitate to say so. He was almost prostrated with a cold when he procured a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. He says: "It gave me prompt relief. I find it to be an invaluable remedy for coughs and colds." For sale at Reynolds's pharmacy, Park and North aves. T. S. Armstrong, manager.

BROTHERS IN ANGER

Adry Hayward Tells How Miss Ging Was Killed.

The Crime Carefully Planned by the Young Man for the Purpose of Securing the Insurance Money on His Victim's Life—One Brother Against the Other.

Minneapolis, Feb. 13.—One of the most dramatic and pathetic scenes ever witnessed in a courtroom at this place was enacted yesterday, when Adray Hayward had finished telling to judge and jury his tragic tale of the cruel manner in which his brother Harry had hired an assassin to kill his pretended sweetheart, Catherine Ging, in order to rob her and procure the insurance on her life.

After the buzz of excitement attendant upon the calling of Adrian Hayward to the witness stand had died away, Adry, who is 33, told the entire story, as Harry, his 29-year-old brother, had narrated it to him, of how Miss Ging's murder was brought about. Harry had come to his father's office, where Adry was employed, last summer and fall, and told him he was loaning money on diamonds, and that he had gambled some; also that he had loaned money for Miss Ging, and gambled with her money. Continuing, Adry said:

Would Get $2,000.

"About the middle of September he asked me if I wanted to make good money. I said yes, and he said I could get about $2,000 if I was not too particular. He asked me if I was willing to kill a woman for $2,000. I said I was not willing to kill anybody. He said it was easy to do it, and nobody would be suspicious of me, as they only looked up a set of criminals who had been convicted of crime before.

"After that he said he knew a hackman that would do anything for him. He said it would be easy to kill her in a hack, and if necessary the hackman could be killed, too."

Adry then told how, on the morning of November 6, Harry had come to his place, and added that Harry had shown him three diamond rings and a pawn ticket, with a caution against talking about it, as he was supposed to be "busted."

"Then," continued the witness, "Harry said he was through with me, and that I had not any nerve. He had found a man, however, who had nerve—an ex-policeman named C. A. Blixt.

Something Will Happen.

"Shortly after 7:30 on the night of the murder Harry came to my flat and said: 'You'd better go to the theatre to-night. Take your wife and go. Something is going to happen.' It was one of the few times I ever saw him excited. I took him by the arm and tried to detain him. He shook himself loose and said: 'I've no time to fool now. I'm in a hurry.' My wife sat there rocking the baby.

"My wife and I went to visit her father that night. When I got home, or shortly afterward, I heard a quick step in the hallway, and then I saw a light in Harry's room. I heard nothing more until 3 in the morning, when Harry came to the door and said: 'Something has happened. Miss Ging has been murdered. She was found stone dead in the road near Lake Calhoun.' He asked me to come into his room, and I did so. He got out his Colt's revolver and cleaned it. There was very little dirt on it. As he was doing this he said: 'It's just like picking up money.' Then he laid down on the lounge with his overcoat over him. I went back to my flat."

He was asked in regard to his conversation in the jail with Harry relative to their pressing Blixt rather closely.

"Don't you know there was nothing in the paper that day about Blixt?" asked Mr. Erwin.

"No, I don't. I know he was reading the paper; I was not."

"On Oct. 17, 1894, were you not out of your mind?"

"I can't say as to that."

"Did not you curse and swear and threaten to kill your father and mother?"

"Was that on Sunday?"

"Yes."

Tried To Make Trouble.

"Well I had some trouble over money. Harry came in dragging father and he lay down on the lounge. There was a shortage, but I explained it. Harry was trying to make the trouble." Harry smiled broadly at this point.

"Yes, you smile," said the witness, "but you know its so. I accused Harry of stealing the money from my flat—mind I don't say he did it but I accused him then and there. Mother spoke up and I told her that if she could not trust her sons, why did she raise such a litter of pups. Then I got mad and when Harry threatened to rip me up with a knife, I went to get my revolver and said I would let Harry wound me, but if he did I would blow his brains out. My wife can swear to that—you needn't shake your head, mother," cried the witness, noticing his mother. "That was the first trouble I had with my mother and if it had not been for Harry I would never have had that trouble."

He Blamed the Family.

During the examination witness said he did not blame Harry for trying to defend himself in his suit but he did blame the family for letting itself be brought into disgrace by helping him out. He thought the family owed something to itself. He hated to testify against his brother, but he had some rights and did not think he had to be dragged down on his brother's account.

"Were'nt you always jealous of your brother?"

"No, sir."

"Did not you ever threaten your brother with violence?"

"Once, when my brother said he could get men for $15 to send me to Stillwater, I said I knew enough to send him to Stillwater and father was right there and heard it. I said that Mr. Stewart had agreed to help me if they would not."

Witness then testified to going to Mr. Stewart, telling him his troubles.

SAFE ON TERRA FIRMA

Pathetic Scenes at the French Line Docks.

A Sight Long To Be Remembered—The Dead, Alive; the Lost, Found—The Ship and Her Gallant Commander Cheered—Flags Wave Vive Le Capitaine.

New York, Feb. 13.—The French line dock was the scene of great rejoicing during the early hours of yesterday. The friends of passengers on La Gascogne were at the dock from the first peep of dawn, and remained there until the steamer arrived. The joy of the waiting people over the news of their friend's safety bubbled over and found frequent expressions. The officers of the company were obliged to stretch a chain across the entrance to the dock shed, so great was the rush of people to go on the pier. Every one admitted had to show evidence that they had friends on board the belated steamship.

Some men and women went to the dock in carriages, but could not show that they had friends aboard the steamer. The waiting room upstairs was crowded.

Half a dozen policemen from the steamboat squad stood inside the shed entrance to help the company's officers. Other policemen stood outside to help control the crowd. At 9 o'clock there were about 300 people grouped about the entrance, unable to get on the dock. They had been there all the morning, and seemed determined to wait until the La Gascogne arrived, if necessary, all day.

Two tugs were puffing and blowing in the slip on the north side of the French line dock churning up the water in an effort to drive out the ice so as to make an easy passage for the steamer.

Greeting the Big Ship.

As the steamer came up the North river towed by two tugs the people assembled on the dock scrambled for the best places to obtain a view of the vessel. At the end of the pier was a pile of boxes. The people climbed on these and watched the approaching vessel until the police and dock officers obliged them to enter the shed so as to avoid accidents. The people in the upstairs waiting room crowded to the windows to catch a glimpse of the steamer. There was a craning of necks and a pushing of those in the rear to get a view out on to the river. Another crowd was in the pier shed near the gangways. A large proportion were women. Outside the dock was a crowd of several thousand.

When La Gascogne's stern passed the doorway working into her slip the people cheered. In a very short time the vessel was tied up and the gangplank raised to her side. Again the people cheered, and an enthusiastic Frenchman perched on a pile of boxes unfurled a new American flag and waved it. This called forth more cheering, and some one in the crowd cried out: "That is the only flag." This seemed to be the sentiment of the crowd, for they cheered the flag enthusiastically.

Cheers for the Captain.

A voice called for three cheers for Capt. Baudelon, commander of the La Gascogne. They were given with a will and made the building echo.

The passengers then began to come ashore, preceded by Superintendent of the Line West. The first passenger to step on the dock received more cheers. The passengers came down rapidly and were quickly seized by waiting friends, hugged and kissed, and again embraced. They then had a volley of questions fired at them.

The most of the people, passengers and waiting friends, had the true temperament of the French and were loudly demonstrative in giving vent to the emotion that moved them.

A lady in a long sealskin dolman pressed through the crowd carrying aloft a huge bouquet of flowers.

The people made way for her until she reached the foot of the gangplank. A call was made for Capt. Baudelon, and when he appeared the crowd cheered. An enthusiastic Frenchman cried out: "Vive le Capitaine! Vive M. Baudelon!"

The captain raised his cap and smiled. The woman with the flowers embraced the blushing commander and presented the bouquet to him.

Serious Difficulties May Arise.

City of Mexico, Feb. 13.—Telegraphic news from the state of Guatemala is that Miles Rock, chief of the Guatemalan commission, was suddenly called from the border to the City of Guatemala in connection with an arrangement with Mexico. It is believed that Mr. Rock's opinion is required on several points in dispute. The news is of a general peaceful tendency, but the El Universal warns its readers that it is still possible for serious difficulties to arise.

Blizzard Affects an Election.

Richfield Springs, N. Y., Feb. 13.—The spring elections took place in the different towns of Oswego county yesterday. On account of the recent blizzard making the roads bad a light vote was polled. The majority of those elected were republicans. No supervisors were elected and the interest in the election was not very lively.

Buried in Malt.

Buffalo, N. Y., Feb. 13.—Henry Humphrey, a malt house man, met death in a frightful form yesterday. He was sucked beneath a great, rushing, tumbling mass of dry malt, in one of the bins of the Lake View Malt house, and was smothered to death before help could reach him.

Will Rest in Poughkeepsie.

New Orleans, Feb. 13.—Murray Ferris, the sugar refiner of Franklin, La., who was shot and mortally wounded on Jan. 28, by Henry M. Payne, planter of south Louisiana, died yesterday. The remains will be buried in Poughkeepsie, N. Y., Friday.

Killed in His Old Age.

Fort Monroe, Va., Feb. 13.—William Wright, an aged colored man, was run over and killed near Hampton, on the Chesapeake & Ohio railroad yesterday.

ANOTHER NEW FEATURE.

The Daily Press Adds to Its Already Large List of Special Attractions.

THE Napoleonic wave which has displayed itself in America by a revival of Empire gowns and decorations, Napoleonic literature, pictures and relics has reached the proportions of a craze in Paris and is only less enthusiastic but scarcely less real and vital in other European capitals. So that now, eighty years after Waterloo, the Man of Destiny fills almost as conspicuous a place in the public eye as when he held the peace of Europe in his hand.

Napoleon is altogether the most brilliant, the most potent personality in modern history. Men are hero worshipers all, whether they know it or not, and the tremendous achievements and dramatic career of Napoleon appeal powerfully to the intelligent reader of today. The story of Napoleon has never been briefly told with better effect than in the new series of monographs fresh from the pen of John Clark Ridpath to appear for the first time in print in The Daily Press, to whose exclusive service in Plainfield they are copyrighted. Each monograph is two columns long, and they are arranged consecutively for publication in weekly installments. The first article is released for publication Saturday, Feb. 16, and the others in regular order on succeeding Saturdays. They will be a welcome new feature to readers of The Daily Press.

NEW PAPER BOX TRUST.

Combine Controlling Millions Will Take Their Old Employes.

Derby, Conn., Feb. 13.—The first rupture in the big paper box trust—the National Folding Box & Paper company, occurred yesterday when Col. E. Shelton Cornell resigned as a director of the combine and manager of factory No. 1, located here. Mr. Cornell and other Connecticut capitalists have leased a factory and paper mill at Southford, ten miles from here.

All of the employes, salemen and clerks of the combine's factory here will go with the new concern, and from now on will ensue a big battle in the paper box market. The combine virtually controls the American market and has factories in New Haven, New York, Brooklyn, and a paper manufactory at Ballston Spa, N. Y. Millions are behind the new industry.

THE DEBS' JURY DISCHARGED.

A New One Will Be Empaneled at an Early Date.

Chicago, Feb. 13.—The Debs jury was discharged yesterday and the case was set for a new trial on the first Monday in May. The physician attending James C. Coe, the juror whose illness caused the hitch in the proceeding, declared that the sick man would not be able to resume his duties as a juror for at least thirty days. Judge Grosscup then held a conference with the counsel of both sides, and it was agreed to leave the matter to the court's discretion. When court finally convened, Attorney Gregory for the defense moved that the jury be discharged, but that the eleven men then in the box be again empaneled and a twelfth juror secured. To this the government objected and the motion was denied.

AN EDITOR IN LUCK.

Bequeathed Fifty Thousand Dollars for a Past Kindness.

Scranton, Pa., Feb. 13.—Dr. Allen Norton Leete, editor of the Sunday News, has been notified that he has been bequeathed $50,000 by the will of the late Henry B. Cary, of Los Angeles, Cal. Back of the bequest is a story of an unpaid debt that brought the lender ultimately a competence for life. In 1862 Dr. Leete loaned Cary $500. At that time both men lived in Newark, N. J. Cary emigrated to California and made a fortune but he never during his life time repaid Leete his money. When he died not long since his will was found to contain a clause acknowledging his debt to Leete and stating that the $500 was the foundation of his fortune and in consideration of this he bequeathed him $50,000.

Pittsburg's London Fog.

Pittsburg, Feb. 13.—Early yesterday a fog of unusual density settled over this city and vicinity and continued throughout most of the day. Railroad and street car traffic was greatly impeded and continued in the downtown district only with reduced speed and by exercising the greatest caution. Numerous collisions occurred and many narrow escapes from accidents were reported, but no serious casualty occurred. Business in stores and office buildings was possible only by aid of artificial light. On the streets the density of the fog limited vision to a few paces. The temperature was mild.

No Lexow Committee Here.

Atlanta, Ga., Feb. 13.— The sensational investigation of charges of bribe-taking against the city detectives came to an end by a verdict of not guilty by the board of police. The three detectives under charges were Chief of Detectives Wright and Detectives Looney and Cason. It was decided by the board to find the three officers not guilty and to give Looney and Cason a reprimand for receiving presents of rings from Carrie Clarke, a keeper of a disreputable resort.

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Aside from the temporary embarrassment of the National Government the public question in which the people are most deeply interested at the present time, is the problem of municipal reform. The existing methods of conducting the administration of municipal governments, except in rural districts and in rare instances elsewhere, do not satisfy the people. Taxes accumulate, discontent increases, sporadic movements for reform break out here and there, and end in nearly every case in relapse to the former condition. Advice is freely poured forth by the press in the form of books, essays and editorials. Petitions, memorials and remonstances seem endless, and yet, year after year, the difficulty of administering the local government of a thickly settled locality increases. The reason is plain enough, but a practical remedy seems to elude all who try to find it.

The fact is that the influence of various socialistic theories during the last half century has laid on local governments numerous duties which they were not originally organized to perform, and the slow and discordant efforts that have been made to adapt the ancient forms of local government to modern uses have given rise to a vast mass of law, ranging from ordinances to constitutions, which have been construed in different ways by voluminous decisions of the courts. It is obvious that successful administration of such governments is next to impossible. One is rather surprised to find that their break-down is not more serious than it is.

The common experience of a municipal office holder, anxious to serve his fellow-citizens faithfully, is something like this: He is elected, by the impulse of some agitation, on the faith of his character, or because he may have been successful in some other career, and enters hopefully on the discharge of his duties, only to find himself embarrassed and perplexed by obstacles which he never appreciated before. After a few futile efforts to redeem his pledges, or gratify his ambition, he becomes disgusted or indifferent. He tries to attend to the public business at odd times, generally evenings when he has nothing else to do, and acts largely on rumor, gossip or current items of news he happens to read. If, feeling his helplessness, he falls under the influence of some one who is more familiar with the ropes, he becomes the subject of a boss, and loses the confidence of the people. By and by his constituents grow impatient at his conduct or inaction; he is turned out of office as a disappointment and sent back to private life fully convinced that the people in a republic are extremely ungrateful.

There is another class of officials who seek office for less worthy purposes. Some lively citizen, commonly called a hustler, gets his friends out to the primary, secures the nomination and is elected. He firmly believes that it is his duty to get something, not for himself directly, but for some of the friends who were most active in his support. He commences business in the caucus of his party, and must get a doorkeeper at least to show his constituents. Later he develops a strong desire to get something for the ward, township or locality in which he happens to live. Other members of the same board or body understand their duty in the same way, and so it often happens that the conduct of officials, who pass for honest men, becomes a raid on the public treasury instead of an administration of the government for the general welfare of the people. I do not believe that dishonesty is nearly so extensive among public officials as is commonly supposed. The true cause of the failure of municipalities to meet the just expectations of the people is rather the wretched system of government which has come into existence, and which is itself largely responsible for a false conception of official duty.

Since this question grew into importance and pressed forward for solution, the public mind has turned in different directions in search of a remedy. In 1875 it was thought or hoped that reform could be effected if special legislation were abolished, but that movement was not a success. Later a cry went out for one man power with direct responsibility to the people at stated intervals, but that theory of petty temporary monarchy failed to take root deeply. About the same time, schemes for local government by means of bi-partisan bodies were devised, and to some extent put in practice, and later still a few sublime characters began to advocate non-partisan government in the centres of the population of a country whose government would perish with its partisanship.

There has also been more or less talk of trying "business principles," whatever they are, as a means of local government. If it is intended by this to establish a practical form of government over a given locality, adapted to its needs for the time being, and then to elect men of intelligence and integrity to administer the government within, if not according to, the law, there is much to commend it. If it means that political institutions that grow out of traits of human nature older and as tough as civilization itself, should be conducted as one would run a grocery store, a lumber yard or a bank, it is an unsound proposition. There is no better time to repeat and emphasize this fact than at present, when the practice of mingling the methods and avarice of business with the legitimate functions of government at Washington has culminated again in wide-spread disaster. In a country where officials are changed frequently, where the people are familiar with the methods of business, and but few make a study of the science of government, if there is such a thing, it is no doubt wise to employ business methods as far as practicable in conducting the routine work of government, but a good government, which is one of the grandest achievements of human effort, should not be degraded to the status of a mere commercial pursuit.

But no one can come to an end of a discussion of this subject while dealing in mere generalities. Any practical reform must be achieved by a concrete operation. Instead of trying to tell other people how other localities should be governed, suppose we discuss among ourselves how the government of Union county could be changed to our advantage. This county contains 101 square miles; its territory is bounded and intersected by several streams that provide surface drainage. Cranford is the central point, and no extremity is more than eight miles distant. The land is generally level, interrupted by a few considerable hills, but there seems to be nothing in the physical features of the county to interfere seriously with the suggestion I wish to make. Spread over this small territory there are no less than fifteen municipal governments, including three cities, nine townships and two boroughs, in different stages of development, and a county government underlying them all. The population of the county by the last census (1890) was 72,467, and is probably over 80,000 at the present time. In the offices of these several governments there are about 180 officials, not counting policeman, constables, school teachers, justices of the peace, overseers and surveyors of the highways and overseers of the poor. There are at least a hundred of these minor officials. In a word, there are about 300 people busy with more or less activity in the work of governing Union county. It is probably true to say, and I speak respectfully, that not one of these numerous officials ever read the laws they have been appointed to administer, and it is equally true that if they should do so it would not add much to their efficiency, for the reason that the vast mass of law which smothers them is simply inscrutable, both to the professional and the wayfaring man.

The assessed value of property in Union county for purposes of taxation last year was $34,613,387, and the aggregate debt of the fifteen municipal governments in the county is $5,113,011, bearing interest ranging from four to seven per cent., but nearly all at four. The annual interest charge is about $225,000. During the year 1894 the taxpayers of the county were called upon to pay to their respective collectors in cash the sum of $899,700. Deducting from this the sum of $225,000 paid for interest on debts, and we find that the people of this county paid last year the enormous sum of $674,700 for government, and probably not more than half a dozen of the taxpayers believe that they received the worth of their money. It must be conceded that a system of governments which produces such inadequate results for the amount expended should be reformed. It is a condition that is far behind and below the enlightened and progressive spirit of the age.

I am in favor of adopting the advice of Hamlet and reforming it altogether, being careful, however, at every step to remember that a government which does not fit the people cannot succeed. I believe that a radical change can be made which will bring the government of Union county in harmony with the sentiments of the people, diminish the cost of administration and add greatly to its efficiency. My suggestion is this: Abolish every municipal government in the county except the county government itself, and diminish the functions of the board of Chosen Freeholders to the lowest degree consistent with the constitution; then erect a new government over the entire territory of the county, based on a practical theory in harmony with modern ideas. Let the governing body proper consist of five or seven persons, to be elected, well paid and required to devote their whole time to the public service; define the outlines of their power with extreme clearness, and provide but few regulations for their conduct within the limits of their jurisdiction. Many of the so-called safeguards of legislation relating to municipalities are in fact sources of embarrassment and pitfalls. I am convinced that it would be better to circumscribe the general jurisdiction of a governing body clearly, and leave the methods of exercising the powers conferred largely to its discretion. This is necessary to the vigor and efficiency of the government.

It would be necessary to establish executive departments of the government, such as fire, health, street and police departments, but I do not think that any member of the executive departments, except the head officer of each, should be elected by the people or appointed by the governing body. The people in a thickly settled locality are too busy with their own affairs to spare the time required in a short campaign to make sufficient examination of the mental and moral fitness of candidates for mere clerkships and other minor offices, and the governing body should by all means be entirely free from the annoyance of the office-seeker, and, as far as possible, from dictation of the boss. Let the governing body establish the executive departments by ordinances, appoint the head officer of each, and remove him at pleasure. It is necessary for the governing body to have this power in order to maintain discipline, so as to conduct their important and complicated work successfully. The other officers should be chosen by a civil service commission.

The merits of the cause of civil service reform have been much obscured by the ridicule of its enemies and the folly of its friends. But the system has grown up slowly, between both obstacles, to a strong position, and can no longer be regarded as a subject fit only for a short plank in a platform to please the Mugwumps and make the delegates smile. In the last number of the Atlantic, Mr. Theodore Roosevelt gives an interesting account of the progress and condition of the movement, entirely free from cant, although a little overloaded with enthusiasm. I am convinced that a radical and genuine plan of reform of municipal governments must include a provision for the selection of the minor executive officers by the approved methods of civil service reform.

This, in mere outline, is a form of local government I venture to suggest for Union county. It could be established by a statute which no doubt would be passed if the people desire it. A few of the advantages of such a change are (1) the territory would be rid at once of an oppressive mass of local laws and ordinances, complicated so as to be unenforceable by a still greater mass of inconsistent general laws. These laws for the most part are the experiments and failures of centuries, transmitted with increasing volume from age to age. We need a local government resting on the spirit of the age in which we live, and not on tradition and mistakes alone. (2) Its practical and efficient methods of administration would provide much better service to the people at much less cost than we get from fifteen different governments with rapidly changing officials, who attend to the public business in the evening and at other odd times. The success of the great commercial corporations is largely due to the fact that the governing body consists of a few persons, who consult rather than debate, and talk instead of declaiming. To this extent, at least, there is no objection to the substitution of business methods for the common practices of local governments. The value of such a change will be appreciated by anyone who has observed the difference between the action of gentlemen in a board of directors, and in a common council. (3) The population of Union county has doubled since 1870, and is likely to increase still more rapidly in the future. The inevitable course of events will force its territory under one local government sooner or later by the gradual process of annexation of the smaller to the larger towns. This is the common history of the growth of cities. The interests of all parts of the county are sufficiently identical to make it desirable that its growth and public improvements should be according to a common plan.

At present four municipalities in the county are preparing to construct separate sewer systems. Roselle intends to construct a trunk sewer to tidewater. Cranford will connect with the Rahway system. Westfield and Plainfield propose to try the plan of intermittent filtration. All of these systems will be constructed for local convenience only, and must of necessity be temporary expedients. In former years large sums of money were expended by the various municipalities of the county for the improvement of highways, and nearly all was wasted. We never dealt with the problem successfully until the unity of the whole territory of the county and the interest of each part in all other parts were recognized. May it not be so with the other public improvements which the increasing population of the county make it necessary to construct?

There are also objections to the proposition. The one most obvious is the unequal debts of the different local governments. In fact some of them are entirely free from debt. But this objection will seem to diminish on examination. Where the debts are there also are large quantities of taxable property, and the most costly of the necessary public improvements have been made. The rate of interest on the large debts is four per cent., and it is not unreasonable to expect that the saving in taxes by reason of a rational administration of the proposed government would go far toward paying the interest on the debt of the consolidated town.

It may also be objected that the proposed plan would give too much power to the governing body. But it is impossible for men to accomplish satisfactory results in dealing with difficult matters without freedom to act as good judgment may dictate, according to the actual conditions of the moment. As it is impossible to foresee remote conditions or emergencies, so it is impossible to prescribe how men can act to the best advantage years before they are called on to act at all. The plan, however, calls for a distinct demarcation of the limits of the power of the governing body, but leaves it comparatively free to act within those limits. That body would be responsible for the government of the whole territory; public attention would be fixed on the conduct of its members, instead of being divided as at present among numerous officials. The office being responsible and dignified would attract men of capacity, and its importance would lead to the selection of the best men who could be impressed into the public service when the necessity of doing so is properly appreciated. On this point the fate of all forms of popular local government must turn. The form of the government furnishes opportunities more or less convenient for the service or betrayal of the people by those entrusted with power. Some students of the subject seem to think that the form of the government is of more importance than the character of the men chosen to administer its power. I do not think so, although it is no doubt true that the form is one of the essential attributes of a good government. Herbert Spencer, who is regarded as the wisest of all men who have studied government profoundly, declared, before the strain of pessimism grew darker in his mind, that "the belief that by due skill an ill-working humanity may be framed into well-working institutions, is a delusion. The defective natures of citizens will show themselves in the bad acting of whatever social structures they are arranged into. There is no political alchemy by which you can get golden conduct out of leaden instincts." We must all bow to the dictum of this great man, but the progress of the cause of good government cannot be stopped by a disagreeable fact. It may be that the character of no popular government, whether of a nation or a town, will long remain above the level of the civilization of its inhabitants, but civilization is constantly progressing, and it is clearly the duty of the people to establish and maintain a form of government at least up to the level of their common intelligence. It is certain that our local governments in this county are not.

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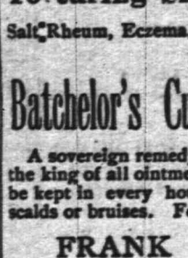
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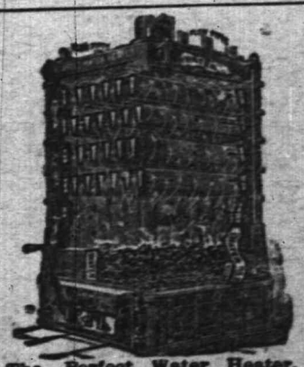
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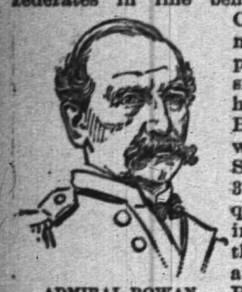
Dashing Into the Enemy.

Feb. 10, 1862, was the date of a naval affair known in war history as the capture of Elizabeth City, N. C. It was not of great importance except as it extended the area of Burnside's conquest at Roanoke. But it brought about the liveliest half hour's helter skelter fighting imaginable for battles on water. After the taking of Roanoke the Confederate "mosquito fleet" ran away through Albemarle sound to a refuge in Pasquotank river just below Elizabeth City. The Union commodore, Rowan, quickly gave chase with his nondescript flotilla, consisting of 12 vessels rigged for war purposes out of old ferryboats, tugs and river steamers. Regardless of hidden obstructions or torpedoes, the gallant commander pushed on and found the Confederates in line behind a fort on Cobb's point, mounting four 32 pounders. Opposite the fort the heavy schooner Black Warrior was anchored. She mounted two 32's. The "mosquito fleet" was in line between them. The 32's all opened on Rowan's ships at long range, but he steamed boldly up and at a half mile ran up on the masthead of the flagship the signal, "Dash into the enemy!" Crowding on all steam and firing as they went, the Union captains sailed in. The Black Warrior fired a few rounds and then burst into flames. The gunners of the fort ran away, and by the time a naval crew got there to take their places their friends and enemies were so hopelessly mixed that they dare not fire a shot for fear of hurting their own people. The Confederate flagship Seabird started to fly away, but the Commodore Perry—fitly named—with the heroic Flusser on the bridge, ran her down and sunk her. Five out of six vessels were captured or destroyed. The hero of the day was Gunner's Mate John Davis of the Valley City. A Confederate shell tore its way into the gunroom and set the woodwork on fire. Davis had been serving powder from an open barrel, and with the flames darting about and sparks flying in all directions he threw himself across the opening of the barrel head, covering it with his body until the fire had been subdued.



ADMIRAL ROWAN.

GEORGE L. KILMER.

Fighting For Acadia.

Feb. 11, 1747, is noted in colonial annals as the date of a desperate struggle between New England colonists and the French in Acadia. Bands of New Englanders, numbering when united about 600, had made their way to Minas, where they were lodging in the houses of the settlers waiting for the opening of spring to commence a campaign and expel the French. In the height of the Canadian winter 350 French, led by De Villers, marched across the snow and ice from Cumberland, a marvelous journey of seventeen days. When warning reached the New Englanders at Minas, they refused to believe that the French could stand the rigor of a winter's march.

Arriving at Minas, De Villers told off ten detachments to attack the first ten houses. It was after midnight and snowing at the time, so that the sentinels on guard could not see the assailants until they were within rifle range. The French dashed through the fire, killed the sentinels and forced in doors and windows with axes. The leader of the New Englanders, Colonel Noble, arose from his bed, and with his officers fought until overpowered and killed. Noble, his brother and three others fell together. In this attack 70 of the New Englanders were killed, 60 wounded and 70 captured. The French lost 7 killed and 14 wounded. De Villers was shot through the arm. Next day the defenders of the remaining houses made several sorties to recover the ground, but finding themselves cut off from their ship and stores, with only a day's food and eight rounds of ammunition in hand, capitulated. They were allowed to march out with the honors of war and return to Boston.

GEORGE L. KILMER.

Office of Citizens' Organized Aid Association, 101 North Avenue.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE DAILY PRESS:—Just at the time when the Winter is at its worst, when all the defense that warm clothing, warm houses and good food can yield is most needed: When in-door work is scarce and out-door work is impossible: When every charity should and must be doing its utmost: *Just now*, that is to say, the funds of this association are practically exhausted. True, all bills are paid to February 1st: True, again, we do not use or need a large sum of money—only about $500 annually—since the association aims rather to help its beneficiaries to become self supporting than to give alms: But *what we do need, that* we must have and have at once. And if the community believes our work to be in itself wise and useful, and wisely and usefully conducted, then the least the community can do is to support that work with sympathy and money, especially money.

We solicit subscriptions for annual memberships at $2.00, or for life-memberships at $50.00: We earnestly hope for forty or fifty annual "sustaining" members at $10.00 each, since we should then have a solid basis for regular business. But we will gladly receive for any sum from $1.00 upward, *for the need grows greater as the mercury goes lower.*

H. P. REYNOLDS, Treasurer.

Feb. 11th.

Cupid, the little god of love, will be given tribute in The Daily Press tomorrow by a special copyrighted St. Valentine's page, of literary and artistic excellence.

The best fiction by the modern masters is copyrighted to Daily Press service, in the six-day serials which have become so popular. Rudyard Kipling will tell his newest tale in Friday's and Saturday's issues; and Mrs. Alexander will begin a powerful novel in Saturday's issue also. You don't want to miss 'em.

To the largest and best newspaper in Union County, the Elizabeth Daily Journal, The Press is indebted for the article from Frank Bergen's pen, printed in this issue, on "Condensed Government". It is an able review of a novel theme, and will be read and discussed with thoughtful consideration by voters of both parties. The Journal was so neighborly as to lend The Press the use of the type in which the article was already set.

A valuable library for Jerseymen is a collection of the Annual Reports of the State Geologist. The volume for 1893 has just been issued, and is a credit to the painstaking research of Geologist John C. Smock and his assistants. There is just one way to know New Jersey, and that is through these geological reports. Accompanying the latest volume is a series of valuable maps, including one which shows the territory of the extinct mammoth lake Passaic, which it is believed once covered the central New Jersey interior.

"She Couldn't Marry Three."

The above title seemed to arouse the curiosity of the New York public, so much so that on the opening night the house was packed to the doors. The success of the play was instantaneous, and during the entire New York engagement the theatre was crowded. The play is an unqualified success; the scenery beyond anything seen yet; the company a powerful and evenly balanced one, and Miss Lillian Kennedy as the heroine "Bess" presents a characterization which for histrionic ability has never been surpassed on the American stage.

The experience of Geo. A. Apgar, of German Valley, N. J., is well worth remembering. He was troubled with chronic diarrhoea and doctored for five months and was treated by four different doctors without benefit. He then began using Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, of which one small bottle effected a complete cure. It is for sale at Reynolds's pharmacy, Park and North aves. T. S. Armstrong, manager

Read Papers on China.

A most interesting missionary service was held yesterday afternoon under the auspices of the Woman's Foreign Missionary Societies of the Presbyterian churches in the chapel of the First Presbyterian Church.

Mrs. Milliken, president of the First Presbyterian Church society, was in charge and conducted the devotional exercises. The subject under consideration was China, and representatives from the various churches read papers as follows:

Methodist, Mrs. Luckey; Congregational, Mrs. Dwight; Trinity Reformed, Mrs. Schenck; Baptist, Mrs. Wyckoff; Presbyterian, Mrs. Pruden.

Mrs. Remsen reported for the Christian Endeavor work in China and a letter was received from Mrs. Morris in India, who is supported by the Missionary Society of the Presbyterian churches of Plainfield.

The service closed with sentence prayers by the women.

Young Women to Make Sweets.

The young women of the Presbyterian churches will give an exhibition of candy making, and conduct a sale of the same, in the Crescent Avenue Church parlors, Tuesday afternoon and evening, March 5. In the evening there will be an exhibition of live dolls. A large committee of which Miss Tracy is chairman have the matter in charge.

Dig Out the Hydrants.

During the last snowstorm a number of hydrants in the borough have been completely buried with snow. The North Plainfield authorities would do well to follow the example of Chief Doane, in uncovering and testing them for the protection of the borough property in case of fire.

Luncheon Muffins

(Miss Parloa's recipe)

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Cleveland's, the best that money can buy.

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Chronic Diarrhoea

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are prepared to cure. Yellow wrappers when bowels are loose, white when constipated. 25 cents at druggists'. Send 10 cts for a free sample.

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EARLY INTELLIGENCE.

—An adjourned business meeting will probably be held by the Reform Club tomorrow.

—Unity Lodge, No. 102, K. of P., will confer the second rank on one candidate this evening.

—A new house for $500 down (balance on easy payments) is offered by F. H. Martin of 61 Sandford avenue.

—Sing Toy, of the North avenue Chinese laundry, has gone to Newark to be treated by the Chinese medicine man.

—The carriages at the Mundy-Addis wedding yesterday were in charge of Adam and James Blair, and the service was highly creditable.

—Special Lincoln exercises were held in the North Plainfield Public School yesterday. There were recitations by Miss May Linbarger and Everett J. Peck.

—Daniel Manley of West Third street was taken with a violent hemorrhage on Somerset street last evening and was taken home in a hack by his friend Patrick O'Keefe.

—S. VanFleet has moved from his store opposite the Babcock Building to the store formerly occupied by George Musgrave. Hop Lee, the Chinaman, has taken Mr. VanFleet's former store.

—A trained goat will be put up at raffle in Ellis Campbell's club-house tonight; and tomorrow evening the "Sons of Rest" will give a goose supper with goat trimmings at the same well-known hostelry.

—The Camera Club furnished real enjoyment to their friends last evening when they gave an exhibition of the Newark slides. Rev. T. Logan Murphy in explaining the views added much to the pleasure of the large audience.

—The Grand Lodge, Knights of Pythias, will hold their annual session in Trenton Wednesday and Thursday of next week. A. C. Pope will represent Perseverance Lodge, No. 74, and Charles DeGraw, Unity Lodge, No. 102, of this city.

—Leggett, the druggist, corner of Park avenue and Front street, has a full line of absolutely pure toilet soaps, which he is selling at 15 cents a cake, or six cakes for 75 cents. Everything usually found in a first-class drug store can always be found at this old-established house, and his prices are always right.

—J. W. VanHorn of Duer street, who resigned his position as collector for the Prudential Insurance Company, ask The Press to tell the people of Plainfield that he has not gone out of the insurance business so far as the writing of policies is concerned, but that he is still writing policies for fire and life insurance in any good company in existence.

—"The Simple Story of How to Build an Electric Motor at Home" is the title of a serial now running in the Detroit Electrical Student. The story of how to build motor No. 2, and the battery to run it, told in language a child can understand, begins with the issue of March 2. Give the boys a chance. Electricity will be the biggest bread-winner of the 20th century. Perhaps your boy, if he gets a start, will make it his life work. The Student is a crisp little weekly for amateur students of electricity. $1 a year. Five subscriptions will bring the sender castings and material for one motor ready to be built, freight prepaid. Student Publishing Company, 33 Lafayette ave., Detroit, Mich.

Died After His Golden Wedding.

John Flannery, who with his wife celebrated his golden wedding a week ago Saturday, died yesterday in his 71st year. The funeral takes place Friday at 3 p. m., from the house. The Knights of Pythias, of which he was a member, will attend. Decedent was a landmark in Scotch Plains, and a mainstay of Goodwill Lodge, K. of P. He is father of Ted Flannery, the East Third street blacksmith.

Marvelous Results.

From a letter written by Rev. J. Gunderman, of Dismondale, Mich., we are permitted to make this extract: "I have no hesitation in recommending Dr. King's New Discovery, as the results were almost marvelous in the case of my wife. While I was pastor of the Baptist Church at Rives Junction she was brought down by pneumonia succeeding la grippe. Terrible paroxysms of coughing would last hours with little interruption and it seemed as if she could not survive them. A friend recommended Dr. King's New Discovery; it was quick in its work and highly satisfactory in results. Sold by L. W. Randolph druggist. Regular size 50c and $1; our price 45c and 90c

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria.
When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria.
When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria.
When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

REMOVAL.

Dr. Lighthill begs leave to give notice that he has removed to

NO. 132 CRESCENT AVE.

(a few doors from his former location) where he can be consulted on all chronic diseases of whatever name and nature.

Dr. Lighthill refers with pardonable pride to the success of his practice in Plainfield and submits below a few of the many testimonials which he has received from grateful patients. A mass of similar ones can be seen at his office.

AN ALMOST MIRACULOUS CURE.

The Statement of Mr. Edward Teel, Jr., of Dunellen, N. J.

TO THE PUBLIC:

From a sense of duty I desire to call public attention to the almost miraculous cure which Dr. Lighthill effected in the case of my wife. For eleven years she had been afflicted with piles of an unusual severe and distressing character. She suffered every day of her life the most intense pain, attended with frequent and profuse hemorrhage. This state of things debilitated her entire system until she became a perfect wreck of her former self.

We made every effort to obtain a cure but they all resulted in bitter disappointment, although a number of physicians of excellent reputations for skill in that direction had treated her case. She grew worse and worse all the time, the pain became perfectly unbearable and I felt she could not bear the strain of her condition much longer. In this extremity, a friend of mine, Mr. W. E. Dilts, a resident of Roselle, N. J., a passenger conductor on the New Jersey Central told me that he had been similarly affected, and had been permanently cured by Dr. Lighthill, after other medical skill had failed. He assured me that the doctor would cure my wife, no matter how severe her case may be, and his prediction proved perfectly correct. In spite of her desperate condition, Dr. Lighthill, I am glad to say, has effected a complete and perfect cure in her case, and has given her new life.

Since the cure has been effected she has gained in health and strength and is so improved in appearance that her friends scarcely recognize her. They all consider her cure as almost miraculous, and Dr. Lighthill's praise is heard on every side. Our gratitude to Dr. Lighthill is unbounded and we only hope that other sufferers may be benefited by this publication.

EDWARD TEEL, JR.

A Flattering Testimonial from Colonel John Dietrich, One of Plainfield's Oldest and Best Known Residents.

16 ARLINGTON PLACE, Plainfield, N. J., July 17, 1894.

I am profoundly grateful to Dr. Lighthill for his speedy and radical cure of a most painful malady of over ten years standing with which I was afflicted.

I deem it proper to say to all afflicted to place themselves under the care of this skilful physician and be permanently cured.

I will cheerfully impart any information I possess when called upon.

JOHN DIETRICH.

Mr. Thomas Callahan of No. 214 Richmond street Cured of a Very Distressing Trouble by Dr. Lighthill.

PLAINFIELD, N. J., June 1, 1894.

TO THE PUBLIC:

For some time past I have been greatly distressed with noises in the head. They were all over my head and troubled me constantly; they were loudest at night when everything was quiet and at such times would often keep me from sleep and disturb my rest. In fact they got to be so bad and distressing that they affected my whole nervous system as well as my health. I did not obtain the least relief until I placed myself under the care of Dr. Lighthill, of No. 132 Crescent avenue, who effected a complete cure in my case in a short time and made me a very happy man.

THOMAS CALLAHAN, 214 Richmond street.

A Card From Mr. T. R. VanZandt, of Nos. 304 and 306 Park ave., Plainfield, N. J

I certify with pleasure that Dr. Lighthill has effectually cured me of a most painful case of piles. For some time past I had been subject to its attacks, but the last attack was so exceedingly painful that it completely upset my whole system. The pain extended to my legs and in many other directions, and made me so nervous that I could neither sleep, sit down, lie down or move about without serious discomfort and distress. Such was my condition when I applied to Dr. Lighthill for relief, and I am glad to say that as soon as he took hold of my case, I began to improve, and in a short time found myself completely cured. Dr. Lighthill has also effected a radical and permanent cure in a most terrible case of piles on my cousin, Mr. J. V. R. Griggs, of Rocky Hill, N. J., whose flattering testimonial is in Dr. Lighthill's possession.

T. R. VAN ZANDT, 304 and 306 Park avenue.

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FORMAL OPENING OF OUR

Grocery Department!

MONDAY, FEB. 11.

A few plain remarks in connection with this new departure we think is opportune.

A few months ago I rented and fitted up at a heavy expense my present elegant and spacious stores, with the intention of giving Plainfield a department store second to none in the State.

As I have progressed from one improvement to another, I find that if I fulfill my plan, I must, of necessity, add a first class Grocery Department, in order to compete with New York and Brooklyn department stores, as many of my patrons are buying these goods there, and I desire me to furnish them with their Groceries together with their Dry Goods, Housefurnishings, etc.

I am very much surprised as I have talked to people in regard to this movements, to find that there is such a large proportion of this trade going to New York department stores, and I shall make a strong effort to induce it to remain at home—where it belongs.

I shall do all I can to counteract the too prevalent idea abroad that Plainfield is an expensive place to live in on account of the high prices on articles of food, as real estate agents often say they are obliged to meet this objection when trying to sell or rent houses to New York and Brooklyn people.

We shall, therefore, sell our goods, which will always be of the best quality to be had, at what may be known as cut prices

Introductory Specials!

At 6c Can	One lot Bedford Park tomatoes, good quality... / One lot string beans, good quality... / One lot sugar corn, good quality...	At 6c Can

Bahama sliced pineapples, very fine, worth 30c at ... 19c can
California free peaches, standard goods, at ... 19c can
Soda crackers, first quality, at ... 5c pound
Ginger snaps, " ... 6c pound
Ground coffee, good quality ... 24c pound
Very best Old Government Mocha and Java coffee ... 34c pound
Mixed tea, regular 40c quality, for ... 29c pound
" " 45c " ... 34c pound
Very fine Oolong tea, regular 60c quality, for ... 49c pound
Very fine Young Hyson tea, regular 70c quality, for ... 59c pound
Oyster Bay asparagus, flat cans, for ... 19c pound
Edsall's baking powder, warranted to give satisfaction, ¼ pound 4c; ½ pound 7c; 1 pound 12c

While they last, 3c each.	Just received—another lot of white plates, all sizes and perfect; 50 dozen coffee cups and saucers, St. Denis shape. As long as they last.	While they last, 3c each.

Cork Filled

During this month we will offer all of our Burt & Packard

Double Sole Cork Filled Men's

$5 Shoes for $3.98 per Pair.

Just the shoe for you to wear without rubbers up to the first of May. Sizes 5 to 11; widths B to E; styles, narrow, round and Common Sense toes.

See our window Saturday for specials.

DOANE & EDSALL.

THE WEATHER.

For Tomorrow: Fair, Slightly Colder, Westerly Winds.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

C. P. Rutherford of Evona is recovering from an attack of the grip.

Mr. Beach of Watchung avenue is confined to the house with the grip.

Mrs. Theodore J. Runyon of 411 West Fourth street is ill with the grip.

Mrs. George Thatcher is confined to her home with an attack of the grip.

E. P. Williams of West Seventh street has gone to Albany on a business trip.

Miss Mabelle Smith of Westervelt avenue is suffering from a sprained wrist.

Announcement is made of the engagement of Miss Addie Corlell to Merton F. Lunger.

Miss Ida Dunham is confined to her home on Arlington avenue with an attack of the grip.

Miss Florence Marsh of Plainfield avenue will give a social to her friends Friday evening.

Thomas Reid of the West End has accepted a position as agent for the Prudential Life Insurance Company.

Louis DeCamp of Plainfield avenue, an employe of the Potter Press Works, is confined to his home with the grip.

The engagement is announced of Miss Emma Kurzhals and Arthur G. Adams. The marriage will take place soon.

Mrs. John Drayton of Franklin place is ill with the grip. Her infant daughter is suffering from an attack of bronchitis.

D. F. Stewart of John street, although painfully ill with neuralgia, continues to perform efficiently his duties at Hope Chapel.

George Firstbrook of Essex street, who has been traveling through Massachusetts, expects to arrive home on Saturday

Mrs. Barnes, mother of Mrs. D. F. Stewart, who has been ill since New Year's Day, is recovering under the care of Dr. Simpson.

The marriage of Miss Fanny Westphal, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Westphal, to George Gray of Brooklyn, will take place next month.

The little son of Walter Walker of Chatham street is quite ill from an attack of pneumonia, but Dr. Carman, who is in attendance, hopes soon to effect a cure.

John Daly and W. S. Gibson of this city spent yesterday on the Brazilian steamship Hildebrand, on which Mr. Daly took his departure for Para, South America.

J. C. Pope of West Fourth street is the latest to succumb to the grip. He was stricken suddenly yesterday afternoon at his office, and today he is unable to be out.

Thomas Henry of the West End, who has been lately employed by The Pond Machine Tool Company, has gone to Pittsburg, where he has secured employment as a machinist.

Miss Louie M. Leggett of Princeton, who has been visiting friends in New York city, came to Plainfield yesterday for a few days visit with her brother, J. Howard Leggett of West Front street.

Samuel Q. Lawson of West Seventh street, who is spending the Winter in New York city, was in town Monday looking after his property and seeing if any damage was done by the blizzard.

Mr. and Mrs. George L. VanEmburgh of East Second street were called to Chester, Orange County, N. Y., Monday, to attend the funeral of James Roe, a niece of Mrs. VanEmburgh. They are expected home tomorrow.

A letter received today by Andrew W. Johnson gives no hope for the recovery of his mother, "Aunt" Hetty, who is at the home of her other son, Russell, in New York city. Her heart is very much affected, and she refuses the most tempting dishes prepared by those who are doing their utmost to prolong her life.

Formerly a Plainfielder.

Richard Lannitz Pirsson died at his residence, 34 West Sixty-sixth street, New York, Sunday morning, aged 48 years. The cause of death was peritonitis, and a distressing symptom was hiccoughs, which continued with much violence for two days. Mr. Pirsson was born in New York and had lived here all his life.

For several years he had been a dealer in granite at 19 Park place. He was a nephew of J. H. Morris of West Chester. Mr. Pirsson is survived by a widow and two children. He lived in 1886 at old No. 70, East Fifth street, next to Rev. Dr. J. L. Hurlbut.

$100 Reward $100.

The reader of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly on the blood and mucous surface of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer $100 for any case that it fails to cure.

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Upset, But Happy.

A gay party of Plainfield's young people met at the home of Lester Baldwin of Rockview avenue last evening and went to Westfield on a strawride.

Just before reaching Westfield the sleigh turned out of the bad ruts in the middle of the road and tried to drive at one side but the incline proved too great and the young people were spilled out into the snow. Fortunately the team was not going at a high rate of speed, and Louis Cooley had the presence of mind to spring at once to their heads, while the rest of the party gathered themselves up and climbed back to their places in the sleigh. No one was seriously injured, although there were sundry bruises and strains. The young people then righted the sleigh and proceeded on their way sedder but somewhat wiser.

The Misses Bessie Baldwin, Mabelle Smith and Louis Cooley acted as chaperones.

The rest who enjoyed the evening's experiences were Miss Eleanor Williams, Miss Elsie Smith, Miss Marion Safford, Miss Maud Honeyman, Miss Nellie Schutt, John Hull, Aubrey Hull, Lester Baldwin, Fred Bonny, Langdon Howard, Charles Turrill and Douglass Drake.

The Musical Club.

Mr. and Mrs. B. O. Bowers of LaGrande avenue entertained the Musical Club at their lovely home last evening, and a programme of high merit was enjoyed. It included the following:

Violin Solo—The Post, Schubert—Arthur Freeman; vocal solo—'Twas April—Miss Delphine Bowers; zither and violin solos—Miss Benz and Mr. Petrie; vocal solo—Hark, Hark, the Lark; Who is Sylvia, Schubert—Mrs. Collins; violin solo—Schubert's Serenade—Mr. Petrie; vocal solo—Arthur Freeman; zither and violin solos—Miss Benz and Mr. Petrie.

At the conclusion of the above the club partook of refreshments daintily served. An evening of rare pleasure was thus brought to a close.

Funeral of Miss Terry.

The funeral services of Miss Tillie Terry were held yesterday afternoon from her late home on Richmond street. Rev. Cornelius Schenck conducted the ceremony.

A very large number of friends and relatives were present, attesting the high esteem in which decedent was held.

There were several floral tributes among which was a handsome pillow from the Independent Fife and Drum Corps, and a beautiful bunch of roses and smilax from the Women's Relief Corps. The pall bearers were: A. Wilson, Arthur Adams, Henry Adams and Herbert Bodine.

Interment was in the Methodist cemetery.

A Dinner to Miss Cox.

Yesterday afternoon Mrs. Marion Ackerman gave a dinner at her home on Ninth street to a few select guests in honor of Miss Cox of New York. The occasion was one of pleasant social intercourse. The dining tables were decorated with American beauty roses, and the trimmings were of the same color, lending a bright effect to the cozy room. Max Wiertz catered.

The following were present: The Misses Dumont, Corey, Lawrence, Waldron, and Walz, Messrs. Munger, VanBuren, Walz, Wharton, Waring, and Dr. B. VanD. Hedges.

Dance in Friendship Hall.

A largely attended and very enjoyable dance was held in Friendship Hall, New Market, last evening. Guests were present from Elizabeth, Jersey City, Bound Bound, Somerville and Plainfield. Quite a large party went in a sleigh from this city and enjoyed the pleasant ride as well as the dance which followed.

Frazee's orchestra furnished excellent music throughout the evening, and the merrymakers did not disperse until a late hour. The affair was under the efficient supervision of Messrs. Egle, Van Dorn, Brant and Faulks.

The State Convention.

The opening meeting of the Y. M. C. A. convention will be held in the First Baptist Church tomorrow evening. The meeting will begin at 7:30 sharp, with a service of song conducted by B. Frank Butts, after which Rev. Dr. Lewis of Plainfield will make an address of welcome to the delegates. Rev. Dr. D. J. Burrell, pastor of the Marble Collegiate Church of New York city, will deliver an address at 8:30, which no one should fail to hear.

To Get the Styles.

John H. Doane, who always keep in touch with the latest happenings in the shoe world, a fact by which his customers frequently profit, has gone to New York today to inspect several leading lines of Spring and Summer footwear, and also to select a complete line of tennis, bicycle, and other sporting goods for the coming trade.

—The Uniform Rank, Knights of Pythias, will hold a brigade meeting at Trenton next Tuesday for the election of officers and the transaction of other necessary business.

—The adoption degree will be conferred tonight by Paugh-Cangh-Sinque Tribe, No. 133, I. O. R. M. Special features will also be introduced later in the evening and a good time is assured to all brothers who attend.

Mrs. Emily Thorne, who resides at Toledo, Washington, says she has never been able to procure any medicine for rheumatism that relieves the pain so quickly and effectually as Chamberlain's Pain Balm and that she has also used it for lame back with great success. For sale at Reynolds's pharmacy, Park and North aves. T. S. Armstrong, manager.

—The trial of the Welsh-Kane shooting case is now on in Elizabeth.

—The ever-welcome robin was seen yesterday on the Martine property, Park avenue, near Cedar brook.

—A delightful sociable was enjoyed in Third Street Mission last night. The Misses Manning were given an ovation for their music, and much applause was bestowed on all the other entertainers.

—Zachariah Wilson has exchanged his property on Manning avenue for the house which formerly belonged to the late Mrs. Ann Wooden at Warren and Chatham streets, through the agency of Richard Corlell.

—Howell Division, No. 97, Sons of Temperance, held an interesting session in their rooms last night. George Schafer was taken into membership, and two names were proposed. A committee was appointed to perfect arrangements for giving a social on the evening of March 7.

—Hyde's meadows were covered yesterday afternoon and evening with crowds of swiftly skimming skaters, whose animated faces and many colored mufflers combined to make the ever changing kaleidoscopic picture one of unusual attractiveness to the crowds of onlookers who lined the banks.

BROOKLYN'S CITIZENS OBJECT.

Greater New York Opposed—No Instalment Consolidation for Them

Albany, Feb. 13.—The senate cities' committee yesterday gave a hearing on the Greater New York bills. Mr. Dykeman for the Citiens Loyal league of Brooklyn representing 55,000 enrolled names opposed both bills. He said Brooklyn's people wanted no such union as that proposed. The city led in the fight for good government and did not want a share in New York's wealth. He did not think the Stranahan-Green commission had been faithful. It was created as a commission to inquire into the desirability of union but changed itself into a body to appeal violently for votes and called itself the Greater New York commission.

They held out the bait of an equal tax rate and so was on the skirmish line by false representations. The Lexow bill violates every principle of home rule. Its advocates seem afraid to trust the people and so come to Albany for legislation. If the Lexow bill passes every function of the board of aldermen in New York which are exercised by supervisors elsewhere will come to an end. This result makes it unconstitutional. The Reynold's bill is equally objectionable. The people don't want consolidation by installments. The people should pass on the question by voting on the proposed charter.

He Was Out of Work.

Pittsburg, Feb. 13.—Henry Stahlberg, a carpenter, 51 years of age, residing at 198 Otem street, Allegheny, committed suicide last night by hanging himself with a silk handkerchief to the bed post in his room. Despondency over failure to secure employment and inability to meet the payment of a mortgage on his property, was the cause. He leaves a widow.

They Will Call at Cherbourg.

Hamburg, Feb. 13.—The Hamburg-American Steamship company has arranged to have its steamers call at Cherbourg on both eastward and westward passages. The Western railway of France will run special trains to Paris in connection with the steamers. The new plan will not affect the Southampton service.

Charged with Embezzlement.

Washington, Feb. 13.—The chief postoffice inspector ha received a telegram announcing the arrest at Lewistown, Pa., of James Gilmore, late postmaster at Broken Bow, Nebraska, on the charge of embezzlement.

Another Verdict for Dr. Kennedy—A Philadelphian Cured of Gravel.

Philadelphia, Pa., Item.

Since the investigations of the claims made for Dr. Kennedy's Favorite Remedy by the press, they have received letters from every State in the Union, and find the remedy fails in few cases.

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One of our best known citizens, Mr. John J. Neill of No. 2437 North Eighth street, was a sufferer from gravel, in speaking of his case, said: "I had a very bad attack of gravel, and Dr. David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy, taken about one month completely cured me. I cannot say too much in its favor."

Favorite Remedy is prescribed with unfailing success for all diseases brought about by an excess of uric acid in the blood. In rheumatism, dyspepsia and nerve troubles, it has made many cures that were considered beyond the aid of medicine. Dr. David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy can be obtained of all druggists at $1 a bottle or six bottles for $5.

There Was No Trouble.

James Caufield of Johnston avenue declares, and his guests corroborate him, that the christening party at his home was a most orderly and pleasant event. The story of the neighbors that there was disorder, is emphatically denied by all the parties interested. The Press regrets to have been misinformed in its previous publication concerning the matter, and cheerfully gives Mr. Caufield the benefit of this correction.

Earl's Clover Root will purify your blood, clear your complexion, regulate your bowels and make your head clear as a bell; 25c., 50c. and $1. Sold by all druggists.

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Ladies Committee Elect.

At a meeting of the ladies permanent committee, an auxiliary of the Y. M. C. A., yesterday afternoon, the following officers were elected: President, Mrs. Henry Maxson; Vice-president, Mrs. J. Wesley Johnson; Secretary, Miss Embury; Treasurer, Mrs. J. H. Manning. It was decided that the work of the organization should be decided among the following committees: Rooms, Visitation of the Sick, Boys Work and Social Work. The members of the committees will be appointed at a future meeting.

—The Young Men's League of Hope Chapel will give an oyster supper in the near future.

ADVERTISED LETTERS,

February 11, 1895.

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Collins Minnie	O'Brine Sarah
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Gilroy A	Randolph R B F
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Mrs. Dr. Edwards

on account of the weather is compelled to remain in Plainfield one week longer, but will leave positively next

Saturday, Feb. 16,

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DEATHS.

BURR—In this city Tuesday, Feb. 12, 1895, Mrs. Margaret Conrad Burr, wife of the late Frederick A. Burr.

Relatives and friends are respectfully invited to attend the funeral from her late residence, 417 Kensington avenue Thursday, Feb. 14, at 3 p. m. Train leaves foot of Liberty street at 1:30 p. m.

SCHNEIDER—Tuesday, Feb. 12, 1895, at the residence of her son, John Ammon, 305 East 4th st., Elizabeth Schneider, in the 73d year of her age. Notice of funeral hereafter.

FLANNERY—In Scotch Plains Feb. 12, 1895 John Flannery, in his 71s year.

Funeral services will be held from his late residence in Scotch Plains, Friday, Feb 16, at 2 p. m. Relatives and friends, also the Knights of Pythias fraternity, are invited to attend. 2

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3c Sale 3c in Basement 3c

Any article on our 5c counter for 3c for one week only. We wish to inform you that this department is below our first floor and prices below other houses.

Glassware.

7 piece fruit set 50c, regular price 75c.
7 piece water set 90c, regular price $1.25.
7 piece lemonade set $1.39, regular price $1.75.
Initial tumblers, fine blown glass, 98c doz.

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A $2.50 toilet set for $1.96
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56 piece tea set $3.45, former price $4.50.

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Our 25c worsteds 28 in wide, 15c.
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NOTICE.

To the Township Committee of the Township of Fanwood, in the county of Union and State of New Jersey:

The petition of the New York and Philadelphia Traction Company respectfully represents that it desires to construct, operate and maintain a railroad, with one or more tracks and necessary turnouts, to be operated by electricity or other motive power except steam, and to erect necessary poles, conduits and wires, power plant and necessary buildings along and upon the following named streets, avenues, lanes, roads, highways and public places in the township of Fanwood, to-wit:

Beginning at the intersection of Park avenue and Mountain avenue in the township of Fanwood, and running thence southeasterly along Park avenue to its intersection with Midway avenue.

Beginning again at the intersection of Forrest avenue or road with Midway avenue and running thence southeasterly along said Forrest avenue or road, to its intersection with North avenue, near the Fanwood station of the Central Railroad of New Jersey.

And for that purpose prays that the permission of your honorable body may be granted to it, to construct, operate and maintain such railway, to be operated by electricity or other motive power, except steam, upon and along the above named streets, avenues, lanes, roads, highways and public places within the said township of Fanwood.

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DRAMA AND OPERA.

PLAYS THAT ARE OCCUPYING THE BEST THEATERS IN NEW YORK.

Most of Those Named Will Have Long Runs and be Heard of Later On the Road. The Old Homestead Leads All. One Case of Comic Opera.

Of actors whose names are printed as big in the bills as the titles of the plays in which they appear, we have a good variety on the New York stage, and the entertainments they offer are uncommonly attractive. H. Beerbohm Tree and several members of his company have done so well with "A Bunch of Violets" at Abbey's that no change will be made for some time. Mr. Tree and some of his actors took a flying trip to Washington and took part in a charity matinee, returning in time for the evening at Abbey's.

William Gillette still fools the mother-in-law in "Too Much Johnson" at the Standard. That jolly farce has been put into German for use in Berlin, and now it is said that it is to be brought out at the Paris Cluny in French. The Parisians will then have an opportunity to judge of Mr. Gillette's alterations of the original piece, which was acted in Paris several years ago.

Fanny Davenport will continue the highly dramatic and pictorial representations of "Gismonda" four weeks longer at the Fifth Avenue. Her artistic taste and business enterprise are being well rewarded. William H. Crane will later come to this theater for a month with "His Wife's Father," a comedy thoroughly Americanized by Martha Morton from a German piece that has been successful in Berlin.

Kathryn Kidder is still enacting at the Broadway, in "Madame Sans-Gene," the semi-histrionic woman who rose from laundress to countess, and figured at the court of Napoleon Bonaparte. This comedy is fortunate to be here at a time of revived interest in Napoleonic subjects. It is a good illustration of people and scenes in the period of the first empire, and so is a lesson as well as an entertainment.

Ada Rehan is dividing honors with Henry E. Dixey at Daly's, where she is the principal comedian in "The Orient Express," and he is the chief burlesquer in "A Tragedy Rehearsed." Mr. Daly has written his version of "The Critic" up to date, putting in some jokes of what he would probably style "contemporaneous human interest," and providing pretexts to travesty "Trilby" and other current things.

Denman Thompson is on his legs again and they are not lame enough to hurt his performance of the New Hampshire farmer in "The Old Homestead," at the Star. The long life of that drama is marvelous, but it can be accounted for because the homely, honest humor and sentiment appeal again and again to audiences with small loss of effect through repetition. The expectation is that no other play will be needed at this house until late in the spring, if at all this season.

Of the plays that depend upon their own merits aided only by a general excellence of a company in which no one member is dominant, "The Masqueraders" is the oldest in the length of its stay here. Its hundredth performance at the Empire is not far off, and tokens to be distributed then are being made.

"The Fatal Card" was a bold melodramatic experiment, considering that no such work of harsh sensationalism has ever been presented at Palmers; but our fashionable public, ever ready to be pleased with a novelty, has joined with other sorts of people in going to see this play of crime and explosion. Its term has been extended to March 11, and then Mrs. Langtry will follow with "Gossip," an English adaptation of a German piece, the original of which is Italian.

"The Case of Rebellious Susan" remains on trial at the Lyceum, and the wife's plea of innocence, only filed recently, seems to incline people to hear the evidence over again. This play with a purpose teaches its lesson indefinitely, perhaps, but with much merriment, and no comedy at the Lyceum has been better treated in the acting.

"The District Attorney" is extremely well acted at the American, where it is retained indefinitely. The Americanism of the Klein-Fiske drama is thorough and complete without being rampant, the theme and characters belong to New York, and the work is excellent stagecraft. The timeliness of the subject, the authors explain, is entirely accidental. The work was completed before the Lexow disclosures had been made, and the play's illustration of political methods was planned without any thought of Parkhurst.

"A Milk White Flag" at Hoyt's will have an actor new in the role of the Colonel who boasts that Napoleon looked like him. This successor to Mr. Stanley is Harry Conor, who has been the hypochondriac in "A Trip to Chinatown" ever since that farce began. The season of the present play at Hoyt's will end in three weeks, and then will come the Frohman production of "The Foundling," with Cissy Fitzgerald dancing and Annie Russell in a short piece to precede it.

"The Twentieth Century Girl" has been submitted at the Bijou to the process common to travesties, that of eliminating poor matter and putting in that which is amusing. A batch of songs were sung for the first time last week, and Bettina Girard joined the company. Mr. Lederer says he is looking for another theater in which to produce "The Mimic World," in order not to disturb the present entertainment, which will be good for months.

"Rob Roy" is sure to reach a 150th performance, as mementos are already promised for that occasion. Dave Warfield is now the town crier, but the cast remains unchanged in other respects. This is the only comic opera now in the city, and it is getting the reward of monopoly. By and by "The Vale of Avoca," which has been produced out of town, will be brought to the Herald Square.

"Little Christopher" holds its place tenaciously at the Garden, and its 150th performance is only a week off. Souvenirs then, of course. The variety show imbedded in the burlesque is a good one, containing a judicious selection of original and other specialties.

LINWARD.

Grammatical Discussion.

Young Arduppe—Is it right to say "deem" or "consider," Miss Arress?

Miss Arress—Oh, both are allowable. For instance, I deem you a nice young man; but I cannot consider you at all.—Indianapolis Journal.

A VETERAN OF THE WAR.

The Reason of His Refusal to Draw a Pension From Uncle Sam.

He entered the ranks of a volunteer regiment in 1861, became a captain before the close of the first year of his service, fought in many battles, was wounded time and again, was twice promoted for gallantry on the field, and was the colonel of his regiment when it was disbanded at the end of the war. Soon afterward he went into business, made an unexpected success in it through his energy and perseverance, raised and trained a family, enjoyed life as the years passed, accumulated a fortune before he was 60, and has at last come to the conclusion that he will take things easy as the nurse of three fads so long as he lives.

"Do you draw a pension colonel?" he was asked by one of the friends of his boyhood.

"A pension!" he replied, promptly. "No, sir, I wouldn't take it. The pension ought to be on the other side in my case, and I'd like to give a pension to the government to which I owe everything, from my health to my bank account, from my scars to my self assertion. You know what a raw, timid, shambling, careless, useless weakling I was when I was a youngster, forty years ago, up in the Green Mountain State. I was good for nothing, couldn't learn the trade at which I was put, got only $2 a week with board, which was mostly mush and maple molasses, and would have kept on in that way all my life. At Lincoln's first call for troops I got excited and joined the regiment, which was made up of Green Mountaineers. We wore the uniform and drilled and shouldered arms and fired our guns and waited for the rebels. I had to straighten up and keep step, and keep my eyes and ears open, and go through the drill, and obey orders, and live on rations, and sleep in a wooden barrack, and salute the colonel, beside lots of other things. In three months I had become a different Vermonter. I was quick as a flash and orderly as a martinet; I could shoot at a mark and hit it; our company was better drilled than any other in the regiment, and I was one of the best men in it. I had become a soldier, eager to fight for Vermont and the American Union. We were sent to the front. I marched like Napoleon Bonaparte or Ethan Allen, and was not afraid of old Jeff Davis or any other rebel in Dixie. We were sent to the front; we soon had a skirmish, in which I got that scar on my face, but I was out of the hospital in three days fuller of fight than ever. That made me a corporal, and I can tell you that I knew I was one. We had bigger battles after a while, and I had a hand in two of them. I had found out what war was. Before the end of the first year of service I was made the captain of a company in place of a captain who had been shot. There was one scrap after another in one State or the other. There were hard duties, rough fare, long tramps, short encounters, dangerous raids, grewsome scenes, and all kinds of experiences in camp and field. I began to feel like a veteran of the Moscow campaign. I was hardened and bronzed, and held several bullets under the skin, two of which I carry in my pocket. It would be a long story, but I became colonel of the regiment, and you wouldn't have known the trifling, shambling youngster who was your friend up in Vermont when we were there together. After four years, when the enemy had been laid low, we were all mustered out of service, and I took hold of the first business that came to hand and had good luck in it, with vicissitudes.

"Take a pension from Uncle Sam for making a man of me! I wouldn't draw it. I owe our uncle of the starry flag everything I have in the world, and I'd like to pay him a pension. He drilled me and trained me, and put me in the way of evolution, and made me practical, and taught me the need of order, and gave me vigor, and he gave me my keep while he was doing it, beside fair pay after I got up. If it hadn't been for him, I might have been getting $6 a week by this time, in Vermont, with milk and maple molasses; but our old friend Tom, who didn't enter the army, is still scratching gravel or less than that. As for the disabled men of our regiment who need a pension from Uncle Sam, I am glad they get it."

SPECULATING ON TIME.

Cycling Authorities Look for a Mile to Be Ridden in 1:25 This Year.

Bicycle racers, after reviewing the records created during last season, are speculating as to where the one mile figures will be placed this year. Racing authorities in this country predict that, with such men as Johnson, Bald, Tyler, Sanger, Titus, and L. Calahan in harness the one mile track record will be lowered to 1 minute 25 seconds. When Willie Windle reduced the mile record to 2:25 in 1890, and in the following year lowered it to 2:21, the performance was regarded as marvelous.

In England early in 1892, when F. J. Osmond, the English champion, rode a mile in 2:16, it was not deemed possible to put the record under two minutes. Now the system of record breaking has been improved, and while some remarkable one mile records may be made upon special straightaway courses this year, it is the track record that is interesting the majority of riders.

The Pope's Health.

Pope Leo XIII has authorized his physician, Dr. Lapponi, to communicate to the medical faculty such information about himself as may be of interest to them. Dr. Lapponi says that the Pope's health at the present time is perfect, as it has been for nearly the whole of his long life; his eyesight is so good that he can read without glasses; he looks fragile, but is stronger than might be imagined; he needs but little sleep, not more than three or four hours a night; his mind and memory are in the best condition; he is an indefatigable worker, attending to the details of his world wide duties every day of the year.

What Dr. Lapponi says about the Pope's habits of living is very interesting. He is exceedingly abstemious in his diet. For breakfast a cup of coffee with bread; for dinner, soup, a modicum of meat, and a vegetable, with a small glassful of Bordeaux wine; for supper, soup with bread, and the same quantity of wine. For a man 85 years old, or, indeed, for an intellectual man at any time of life, there could not be a better dietary.

Past and Present.

There was a time when every maid
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For Baltimore only 1 37 p. m., week-days.

For Newark and New York—3 02, 5 24, 5 46, 6 17, 6 45, 7 0?, 7 20, 7 49, 7 57, 8 06, 8 28, 8 38, 8 47, 9 17, 9 41, 9 48, 10 20, 10 38, 10 49, 11 07, 11 48 a. m., 1 13, 1 20, 1 56, 2 24, 2 40, 2 45, 3 27, 3 47, 4 43, 5 15, 5 36, 5 48, 6 08, 6 27, 6 48, 6 58, 7 07, 7 25, 7 59, 8 [illegible], 9 10, 9 50, 10 03, 11 03 and 11 56 p. m. Sundays 3 02, 5 24, 7 54, 8 45, 9 20, 9 47, 10 12, 10 38, 10 49 a. m., 12 35, 1 44, 2 33, 2 48, 3 45, 4 38, 5 24, 5 48, 7 05, 7 12, 7 25, 7 58, 8 30, 9 15, 10 16, 11 45 and 11 56 p. m.

For New York only, 6 10 a. m. daily.

For Philadelphia—1 00, 6 57, 7 19, 9 05, 9 36, 11 43 A. M.; 1 05, 1 37, 3 33, 5 [illegible], 6 26, 7 45, 8 49, 9 39 P. M. Sundays at 1 00, 6 59, 9 05, 9 36, 10 41 A. M.; 5 40, 6 37, 7 47 and 9 41 P. M.

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For New Brunswick—1 00, 6 57, 7 10, 7 59, 9 05, 9 36, 9 50, 11 43 a. m., 12 35, 1 37, 2 48, 3 59, 4 38, 5 08, 5 4?, 6 06, 6 45, 7 46, 9 39 and 11 03 p. m. Sundays, 1 00, 6 59, 9 05, 9 36, 9 49, 10 41 a. m., 12 50, 1 50, 5 40, 7 47, 9 16, 9 41 p. m.

For Woodbridge—1 43 a m daily except Monday, 6 44, 9 46, 10 59 a.m., 12 46, 3 20, 4 53, 5 44, 6 12, and 7 20, 9 54 p.m., 12 27 night, week-days. Sundays, 1 43, 10 26, and 11 47 a. m., 10 14 p. m.

For Perth Amboy—1 43 a m daily except Monday, 6 44, 9 46, 10 59, 12 46, 3 20, 4 53, 5 44, 6 12, 7 20, 7 36, 9 54 and 12 27. Sundays, 1 43, 10 25, 11 47 a m, 10 14 p m.

For East Millstone—7 10 a. m., 12 35, 2 48 and 5 40 p. m., week-days.

For Trenton—1 00, 6 57, 7 10, 7 59, 9 05, 9 36, 11 43 A. M.; 1 05, 1 37, 2 48, 5 08, 6 26, 7 46, 8 49, 9 39 P. M. Sundays at 1 00, 6 59, 9 05, 9 36, 10 41 A. M.; 5 40, 6 37, 7 47 and 9 41 P. M.

For Lambertville, Phillipsburg and Belvidere via Trenton—7 59 A. M., 2 48 and 6.36 p. m., and 5.40 p. m. Sunday.

For Flemington—7 59 A. M.; 2 48 P. M.

For Freehold—7 59, 11 43 a. m., 4 38, 5 08 p.m., via. Monmouth Junction, week-days.

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Leave Plainfield 3 14, 5 37, 5 59, 6 05, 6 2?, [illegible] 7 18, 7 30, 7 58, 8, 8 15, 8 27, 8 51, 8 46, 9 32, 10 04, [illegible] 11 19, A. M., 12 06, 1 18, 2 07, 3 [illegible], 3 12, [illegible] 4 50, 5 54, 6 54, 7 08, 8 30, 9 23, 10 17, [illegible] P. M. Sunday—3 14, 5 37, 6 05, 8 01, 8 52, 10 [illegible] 1 28 A. M., 12 38, 1 45, 3 30, 5 26, 5 36, 7 11, [illegible] 8 32, 10 17 P. M.

Leave New York from foot of Liberty street, 4 30, 6 00, 7 15, 8, 8 40, 9 10, 10, 11 45, A. M., 1 10, [illegible] 2 30, 3 30, 3 45, 4, 4 30, 5, 5 15, except Saturday, [illegible] 5 45, 6, 6 15, 6 30, 7, 7 30, 8, 8 30, 9 15, 10 15, 11 30 [illegible] 12 15, 1, night. Sunday—4 30, 7 15, 8 30, 9 [illegible] M., 12 M., 1, 2 15, 4, 5 30, 7, 9 00, 10 00 P. M., 12 [illegible] night, 1 A. M.

PLAINFIELD AND NEWARK.

Leave Plainfield 5 59, 6 29, 6 59, 7 26, 7 30, 8, [illegible] 9 32, 10 04, 10 27, A. M., 12 06, 1 18, [illegible] 2 30, 3 12, 3 51, 4 50, 5 54, 6 54, 7 08, 8 30, 10 [illegible] 11 28 P. M. Sunday—8 01, 8 52, 10 06, 11 28, A. M., 12 38, 1 45, 3 30, 5 36, 7 11, 8 29, 8 32, 10 17 P. M.

Leave Newark 6 10, 7 18, 7 55, 8 39, 9 03, 10 [illegible] 11 35 A. M., 1 15, 1 35, 2 30 Saturday only, 3 [illegible] 4 05, 4 40, 5 04, 5 24, 5 50, 6 20, 7 15, [illegible] 10 05, 11 35 P. M. Sunday—7 20, 8 44, 9 [illegible], 11 [illegible] A. M., 1 10, 2 35, 4 10, 5 40, 7 20, 9 25, 10 25 P. M.

Passengers for Newark change cars at Elizabeth.

PLAINFIELD AND SOMERVILLE.

Leave Plainfield 5 45, 7 10, 8 16, 9 54, 11 a.m., 12 [illegible] 2 08, 2 32, 3 45, 4 36, 5 05, 5 14, 5 34, 6 04, 6 19, 6 35, 7 13, [illegible] 8 21, 10 26, 11 23, P. M. 12 38 night Sunday—5 45, [illegible] 9 54, A. M., 2 03, 3 35, 5 14, 6 35, 10 16, 11 14 P. M.

Leave Somerville, 6, 6 30, 7 00, 7 26, 7 55, [illegible] 8 30, 9 06, 9 48, 11 40 A. M., 12 51, 1 45, [illegible] 3 25, 4 25, 5 28, 6 36, [illegible] 7, 8 45, 11 05, P. M. Sunday—8 25, 9 45, 10 55 A. M., 12 08, 1 20 5 05, 6 45, 8 03, [illegible] 9 40 P. M.

PLAINFIELD AND EASTON

Leave Plainfield 5 45, 8 16, 9 54, A. M., 12 46, 2 08, [illegible] 5 14, 6 35, 8 21 P. M. Sunday—5 45, 8 26 A. M. [illegible] 6 35, P. M.

Leave Easton 6 05, 7 00, 8 53, A. M., 12 32, 4 04, 7 [illegible] P. M. Sundays—7 15, 10 52, A. M. 6 40, 7 30, P. M.

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Leave Plainfield 9 54, a. m, 5 05 p.m

WESTWARD CONNECTIONS.

LEAVE PLAINFIELD.

5 45 A. M. for Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport and Tamaqua.

7 10 a. m. for stations to High Bridge, connecting for stations on High Bridge Branch.

8 16 A. M. for Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9 54 A. M. for Flemington, High Bridge branch, D L & W R R, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Pottsville, Nanticoke, Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c. Through coach to Williamsport.

12 46 p. m. way for Easton, connecting at Junction for stations on D. L. & W. R. R.

2 08 P. M. for Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Sunbury and Williamsport, Wilkes-Barre and Scranton. Buffet parlor car to Mauch Chunk.

5 05 p. m., way for Easton, connecting at High Bridge for stations on High Bridge branch

5 14 P. M. for Flemington, Easton, Bethlehem, Bangor Allentown, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, Mauch Chunk Shamokin and Tamaqua, Buffet parlor car to Scranton.

6 19 P. M. for Flemington.

6 35 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading and Harrisburg.

8 21 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

5 45 A. M. Sunday for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Wilkesbarre and Scranton. 8 26 a.m. Sundays for Easton, 2 08 p. m. Sundays for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Reading and Harrisburg, 6.35 p. m. Sundays for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, &c. and at Junction for D. L. & W. R. R.

For Atlantic City, 3 37 a. m. 1 18 p. m.

Long Branch, Ocean Grove, &c

Leave Plainfield 3 37, 8, 10 27, a. m., 1.18, 3 51, 5 54, p. m. Sundays—(except Ocean Grove 8 52, a. m., 3 30 p. m.

For Perth Amboy, 3 37, 5 38, 8 10 27 a. m., 1 18, 3 51, 4 50, 5.54, 7 08 p.m. Sunday—8 [illegible] a. m., 3 30 p. m.

For Freehold, 3 37, 8, 10 27 a.m., 1 18 3 51, 4 50, 5 [illegible]

ROYAL BLUE LINE.

Leave Plainfield for Philadelphia, 5 45, [illegible] 9 48, 10 45, a. m., 2 08*, 5 34* [illegible] 8 21, 9 37* p. m., 1 12, night. Sundays—5 45, [illegible] a. m., 2 08*, 5 14*, 6 45 p. m., 1 12, night.

For Trenton 5 45, 8 44, 9 40*, 10 45, a. m., 12 [illegible] 2 08*, 5 34*, 6 35*, 8 21, 9 37* p.m., 1 12 night. Sunday—5 45, 9 54, a. m., 2 08*, 5 14* 6 [illegible] p. m., 1 12 night.

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Reading terminal, 4 10, 8 30, 9 50, 11 35 a.m., 1 30, 3 [illegible] 5 15, 6 04, 8 25 p.m., 12 10, night. Sundays—4 10, 8 30, 9 50, 12 35 a. m., 3 50, 6 00, 8 [illegible] p. m., 12 10 night.

From 24th and Chestnut—3 55, 7 58, 9 21, 11 19, a.m., 3 10, 6 12, 8 10, 11 45 p. m. Sunday—3 55, 7 58, 12 19 p m, 3 50, 6 12, 8 10, 11 45 p. m.

Leave Trenton, Warren and Tucker sts., 1 [illegible] 4 58, 9 06, 10 25, a.m. 12 15*, 2 10, 4 28*, 5 54, 9 [illegible] p. m. Sundays—1 00, 4 58, 9 06, 10 27 a. m. 1 15*, [illegible] 6 48*, 9 03 p. m.

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Ex-Speaker Reed Introduces a Bill Providing For a Popular Loan Subject to Recall At Any Time. Lafe Pence to Be a Monopolistic Vice-President.

Congressman Lafe Pence, of Colorado, who is one of the most prominent young members of the House, and who has been conspicuous during the present Congress as one of the leading lights among the Populists, has been elected vice-president of the Port Jervis, Monticello and New York Railroad, which runs from Port Jervis to Monticello, including a branch from Hugenot Junction to Summitville. It is understood that he will be also elected vice-president of several other roads belonging to the Haines system at the annual meeting of the directory to be held soon. Under this new arrangement Mr. Pence will make his home in the East, and he will probably be located at Kinderhook, N. Y., which is the home of the Haines brothers. Congressman Pence has been selected for the vice-presidency of these different railways through the influence mainly of Congressman Haines, of New York, who regards him as one of the brightest young men of his acquaintance.

Senator Don Cameron has long enjoyed the reputation of being the most successful log roller in Congress, and his abilities in that line are now being put to a severe test. When Mrs. James G. Blaine a few weeks ago made a ninety-nine years' lease of the property on which stood the historic old house in which her husband died, to a party of Chicago capitalists as a site for a new theater building, Mr. Cameron was much annoyed. The Blaine property adjoins his charming old residence on Madison place, and, although he had not opposed Mrs. Blaine in her desires to dispose of her property, he was none the less indignant. The Senator layed low as usual, however, and only lately his plan for preventing the erection of a theater has become known. An amendment has been offered to the sundry civil appropriation bill by Senator Gray, providing for the purchase of the site of the old Blaine house by the government, as it adjoins the vacant lot next to the Department of Justice building. The argument for the passage of the amendment is that the government needs another vacant lot for some future purpose, and that therefore it should be secured before the theater building is erected. The friends of the lessees of the Blaine property are making a strong fight against Senator Gray's amendment, which has been referred to the committee on public buildings and grounds, of which Senator Cameron's chum, Mr. Vest, is chairman, and his colleague, Mr. Quay, a member.

Ex-Speaker Reed's financial scheme was made public by the introduction of a bill in the House. In support of it Mr. Reed said it was possible that the science of statesmanship might be exhibited in the administration bill, but the art of statesmanship certainly was not. What was needed was a measure that would meet the crisis, if there was a crisis, in national affairs. Legislation to provide the necessary amount of revenue to meet expenses would have prevented the present difficulties. The cause of the trouble was not the existence of $500,000,000 of demand notes; they were a mere bagatelle as compared with the ability of the country to pay. The first cause of the trouble was the passage of the tariff bill, which has so far resulted in a deficiency of $107,000,000 in revenues. The next and other cause was the management of the treasury, by which the business department, in the absence of revenues, drew upon the reserve of the banking department, instead of borrowing money on its own account to meet the demands upon it. "The President in this exigency," said Mr. Reed, "has appealed to Congress, and we are face to face with the situation. We are willing to help our country, irrespective of party advantage, but it must be done in accordance with what we believe to be right, proper and honest." The trouble, Mr. Reed said, was due to the reissuance of greenbacks after being redeemed, together with a failure of receipts to meet expenditures. The remedy for the trouble was, in his opinion, to separate the two departments of the treasury, and give to the business department sufficient receipts to meet the expenditures. The proposition which he had to make was, that to meet the deficiency in receipts, the Secretary of the Treasury should be authorized to issue 3 per cent. certificates of indebtedness in sums of $50 or $100, and multiples thereof, leaving the gold in the banking department untouched for the redemption of the greenbacks. This would enable the people to determine whether or not they really wanted gold in exchange for greenbacks, and their possession in the treasury might be a guide to know what to do with them in the future. The surplus which Secretary Carlisle predicted, if it should come to exist, could be used to take up the certificates of indebtedness, which might be of two years' duration, or even less if desired. The advantage this plan presented over the present plan of procedure—popular rumor crediting the issue of $100,000,000 within a few days—was, said Mr. Reed, that these certificates would take the place of long-time gold bonds. Should the government desire to redeem them that would be just the time when they would go up, and a premium would have to be paid for them. The bill proposed by Mr. Reed contains the following: "To enable the secretary to pay the current expenses of the government, so long as the current revenues shall be deficient, he is authorized and required, from time to time, in his discretion, to issue, sell and dispose of, at not less than par, such an amount of certificates of indebtedness of the denomination of $25, $50, and $100, or any multiple thereof, as may be needed for that purpose, bearing not to exceed 3 per cent. interest per annum, payable semi-annually, and redeemable at the pleasure of the government, in coin, after two years from their date, with like qualities, privileges and exemptions provided in the act approved Jan. 14, 1875. The secretary may, at his discretion, sell and dispose of the same for not less than an equal amount of lawful money of the United States, and at such postoffices as he may select, and the secretary shall use the proceeds thereof for the purpose provided for in this section, and for none other." ROGER LEWIS.

Overgroomed.

A Chicago paper rudely remarks that a lady there who has been married three times in a single year is overgroomed.

METROPOLITAN NOTES.

Interesting Facts and Opinions Chronicled by the Daily Press of New York.

Since the introduction of the use of anti-toxine in diphtheria and croup cases a marked decrease in the mortality of children suffering from the two diseases has been noticed by the board of health. From Dec. 15, 1894, to Jan. 12, 1895, the total number of cases reported was 933, with the number of deaths as 273, or 29 per cent.

From Jan. 12 to Jan. 26 640 cases were reported, of which 119 proved fatal. The death rate, however, was reduced to 21 per cent.

For the manufacture of anti-toxine guinea pigs are needed. Fanciers, who dealt in pigs, have supplied the market, but the supply is not equal to the demand.

Fame and fortune, the health authorities say, await the boy who will raise guinea pigs for use in the laboratory. Seventy-five cents is paid for a healthy pig two months old. A pair for breeding purposes cost $1.50.

The female litters four times a year, with four in a litter, but one of the number dies shortly after birth. It is almost impossible to get a guinea pig for use in the laboratory at present.

Fanciers have been compelled to send to other cities in order to meet the demand made upon them by the makers of anti-toxine.—N. Y. Sun.

Mr. George Gould is the only member of his family who has ever displayed any decided liking for the more cheerful side of life. Ever since his return from Europe he has been moving continually from one sport or entertainment to another. Recently he has been taking a party of society people through Canada in a private car, having just finished a season of stag and fox hunting. There is a well-grounded rumor abroad that he will not only be as prominent as ever in the yachting world next season, but that he is going into horse racing on a lavish scale. Neither of his brothers displays any particular interest in sports, but the head of the Gould family has grown to be a decided enthusiast. Long before his father's death he was a daily visitor at the New York Athletic club. He is something of an authority on boxing and on the finer points of track athletics. Toward the close of the elder Gould's life, however, his oldest son devoted himself almost exclusively to business. It was not until he purchased the Vigilant that Mr. George Gould developed to the fullest extent a love of sports.

Many women have visited Trinity cemetery, 155th street and Amsterdam avenue, in the past few days to see the marvelous "blanket of flowers," which was said to "cover the casket" of Mrs. Wm. Waldorf Astor, and which was to be "renewed every morning for a year" by Mr. Astor's order. Mrs. Astor was buried on Jan. 9, not in a vault, but in a grave, in the northwestern corner of the Astor plot. On the day of the funeral the mound of earth was covered with pine boughs. The evergreens have not been removed, and except at one corner, which has been uncovered by inquisitive visitors, the grass is covered with snow. The laborers in the cemetery have swept a path through the burial plot, and about the grave a path has been trodden by men and women. All this annoyance and disappointment is due to Joseph Fleischman, a florist. On the morning of the funeral he told the reporters that he had the contract to supply fresh flowers every day for a year for the grave. For this he was to receive $100 a day, he said, and in all he would receive $40,000 from Mr. Astor. On the day after the funeral Mr. Fleischman sent to the newspaper offices a typewritten story of the alleged contract given to him by Mr. Astor. He was, he said, to furnish 4,000 fresh lilies of the valley and 4,000 violets each day. He repeated this statement, and then, being confronted with the facts, admitted that he had invented the whole story.

LEBANON COUNTY ENGLISH.

The One Defect of a Pennsylvania Dutch Beauty Who Was an Heiress Also.

"The most beautiful girl I ever saw, either in face or form," said the bachelor doctor, "was over in the good old Pennsylvania Dutch county of Lebanon. I met her at a party, and fell in love with her even before I knew that she was worth $100,000 in her own right and before I had been introduced to her. The moment I saw her I was resolved to try and win her. I was dead gone. I couldn't rest until I was introduced.

"An embarrassing silence followed the introduction. I had expected a friend at the party, and hadn't seen him. I broke the embarrassing silence by asking my enslaver if she had noticed whether he was present. A flush deepened her cheeks. Her beautiful eyes grew brighter. Teeth of matchless white gleamed between her red lips as she opened them to reply. And this was what she said:

"I haven't saw him, yit. I guess he hasn't come already."

"That was good Lebanon county English, but somehow I didn't try to win the girl."

Those Irrepressibles.

It was at a large party. A gentleman had the misfortune to break a glass. Little Lena, who was standing near her mamma, raised herself on tiptoe and whispered, loud enough for all the company to hear:

"And one of the borrowed ones, too!"

Later in the evening the hostess gave one of her little daughters a nice apple.

"Now, give your mamma a kiss, there's a dear," said the child's uncle.

"I'm not allowed to when she's painted her face."

Little Paul was sent with a bunch of flowers to the manager's wife on her birthday, and waited in silence after he had been dismissed.

Lady—Well, my young man, what are you waiting for now?"

Paul—Mamma said I was not to ask for a piece of birthday cake, but wait till I got it.—Tagliche Rundschau.

Almost an Accident.

"Speaking of narrow escapes," observed Mr. Chugwater, reaching for his second cup of coffee, "did I tell you I was on a train the other day that came within three feet of being run into by another train going full speed?"

"For mercy's sake, no!" exclaimed Mrs. Chugwater. "How did it happen?"

"The train that came so near running into ours," he rejoined, buttering a biscuit, "was on the other track and going the other way."

It was several minutes before Mrs. Chugwater broke loose, but when she did she made up for lost time.—Chicago Tribune.

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IN SEARCH OF A MOTHER

Miss Wright's Cruel Sepation from Her Parent.

Her Mother Disowned for Marrying a Music Teacher, and When Widowed, Was Forced To Part with the Infant Child on Account of Her Destitute Condition.

Jersey City, Feb. 13.—A western lawyer sent to Counselor Frank P. McDermott, of this city, a letter yesterday containing a curious story of a daughter who is anxious to find her mother. The young lady is Miss Jennie Wright, who is 18 years of age and resides in Green Falls, Mont., but her parents lived formerly in this state.

Miss Wright's story, told to her counsel, B. F. Turner, who communicated the facts to Mr. McDermott, is substantially as follows: Her mother was an only daughter of wealthy people and when quite young married her music teacher, in opposition to her parents wishes. After the marriage the couple removed from New Jersey to New York city, where three children were born to them. Shortly afterward the father died, leaving the widow without any means to support her young family.

The widow was too proud to appeal to her parents for assistance since they had disowned her after her marriage to the music teacher, and in her desperation she applied to the aunt of her dead husband for assistance and this aunt advised her to give the children to people who were able and willing to care for them.

Gave Up Her Children.

Seeing no alternative and broken with grief, suffering and privation, she reluctantly consented to part with her little ones. The youngest child, Jennie, then a mere baby, was wanted by a family providing they could adopt it without the mother learning the name, and the aunt readily consented and the child was handed over to them without the mother ever having seen the people to whom her baby was given. In some way the story of the widow's destitute condition reached her parents' ears, and at once they sent for her and the children.

Great was their sorrow when their daughter told them that she had been obliged to give baby Jennie away to strangers whom she did not know.

A vigorous search was made for the baby, but in vain. The family who had adopted Jennie learned from the aunt who made the transfer that they were being sought after, and they suddenly left New York city for the west, where they have resided ever since.

Jennie's foster parents have never revealed her mother's name. The young woman's first name is the one given to her by her mother but that of Wright belongs to her foster parents.

Miss Wright winds up her story by saying, "Nothing will please me so much as to hear from my mother."

EXILES WANT DAMAGES.

Cranston Denies the Dynamite Story Claiming It Was "Hatched."

Vancouver, B. C., Feb. 13.—Cranston, Mueller and Johnston, the three exiles from Hawaii, have entered suit against the captain of the steamer Warrimoo and the Canadian Australian Steamship company, for $50,000 each. They claim false arrest and imprisonment, that they were not given a trial, and that they were held as prisoners on the Warrimoo without any warrant whatever.

Cranston was seen by the United Press representative in reference to a statement contained in a Washington dispatch, in which he is charged with having designed to use dynamite. When asked about the matter, Cranston laughed and said there was no truth in it whatever. He said the story was hatched so that some excuse might be given for their unjustifiable treatment.

Did They Exceed Their Power?

Chicago, Feb. 13.—The argument in the Pullman quo warranto case was resumed yesterday in Judge Baker's private chamber. Attorney Runnells, representing the company, continued his arguments in support of the pleas filed in answer to the bill of the attorney general. Mr. Runnells spent most of the forenoon reading authorities and contended that the company had not exceeded its corporate powers.

This Fire a Mystery.

Mount Holly, N. J., Feb. 13.—The large winter hotel at Browns-Mills-in-the-Pines, owned by the Forest Springs Hotel company, was entirely destroyed by fire yesterday together with its contents. There was no one living in the hotel and there is no clue to the origin of the fire. As the place has no fire department, it was impossible to save the building. The loss is $150,000, insurance unknown.

La Gascogne's Captain Gets a Medal.

Paris, Feb. 13.—The directors of the General Transatlantic Steamship company have voted a gold medal to Captain Baudelon of the steamship La Gascogne, and have adopted resolutions expressing their felicitations on the skill, courage and sang-froid shown by him on the perilous voyage just ended.

"What Fools These Mortals Be."

Altoona, Pa., Feb. 13.—About 30 Hungarian miners employed by J. L. Mitchell & Co., near Bens Creek, gathered in one of their shanties yesterday and proceeded to get on the outside of several jugs of whiskey. The celebration wound up by John Cushua being shot through the heart and instantly killed by one of the party.

Robbed a Country Store.

Norwich, Conn., Feb. 13.—The country store of W. E. Manning, Bozrahville, was burglarized last night. The burglars entered by a back window. They carried away $18 in cash, two coats and about $25 worth of goods.

The Thermometer's Freak.

Denver, Feb. 13.—Early yesterday the thermometer registered 20 degrees below, the coldest in Denver's history. At noon the cold spell broke and the thermometer rose to 30 above.

THE END IS NEAR.

Brooklyn's Strike Almost Over—Strikers Waive All Demands.

Brooklyn, N. Y., Feb. 13.—The trolley strike in this city is practically over. President Lewis of the Brooklyn Heights Railroad company will decide to-day whether it should be carried on any longer or not when he gives his answer to a proposition that was submitted to him by Judge James Tighe and ex-Assemblyman James F. Graham.

The men appeared for D. A. 75 and offered a proposition to the effect that the men now on strike should be taken back to work. They were closeted with Mr. Lewis and the directors of the company for about two hours.

In the proposition the men ask for nothing more than that they be given a chance to go back to work and they waive all of the demands they made when they went on strike. They ask, however, that when a non-union man leaves the company his car will be given to the oldest man in the company's employ.

President Lewis promised Mr. Tighe and Mr. Graham that he would answer their proposition to-day. After Mr. Tighe and ex-Assemblyman Graham left Mr. Lewis' office the latter called the board of directors together for the regular monthly meeting. It is said that the proposition made by the men was talked about and that all of them seemed to be satisfied with it.

IN MEMORY OF LINCOLN.

His Natal Day Generally Observed in Speech Making.

New York, Feb. 13.—Yesterday was "Lincoln Day," observed in most cities with speeches from prominent men. The traits of character in Abraham Lincoln made him famous as a leader and master in the greatest crisis in our country's history. Lincoln had, while on this earth, sublime faith in the people. He walked with them, reasoned with them, he recognised the importance and power of an enlightened public sentiment and was guided by it. He, unlike many of the present day, invited rather than evaded examination and criticism.

Lincoln, as a statesman was a true democrat. He would not sell his party for so many pieces of silver. It would be useless to review the story of his life, for the world knows that by heart. It is the pride and possession of every American citizen, rich and poor, black and white, without distinction and without exception.

In his composition there was nothing of hatred, nothing of envy, nothing of jealously, nothing but a boundless charity and boundless love toward all. He lived a great life, he worked great deeds and at that supreme moment, he died a great death. If our noble hero could return to this world and examine the political situation of this country, what would he say? Echo answers what?

BRADY ON TRIAL FOR MURDER.

Miss Maloney Testified To Witnessing the Shooting of Perdue.

Norwich, Conn., Feb. 13.—The trial of Alexander Brady, charged with fatally shooting Frederick C. Perdue, a soldier from Fort Trumbull, on the night of May 13, 1894, at New London, was begun in this city yesterday. Drs. Hiram B. Thomson and Elisha Munson testified to the fatal nature of the wound in Perdue's left breast. William H. Burke, a New London policeman, testified that Brady charged Lizzie Maloney with the crime and asked that she be taken to the Winthrop hotel and locked up, as she was weak-minded and confinement in a cell would make her crazy.

Miss Maloney testified that she witnessed the shooting, that she was with Perdue when he was shot, and identified Brady as the man who shot him. Said she knew him well.

Miss Kate Ann Sullivan identified Brady who said to her on the night of the murder, as she approached: "Keep off, or you'll be shot."

AFTER TREASURER TAYLOR.

He Misappropriated over $367,000 of South Dakota's Money.

New York, Feb. 13.—The state of South Dakota is plaintiff in an action just begun in the supreme court of this state to recover a judgment for $250,000 against the sureties on the official bond of W. W. Taylor, the defaulting treasurer of South Dakota.

Taylor had been state treasurer for two years, and his term expired in January last. Prior to the qualifications of his successor, he disappeared, and an examination of his books revealed the alleged fact that he had misappropriated more than $367,000 of the state's money, which, as treasurer, he had received from sales of bonds and other state obligations. No trace has been found of him and it is the general impression that he has fled either to Central or South America.

N. & W. Railroad Embarrassed.

Philadelphia, Feb. 13.—Fred J. Kimball and Henry Fink, who were recently appointed receivers of the Norfolk & Western Railroad company were yesterday appointed ancillary receivers by Judge Dallas in the United States circuit court to take charge of the company's property in this district. The security was fixed at $40,000.

Seventeen Prisoners Escape.

Huntington, W. Va., Feb. 13.—Seventeen prisoners escaped from the Cattlesburg, Ky., jail last night by a tunnel that they had dug under the bastile. Two of them are charged with murder. Three were recaptured later. The surrounding country has been warned to look out for the others.

Give Time To Repent.

Fort Smith, Ark., Feb. 13.—In the United States court yesterday Bill Cook, the notorious outlaw, was found guilty on half a dozen counts and sentenced to fifty years in the New York state penitentiary at Albany. He took his sentence unflinchingly and will start for Albany to-day.

Wont Receive Catholics.

St. Petersburg, Feb. 13.—The czar caused an intimation to be given to the Armenian Catholics that he will not receive them. The Catholics who had started for St. Petersburg are therefore returning home.

Self Binding Inventor Lead.

Rochester, N. Y., Feb. 13.—John H. Gordon, the original inventor of the self-binding reaper, died in this city yesterday, aged 55 years.

DECIDES UPON A PLAN

Ways and Means Committee Will Help Carlisle.

No Gold To Be Used To Meet the Deficiency in Expenditures—The Time of Payment Kept Secret—Bimetalism Declared To Be the Policy of the Government.

Washington, Feb. 13.—The house committee on ways and means consumed one more of the ten days within which the treasury has an option to make the new bonds payable in gold, and make decided progress toward an agreement upon a plan to be reported to the house.

After being closeted for two hours with Secretary Carlisle, the committee talked over the situation, delegated the framing of an agreement to a sub-committee of three democrats and two republicans, and late in the afternoon learned that its sub-committee had dropped partisan differences and taken common ground.

The resolution reported by the quintet at the last meeting was one to authorize the secretary of the treasury to issue $62,000,000 in 3 per cent. bonds, payable in gold, with the proviso that none of the proceeds shall be used for current expenses, and the further provision, requested by Secretary Carlisle, repealing the law which requires the government to redeem national bank notes and requiring banks to redeem their notes in the first instances.

Carlisle's Administration.

Inquiry was made if there was a minority report and Mr. Reed said that there was not, although he believed a wiser plan would be to provide for increasing the revenues. Mr. Bynum (dem., Ind.) proposed his resolution as a substitute. Mr. Wheeler (dem., Ala.) offered a resolution reciting that Secretary Carlisle had admitted that the issue of gold bonds would compel all future issues to be made payable in gold, that bimetalism had been declared to be the policy of the government, that this would be an abandonment of bimetallism and therefore declaring that the committee considered it expedient to adopt the president's recommendations.

Mr. Bryan (dem., Neb.) offered another resolution recommending that the secretary of the treasury should pay all obligations of the government in either gold or silver, whichever was most convenient.

After a brief discussion the committee adjourned until this morning.

The Secretary Before the Committee.

Secretary Carlisle came before the committee shortly after 10 o'clock. He presented a type-written copy of the contract which had been called for. It was drawn in legal form, covered two type-written pages and bore the signatures of John G. Carlisle, secretary of the treasury; J. Pierpont Morgan, for J. S. Morgan, of London; August Belmont, for N. W. Rotschild, and was witnessed by Francis Lynde Stetson, of New York, formerly President Cleveland's law partner.

The principal features of the contract were made known in the president's message. Upon one point the secretary particularly enjoined the committee to maintain secrecy, and that was regarding the dates for making the payments for the bonds. He asked for secrecy, he said, at the request of the financiers who have agreed to take the bonds, and because they feared that bankers would corner the gold of the world against them at the time it would be needed if it was known and the methods by which it was to be obtained. Accordingly the committee adopted a resolution pledging its members not to reveal the terms of the document so far as it concerned the payments.

Many questions were asked the secretary, which he answered in order, giving the amounts of all kinds of money in the treasury and much other information not new.

P. T. Barnum Bought This Property.

New York, Feb. 13.—Helen B. Rennell, a granddaughter of the late Phineas T. Barnum, has brought a suit in the supreme court for a partition of a portion of the estate left by her grandfather. The property is located in various parts of Brooklyn, 1,562 feet along Irving avenue. It was purchased by Barnum in 1852, and has increased greatly in value. A portion of the estate was left to Helen B. Rennell, Caroline C. Thompson, Nancy B. Clark, Nancy Barnum and C. B. Seedley, the children of Mrs. Thompson and grandchildren of Barnum.

Demanded Their Share.

Pittsburg, Feb. 13.—The Banksville coal miners in the Saw Mill Run district, to the number of 600, are out on strike for an advance in the rate of mining coal to 79 cents per ton. The miners had heard of fancy prices being charged for coal during the cold weather and demanded their share of the advance, which was promptly refused by the company.

Wants a Greater Troy.

Troy, N. Y., Feb. 13.—The Citizens' association of this city has decided to present a bill to the legislature for the formation of a greater Troy. It is proposed to take in West Troy, Green Island, Lansingburgh, portions of North Greenbush, and Brunswick. This would give the greater Troy a population of over 100,000.

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CHEESE—Firm. State, full cream, fancy, 11¼c.; common to fair, 9@9¾c.
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Extra--Groceries--Extra.

Fresh roll butter	18c lb
Best creamery butter	23c lb
Best can tomatoes	7½c can
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" peas	7½c can
Best French prunes	7½c lb
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Beautiful new line

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Lot imported Figured Challies, formerly 50c yard, now
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Wash Silks, at
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SILK SKIRTS.
Black and colored Taffeta silk skirts, formerly $7.50 and $8, now
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Ladies' "KING" Shirt Waist.
We have just received a large assortment of this celebrated Waist, in all the latest patterns

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Address letters to the office of this paper.
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A. E. LINCOLN,
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has just received an elegant assortment of rare ferns and other plants, also bulbs of all kinds, for Fall planting. She has a large supply of cut flowers daily.

Call and see the new
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Any one placing their order for a Spalding before January 1, 1895, will receive a new
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Prospect Hill For Sale,
26 acres, or in plots to suit.
Also trees, shrubs, hedge plants, palms, Bermuda lilies, Indian azaleas, india rubber trees, etc.
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Sulphur and Vapor Baths,
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TO HONOR WASHINGTON.

Plainfield Indians Have a Good Time and Arrange for a Bigger One.

A large number assembled in Paugh-Caugh-Naugh-Sinque wigwam last night to witness the beautiful ceremonies of adoption, as exemplified on two candidates by the degree team of the tribe. The work was most excellently and impressively performed in all its beautiful detail and as a visiting member of a neighbor tribe remarked, "Nothing could have made the work more impressive and beautiful—it was perfect in every detail Paugh-Caugh-Naugh-Sinque can congratulate herself in having the finest degree team in the State".

This is flattery indeed, coming as it did from an officer of another tribe. Yet the steadily increasing membership attests the truthfulness of the remarks.

Following the adoption several interesting speeches were made by members of the tribe and plans were discussed for an entertainment to be given in honor of the Father of his Country, which will follow the regular meeting on Wednesday evening, Feb. 20, to which palefaces will be invited.

At the conclusion of the council the Haymakers held an interesting and well attended meeting, several new propositions for membership being received and many plans discussed for the furtherance of the best interests of this band of merry-makers. A small but influential member of the Hayloft strongly advocated the introduction of the Rainmakers degree, which would follow the touching ceremonies of degree 101. The matter was taken under advisement by the members, and the loft adjourned.

JUST A LOVE STORY

is what most folks like to read, if it is original in plot, and felicitously told. And it is just that kind of a love story which Mrs. Alexander, the author of "The Wooing o' It", and other powerful novels whose names are in everybody's mouth, has written in

"SETTLED OUT OF COURT".

This tale is one of the masterpieces of a masterhand. It will appear in The Daily Press, beginning Saturday, Feb. 16, and will run for six days. Do not miss an instalment. You will read the story in The Daily Press or nowhere.

Wreck on the Central.

The westbound Mauch Chunk express which passed through this city at 5:08 last evening, manned by Engineer Joe Litz and Conductor Funct with his crew, broke down half a mile east of Asbury, both sidebars of the engine dropping down from their place. Engineer Litz was badly scalded. Fortunately no one else was hurt. The train was delayed about an hour, another engine being ordered from Phillipsburg to take the place of the one disabled.

Kicked on Late Hours.

As Cabman Dick Mead pulled up to the curb at the North Avenue station this morning to take a fare who had just stepped from the 12:38 midnight express, his horse began to kick, and did not finish until he had broken the shafts and bent the dashboard. Needless to say Mead did not accommodate the fare, but pulled the disabled vehicle across the avenue, and started on horseback across the brook to procure another pair of shafts.

Killed by an Engine.

Dennis Bradley, seventy years old, while clearing snow out of switches on the New Jersey Central Railroad, opposite the freight-house in Elizabeth yesterday, was struck by a freight engine and instantly killed. He had worked on the road twenty-five years.

Still Deeply Drifted.

Teamsters who have occasion to drive along Park avenue on the outskirts of the city are much troubled in passing one another for quite a distance, owing to the high snowbanks which encumber both sides of the thoroughfare beyond Randolph road. It is especially difficult in the darkness at night.

—Franklin Council, No. 41, J. O. U. A. M., expects to make arrangements at the meeting this evening to attend the parade of Juniors in Brooklyn, Washington's Birthday.

A Des Moines woman who has been troubled with frequent colds, concluded to try an old remedy in a new way, and accordingly took a tablespoonful (four times the usual dose) of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy just *before* going to bed. The next morning she found that her cold had almost entirely disappeared. During the day she took a few doses of the remedy (one teaspoonful at a time) and at night again took a tablespoonful before going to bed, and on the following morning awoke free from all symptoms of the cold. Since then she has, on several occasions, used this remedy in like manner with the same good results, and is much elated over her discovery of so quick a way of curing a cold. For sale at Reynolds's pharmacy, Park and North aves. T. S. Armstrong, manager.

REMODELING THE BANK

Elegant New Home Planned for the First National.

GETTING DOWN TO STREET LEVEL

New Front to Be of Limestone, Light Brick and Terra Cotta, in Italian Renaissance Style — Upper Stories to Contain Fine Offices.

The improvement in the First National Bank Building, which has so long been talked of, and championed continually by The Daily Press, is at last to be accomplished, for now it has been definitely decided to make the long contemplated alterations.

At the latest meeting of the Board of Directors, Architect A. L. C. Marsh, of the firm of Marsh, Israels & Harder of New York city, submitted complete plans and estimates, prepared in accordance with the previous directions of the Board.

Chief of the alterations proposed are an entirely new front, and changes of the first and second story beam levels so as to bring the banking floor down to the street. Above the banking floor the building will have all the appointments of a first-class office building, and it will be one of the finest in town.

The style of the Italian renaissance will be followed in the design for the new front. The first story will be of limestone, and the upper portion of light brick and terra cotta, altogether making a decided novelty in the commercial architecture of Plainfield.

It is expected that within a few days contracts for the execution of the work will be signed.

STOPPED TRAINS FOR FUN.

Belcher Had a Good Time Playing with Jersey Central Engineers.

A young man who gave his name as Herbert S. Belcher and says he lives in Brockton, Mass., has been having fun with the engineers on the New Jersey Central Railroad for two or three days. He had made a practice of standing in the middle of the track between stations, jumping up and waving his arms in front of an approaching train, and then laughing at the engineer when the train was brought to a standstill.

Occasionally he varied this performance by lying prostrate on the track and compelling the train to stop. He has oscillated between the Bayonne end and Jersey City. Word was telephoned from the Bayonne police station yesterday to the Ocean avenue station in Jersey City. A policeman was sent out, and found him lying on the track near the Pamrapo station. He was taken into custody and will be held for examination by County Physician Converse as to his sanity.

TO SAVE THE PALISADES.

One Bill Protecting Them Ready for Gov. Werts.

Trenton, Feb. 13—The House today passed Senator Winton's bill intended to preserve the Hudson River Palisades, and it will now go the Governor. There is no doubt that he will approve it, since he drew it, after a personal inspection of the Palisades, in company with Senator Winton.

The act is to go into effect immediately, and the company will be restricted from blasting rock from the top of the cliff. Senator Winton says there will be no interference with the right of the quarrymen to break and sell the loose rock at the foot of the Palisades, of which there are millions of tons—enough to supply the demand for many years.

As the State owns the lands under water along shore it will be impossible to obtain grants to erect docks and wharves for the shipment of broken stone except in compliance with the conditions which the State will exact.

This bill will go far to preserve the Palisades, but Senator Winton has another pending, which provides for the appointment of a State Park Commission to acquire by condemnation and purchase lands needed for public parks or reservations. The Commissioners are also empowered afterward to dispose of such lands under restrictions and limitations. By this bill, if it is passed, the lands of the stone companies having grants along the Palisades may be acquired, and the work of destruction be ended.

Tough Digging.

The blasting done in the cellar of the Blatz house on Somerset street is said to be not as successful as supposed. Thos. McGann, who is superintending the digging, says it is money and labor lost, as the breaking up is below the frost and the top still has to be broken with sledges and wedges. It has taken two teams and from five to seven men about ten days to accomplish what could ordinarily have been done in one or one and a half days.

"She Couldn't Marry Three."

Manager Varian informs us that he is negotiating with the manager of "She Couldn't Marry Three" for three nights.

A CHARMING RECEPTION.

Plainfield Society Entertained by Mrs. Groendyke and Mrs. Foster.

The Mercer avenue residence of D. N. Groendyke afforded an aspect of cheerfulness between the hours of 4 and 7 yesterday afternoon, when a reception was given by Mrs. Groendyke and Mrs. John Gray Foster to a number of friends. The house had been beautifully trimmed with ferns and smilax, while the dining table was arranged with much taste in yellow and white. From the chandelier four yellow streamers covered with smilax descended to each corner of the dining table, and daffodils and freesia added to the fragrance and prettiness of the scene.

The donors were assisted in receiving by Mrs Denes M Van Vliet, and Mrs Scott Foster of New York, Mrs S J Hegeman of New Germantown, Mrs A W Haviland, Mrs F H Andrews, Mrs Van Nest Talmadge, Mrs James B Joy, Mrs William Stillman, and Mrs D C Ivins. At the table Mrs John M. Clark and Miss Bessie Day presided.

Among those present from out of town were the Misses Graham and Van Vliet of New York, and Miss Van Derbeek of New Germantown.

PLAINFIELD WINS.

Likewise Leads in the Race for the Journal Trophy.

Say, did you ever go fishing? If you enjoy the sport you should have been present at the Trade Temple alleys last evening and seen "Our Boys" throw out their lines, get their "hooks" into the lignum vitæ spheres and catch the pins almost as fast as the sunburned, perspiring automatons at the lower end of the alleys could put them up, while the crowd of onlookers stood around with "baited" breath, watching one after the other of the Plainfield bowlers (who only caught one crab all night) assist in piling up still another of their frequent "1600" games. No doubt the Plainfielders present would have enjoyed seeing, or rather hearing, our bowlers make an old time grand stand finish with vocal and instrumental accompaniment by Jack Petrie et als, but out of courtesy to the gentlemanly Cranford Country Club bowlers who put up a good, although a losing game, the voice of the rooters was low in the land, though they all joined in the hearty "three cheers for Cranford" proposed by Captain H. C. VanEmburgh with "tiger" aftermath, which followed the conclusion of the game.

But to particularize: the Plainfielders moored their boat to the alleys at 8:30, climbed into their fishing jackets and cleared decks for action, caught the first strike and kept gathering them into their net in one, two, three order, and loaded them into their dory to the tune of 1611 at the windup, while Cranford had only captured 1489. Yet the fact that "Ours" were victors by 122 pins does not by any means indicate that the game was devoid of interest, for there were brilliant plays on both sides.

The event of the evening was the ease with which Waters, who already as good as has the high individual average prize which is offered in the present tourney, wrought his friends up to the highest pitch of enthusiasm over his possibilities of his winning also high score (now held by Cooley, 215, of the Arthur Kulls), and let them all down again by breaking in the very last frame, when a strike or even a spare would have sent him above high-water mark. It was too bad, yet his 205 was the record score of the game last evening, in spite of the slip up. The 199 which Wilbur gathered in was rather pretty work also, if anyone should inquire about it. Last evening's game was to have been the last of the Journal Trophy series for the Plainfield boys, were it not for the postponed game with the E. B. C's of Elizabeth, the date of which is not yet announced. However our local favorites lead with 9 games won, 2 lost and one to play, and the trophy is practically theirs unless extraordinary hard luck should tie them for fist place, which is hardly within the range of probabilities.

The score:

PLAINFIELD.		C. C. C.	
VanEmburgh	170	Cox	147
Buckle	123	Dohrman	155
Barnes	172	Voorhis	155
Maltby	144	McCounell	147
Petrie	153	Miller	143
Wilber	199	Heleker	115
Pope	170	Lawrence	182
VanAlstyne	142	Sharp	148
Watters	205	Rogers	152
Vail	133	Page	145
	1611		1489

BY FRAMES:

Plainfield..157 308 471 655 800 980 1159 1314 1459 1611
Cranford..151 308 427 562 708 869 1006 1162 1322 1489

Scorers—H. H. Coward and S. W. Damon.

O. W. O. Hardman, sheriff of Tyler Co., W. Va., appreciates a good thing and does not hesitate to say so. He was almost prostrated with a cold when he procured a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. He says: "It gave me prompt relief. I find it to be an invaluable remedy for coughs and colds." For sale at Reynolds's pharmacy, Park and North aves. T. S. Armstrong, manager.

FESTIVAL OF DAYS.

Pleasant Social Event in the Seventh-Day Baptist Church Parlors.

The church parlors of the Seventh-Day Baptist Church were well filled last evening with an appreciative crowd who came to attend the "Festival of Days" given by the Women's Sewing Society of that church.

The class rooms were turned into booths representing the days of the week. The first one, Monday, was under the able care of Mrs. Charles Dunham, who was assisted by Miss Grace VanSickle. Above the booth was the word "Monday" formed with clothespins, while those in charge sold soap, blueing, clothespins and other like articles.

The next booth contained a large Tuesday in beeswax, and at the counter Mrs. Hattie Stillman sold gingham aprons, flatirons and beeswax to the passersby.

A large Wednesday in letters made of spool labels attracted attention to the third booth, where under the charge of Mrs. F. A. Dunham and Mrs. Maxson the many notions needed on mending day were sold.

Thursday was represented by a sweeping-day booth under the charge of Mrs Van Syckle where sweeping caps, brooms, aprons and the like were for sale. Whisk brooms were artistically arranged above the booth to form the word Thursday.

The next one was the candy booth where delicious home-made candies were dispensed to the throng of generous customers who surrounded it the whole evening. Miss Bessie Titsworth assisted by Frank Hubbard was in charge of the sweets. The candy was all made by the young women of the church and every one pronounced it a success.

And last but not least was the restaurant prettily decorated in red with the waitresses in white caps and aprons. Here a bountiful dinner could be secured and largely was it patronized by the good people of the church. This successful department was under the control of the following: Miss Lena Tomlinson, Miss Mabel Maxson, Miss Grace Lewis, Mrs. Joseph Miller, Mrs. Robert Gorton, and Miss Ernestine Smith.

JINGLE BELLS.

One Young Man Lost His Hat, and They Say Some Lost Their Hearts.

Although the sleighing was far from the best, a happy party of the young people of this city met at the residence of Miss Bertha Thorn on Craig place, and there clambered into a large boxsleigh preparatory to a strawride. After a very pleasurable ride almost to Springfield, the sleigh was turned about and the homeward journey begun. On the way they stopped at a Scotch Plains hotel, and enjoyed a dance, after which refreshments were served.

The return to Plainfield was replete with amusing and exciting incidents which added much to the enjoyment of all. One young man lost his hat on East Front street, but recovered it on his return.

Among those who braved the cold to be present on the ride were: Miss Bertha Thorn, Miss Eleanor VanDeventer, Miss Mamie Steiner, Miss Edith Hurlbut, Miss Sadie Douglass, Robert Douglass, Mr. Steiner, Wilbur Cornwell, Mr. Finch. Two older people chaperoned the party.

DR. ENDICOTT'S RUNAWAY.

Luckily He Escaped Injury, But His Carriage Was Wrecked.

This morning at 9:30, while Dr. Endicott was coming down Front street behind his bay colt, the latter became frightened just above Washington avenue by an approaching trolley car and bolted for the sidewalk. He soon brought up against a telegraph pole and clearing himself from the carriage started at a lively gait down Front street to Watchung avenue and then through North avenue where he was caught by John Morton, the iceman, who ran out from Blair's stable and at the risk of serious injury grabbed the frightened animal by the bridle and stopped his mad career. The horse was uninjured.

The carriage is almost a complete wreck, the shafts, wheels and axles being broken and bent. The Doctor and his driver fortunately escaped without injury.

—Wm. H. Combs, executor of the late Mary E. Moore, advertises a sale of the property at Chatham and Warren streets, to take place on the premises Thursday, Feb. 21, at 2 p. m.

Four Big Successes.

Having the needed merit to more than make good all the advertising claimed for them, the following four remedies have reached a phenomenal sale. Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption, coughs and colds, each bottle guaranteed—Electric Bitters, the great remedy for liver, stomach and kidneys. Bucklen's Arnica Salve, the best in the world, and Dr. King's New Life Pills, which are a perfect pill. All these remedies are guaranteed to do just what is claimed for them and the dealer whose name is attached herewith will be glad to tell you more of them. Sold at L. W. Randolph's drug store.

THE SHOOTING CASE.

Plainfield Boys on Trial in Elizabeth.

JUDGE CODDINGTON'S ELOQUENT PLEA.

Case Given to the Jury at 11:30 Today, and No Verdict Reached at 3 p. m.

The trial of Peter Kane and James Welsh on the charge of manslaughter, which has attracted such widespread interest, began at Elizabeth yesterday morning before Judge McCormick, the court-room being packed to the doors with a crowd eager to listen to developments in the case.

Many witnesses were examined during the trial, among them Dr. Mravlag, who conducted the post mortem examination, Drs. Simpson and Hedges who attended Evans at the time of the shooting, ex-County Surveyor Quien, who had prepared diagrams of the locality in question, and many others.

Following the testimony Judge William A. Coddington made a most eloquent plea in behalf of the boys, during which the crowd that thronged the court-room was moved to tears, many of the jurors also being visibly affected. The Judge spoke feelingly of the extreme youth of the boys, of their previous good character, of the regard in which they were held by the entire neighborhood in which they lived, of the absence of any possible motive on their part for the crime alleged, and for the poor heart-broken mothers, both of whom are respectable, hardworking widows, and one of whom, the mother of fifteen-year-old James Welsh, lives in Ireland, leaving her boy here without a guardian or the refining influence of a home, to earn his own living as best he may. Judge Coddington appealed directly to the fathers among his auditors, and asked them how they would feel if one innocent though careless act should cast a lifelong stigma upon one of their dear ones around whom they had thrown the refining influence of home and education. Judge Coddington seemed fairly lifted out of himself by his earnest eloquence, and the courtroom was as still as death, everyone of the great concourse of people listening intently to catch his forceful and telling oratory. Seldom indeed has an audience been so fully overcome as was that which listened to the Judge, almost spell bound, for more than an hour and a half. As Judge Coddington sank exhausted into his seat the Plainfield delegation rose and surged forward to silently press his hand, so overcome were they that they could scarcely speak. The same scene was enacted in the lobby, as the Judge passed through after court had adjourned, many jurists who had been present pressing forward to congratulate him on his masterful plea.

This morning Prosecutor Marsh summed up for the State, and Judge McCormick charged the jury, which went out at 11:30.

Elizabeth, 3 p. m.—The jury is still out at this hour.

HEARTS.

There's a Club of Them, and They Play Every Other Week.

Miss Bessie Baldwin entertained the Heart Club, of which she is a member, at her home on Rockview avenue last evening.

After two hours of progressive hearts a generous collation was served and then dancing was the order of the evening.

The gay party broke up at 11. Those who attended were the Misses Percy Emmons, Lillian Glenn, Florence Serrell, Elsie Jobes, Mary Luckey, Mabelle Smith and Clara Long; Messrs. George P. Smith, Seymour G. Smith, Jr., Sydney R. Titsworth, Volney F. Green, B. O. Bowers, Jr., Clifford M. Crane, Herbert Schutt and Lester Baldwin.

RUDYARD KIPLING

never wrote, and never will write—and nobody else ever will write, because nobody can—a better story than "A Disturber of Traffic", a tale of seafaring life in the Eastern seas. But Mr. Kipling has written just as good a story in something the same vein, and yet with a freshness and originality all its own. It is called

"AN UNQUALIFIED PILOT",

and is a tale of an Indian boy who grows up to his father's trade of piloting vessels through the strange rivers down to the seas where every drop of water has a romance to tell. You will read this story, first published, and fitly illustrated by the best newspaper artists, in The Daily Press Friday, Feb. 15, and Saturday, Feb. 16. It is brand-new, and copyrighted to Daily Press use.

—At the German Reformed Church, Feb. 28 and March 1, two interesting illustrated lectures will be given.

MINERVA'S BALL.

Pleasant Celebration of St. Valentine's Eve by the Rathbone Sisters.

The first annual ball of Minerva Temple, No. 4, Rathbone Sisters, was held in Red Men's Hall, West Front street, last evening. The attendance of members and friends was large, and the manner in which the women conducted the affair was highly creditable to them. At 9:30 the grand march was started, led by Mrs. I. H. Boehm and George Houseman, followed by 25 couple.

At its conclusion the programme of the evening was enjoyed, while Guttman's orchestra discoursed excellent music.

During the intermission all adjourned to the banquet hall, where a sumptuous supper was served.

The merry party then returned to the dancing hall and danced to an early hour.

The success attained at this first dance is chiefly due to the following committee: Mrs I H Boehm, Mrs B Thatcher, Mrs B Moore, Mrs D Pope, Mrs W Lyons, Mrs R Mattis, Mrs Stevens and Mrs Blimm.

As floor manager Samuel Robinson was a success and to him much credit is due for the able way in which he arranged the sets.

HYMENEAL.

Boone—Thompson.

The marriage of Miss Clara Louise Thompson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Thompson of Central avenue, to William Arthur Boone, son of Dr. W. C. Boone of West Seventh street, will take place this evening at 7, at the home of the bride. The best man will be Alexander Coe Thompson, brother of the bride. There will be no bridemaid. Rev. Father Boone of Baltimore, assisted by Rev. Father Smyth of this city, will perform the ceremony. Only the immediate families of the bride and groom will be present, as the wedding is to be a modest home affair. Mr. and Mrs. Boone will reside in Brooklyn.

And It Was Zero, Too.

With chattering molars and fingers and toes tingling with a sensation caused by exposure to the frigid blasts of this northern clime, A. E. Lea, a native of Porto Rico in the West Indies, experienced his first sleighride over the immaculate white while a guest a few days ago of A. E. Stover of Ninth street and G. W. Squires of the borough. Coming from the land of continuous sunshine and flowers to an atmosphere where even the most acclimated inhabitant was forced to seek the warmth of glowing fires, he was greeted with a feeling no doubt that made him wish for his personal comfort, that he was back in the land of bananas. Mr. Lea is now engaged in the same office in New York with Messrs. Stover and Squires. They will sing to him that "Sunshine Will Come Again", with apologies to Charles Gardner.

Photographed the Scene.

G. Thorn, the photgrapher, was in Elizabeth yesterday, summoned there to give evidence in the action against Peter Kane, one of the boys charged with firing the shot by which Monaco Evans was killed. Mr. Thorn made the photographs of the ground on which the fatality occurred, and was called to testify in that particular.

Seeking Divorce from the Plains.

Talk of forming a borough is resumed in the Fanwood end of Fanwood Township.

HIGH SCHOOL NOTEBOOK.

Mr. Travell has sent the following list of subjects for the Senior essays for February: The flying machine up to 1895; Comparison of the characters of Priscilla and Evangeline; The growth and development of the character of Roland Graeme in Scott's Abbott; The drama, its growth and decline; An original story.

The regular weekly singing lesson of the High School was given up yesterday on account of the absence of Mr. Travell.

Stone Lips Unsealed.

Half-hour talks on the Witness of Ancient Inscriptions to the Bible will be given by Rev. C. L. Goodrich in the Congregational Sunday-school at 2:45 p. m., as follows:

Sunday, Feb. 17—The Stone Riddle and How it was Read.
Sunday, Feb. 24—Scripture in the Stones.
Sunday, March 3—The Stones of Egypt.
Sunday, March 10—The Handwriting of Ahab's Day.
Sunday, March 17—A Romance of Ancient History.
Sunday, March 24—Invasions and Conquest, in the Cuneiform.

These are to be in Mr. Goodrich's Bible class, and all are welcome. The regular Sunday-school goes on as usual.

Cards, Dancing, and Supper.

A social gathering was enjoyed at the home of Miss Bertha Wheeler of Mountain avenue last evening. After cards and dancing were enjoyed, the young people were invited to the dining room where a hearty collation was served.

Among those to enjoy Miss Wheeler's hospitality were Miss Lissa Livezy, Miss Reba Tinsman, Arthur W. Vail, R. Frank Vail and Carl D. Pfender.

—West Second street below Central avenue is nearly barren of snow in the roadway, which makes rapid progress somewhat difficult for teamsters driving sleighs.

GOV. M'KINLEY TALKS

Admits There Is a Crisis Needing Consideration.

Says the Danger of the Country Is Indifferentism—Business To Revive by Keeping the Wheels of Industry Moving—Capital Scorns Idleness But Loves Work.

Rochester, N. Y., Feb. 14.—Gov. McKinley in his speech at the banquet of the chamber of commerce, last night said in part:

These are times when the wisest words are wanted and the careless should be unspoken. I wish more than ever in my life for the power to speak the words which, at a crisis like the present are so much needed. The people throughout the country are at this moment giving more sober consideration to the duties of citizenship than probably at any previous period. They are studying conditions in national, state and city governments. They are reflecting upon their responsibilities and power in relation to these conditions, having uppermost in mind the possibility to improve them.

"What can we do to better them?" is the inquiry engaging every thoughtful mind and which comes almost unbidden from every tongue.

The People's Government.

Government of the people is the people's business, and if they neglect it, government and people both suffer. The great danger of the country is indifferentism. What we need is a revival of the true spirit of popular government, the true American spirit where all—not the few—participate actively in government.

The business life of the country is so closely connected with its political life that the one is much influenced by the other. Good politics is good business. Mere partisanship no longer controls the citizen and country.

The Wheel of Industry.

The business men of the country have devolving upon them a grave responsibility. It is no easy task to keep the mighty wheels of industry in operation. Idle wheels mean idle men and idle capital. Both draw upon their accumulations, and each is unprofitable when the other is unemployed. Think of the vast capital invested in manufactures in this country, and what skill and watchfulness are required to keep it at work.

Our home markets have consumed heretofore five times as much of our manufactured products as Great Britain exported of hers to all the markets of the world. Our products are carried to our own people and distributed among them with greater facility and at cheaper rates, taking into account distance, than products are carried in any other country in the world.

How are we to get back what we have lost? How is the vast capital now invested in manufactures to be preserved and made profitable? Only by keeping it busy and constantly at work. Capital scorns idleness; it loves work if for no other reason than that it loves gain. Capital in manufactories which are shut down is not like money on deposit subject to call, or in the strong box hoarded away, which, while it earns nothing, keeps the principal sum intact and unimpaired. The closed mill depreciates the value of machinery and buildings and land and everything connected with it, and it is ever wearing away the capital invested in it. This is followed by impoverishment to the owners, injury to the community in which it is located, and destitution to those who have been employed.

A Good Diagnosis.

Every business man would, therefore, rather run his factory than close it, because he wants his investment to earn him something. When closed, his capital, so far as any immediate profit is to come, is stopped. It is with him a question whether he can run with as little loss as he can stop. If he can, he will always run. If he cannot, he is bound to stop. He cannot run at all if there is no demand for his product. Production requires consumption. Markets are inseparable from manufactures. The manufacturer must have a market; he wants the best market if he can get it, and he has come to learn where it is and how to get it. He knows, as he never knew before, how he lost it.

A Serious Consideration.

The general situation of the country demands of the business men, as well as the masses of the people, the most serious consideration. We must have less partisanship of a certain kind, more business, and a better national spirit. We need an aggressive partisanship for country. There are some things upon which we are all agreed. We must have though, money to run the government. The outflow of gold will not disturb us if the inflow of gold is large enough. The outgo is not serious if the income exceeds it. False theories should not be permitted to stand in the way of cold facts.

No Enquiries Needed.

We cannot afford to quarrel over the past; nor is it profitable to indulge in inquiries as to where the responsibility of the condition rests. It is enough for us to know it is here and upon us. Whatever differences we may have had, we must all agree now that the situation is one that requires the highest sagacity in statemanship and the broadest patriotism in citizenship.

The way to stop loans is to stop deficiencies. The reserve is sure to be drained if you cut off the supply. I agree with the president that a "predicament" confronts us, and I am sure there is wisdom and patriotism ample in the country to relieve ourselves from that "predicament" or any other and to place us once more at the head of the nations of the world in credit, production and prosperity. We await the prosperity that has been long prophesied.

25,000 Miners Idle.

Palermo, Feb. 14.—The discontent and distress in Sicily have been increased by the closing of many sulphur mines. More than 25,000 miners have been thrown out of work. Very few have money to support them for a month, as their wages have long been barely sufficient for their daily needs

WANT THE LAW REPEALED.

Woman Suffrage Bill Agitated by the Ladies of Hartford.

Hartford, Conn., Feb. 14.—There was an animated public meeting of the committee on woman suffrage in hall of the house yesterday. The bills considered were those conferring the right of municipal and presidential suffrage on women, and one repealing the law of 1893, coferring on women the right to vote at school meetings.

Addresses in favor of the extension of the suffrage to women, were made by Mrs. Yates, of Maine; Mrs. Bacon and Mrs. Forbes, of Hartford; Miss Fenner, of New London; Miss Babcock, of Stonington; J. L. Cowles, of Farmington, and John H. Brocklesby, superintendent of schools of this city. Representative Hall, of Waterbury, who introduced it, favored the repeal of the law of 1893.

ANXIETY FOR ST. AUGUSTINE.

The Steamer Nine Days Overdue with Eighteen Men on Board.

New York, Feb. 14.—The steamer City of St. Augustine, from Jacksonville, Fla., lumber laden, for New York, is now nine days overdue. She has not been heard from since she was seen by the schooner Ida Lawrece on Feb. 5, off the coast of North Carolina.

The captain of the St. Augustine is J. H. Gaskill and the chief engineer, Peter Murphy. Her crew numbers eighteen men including officers.

Mr. Warren Ray, her agent in this city, thinks the ship is being delayed by severe storms and that eventually she will come into port, as she is completely seaworthy, a new vessel and manned by thoroughly competent officers.

Sold Oleomargarine.

Chicago, Feb. 14.—Internal revenue officers have discovered an extensive scheme among west side grocerymen and dairy storekeepers to defraud customers by selling oleomargarine for butter. Two arrests have been made and forty-seven more complaints will be presented to the next federal grand jury. Ample evidence, it is said, has been obtained by Officer Frank E. Kennedy, sent from Washington to secure the indictment of every storekeeper for selling over the ten pound limit without a wholesale license and for selling in unstamped packages.

The Vice-President Kicked Her.

Chicago, Feb. 14.—Thomas H. Wyckes, vice-president of the Pullman Palace Car company made no answer to the order of Judge Tuthill when the divorce suit of his wife was called and a default was entered in the case. The defendant had been ordered to plead, answer, or demur within five days. Mrs. Wyckes charged that her husband kicked her, threw a glass of water at her, struck her in the face and threw food at her besides refusing to speak to her and depriving her of the comforts suitable for her social position.

Held for the Grand Jury.

Boston, Feb. 14.—Walter A. Scott the young man who was yesterday arrested charged with the murder of Coachman James Slamin at the Back Bay, on Dec. 5, was held to await the action of the March grand jury. Robert J. West, who was arrested three weeks ago for the alleged murder of Slamin, is in jail awaiting the action of the grand jury. This is the case where two bag snatchers were intercepted by Slamin, who they shot and killed.

Gov. Morton Gives a Reception.

Albany, Feb. 14.—The largest reception ever given within the confines of the executive mansion since its reconstruction five years ago took place last night when Gov. and Mrs. Morton received citizens of the state generally, at their last reception prior to lent. Fourteen hundred invitations were issued and there was a great crush.

Money in Biscuits.

Chicago, Feb. 14.—President William H. Moore reported at the annual meeting of the New York Biscuit company held here, that at the close of the fiscal year of 1894 the assets amounted to $11,821,043; the earnings, after paying interest and other charges were $545,390, or 6-10 per cent. on the capital stock of $9,000,000.

Valkyrie's Captain Seeking a Crew.

London, Feb. 14.—The Yachting World is informed by Capt. Tom Jay, of the yacht Ailsa, that Capt. Cranfield, who had charge of the Valkyrie II., in the last races for the America's cup, has been engaged to command the Valkyrie III., and is now seeking his crew.

Office of Citizens' Organized Aid Association, 101 North Avenue.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE DAILY PRESS:—Just at the time when the Winter is at its worst, when all the defense that warm clothing, warm houses and good food can yield is most needed: When in-door work is scarce and out-door work is impossible: When every charity should and must be doing its utmost: *Just now*, that is to say, the funds of this association are practically exhausted. True, all bills are paid to February 1st: True, again, we do not use or need a large sum of money—only about $500 annually—since the association aims rather to help its beneficiaries to become self supporting than to give alms: But *what we do need, that* we must have and have at once. And if the community believes our work to be in itself wise and useful, and wisely and usefully conducted, then the least the community can do is to support that work with sympathy and money, especially money.

We solicit subscriptions for annual memberships at $2 00, or for life-memberships at $50 00: We earnestly hope for forty or fifty annual "sustaining" members at $10 00 each, since we should then have a solid basis for regular business. But we will gladly receipt for any sum from $1 00 upward, for the need grows greater as the mercury goes lower.

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THE WAR IN THE EAST

40,000 Chinese Troops in a Perilous Position.

The Japanese Bombard Tung-Chow. They Land 25,000 Men in Yung Cheng Bay—In Full Possession of Wei-Hai-Wei—Admiral Ting To Be Received with the Honors of War.

Vancouver, B. C., Feb. 14.—The following Oriental advices have been received per steamer Empress of China, under date of Tokio, Feb. 1:

On the 17th of January a part of the Chinese forces in Manchuria made a second attempt to recover Hai Cheng. The strategical position of the Chinese in Shin Kong now is most perilous. Their line of defense and of direct communication with their chief base of supplies at New Chwang having been cut off by the Japanese, all their troops, some 40,000, in the districts southward of Hai Cheng have to choose between one of two ways of getting back to China proper, namely, either by driving the Japanese out of Hai Cheng and thus recovering command of the direct route to the coast or by taking the highway from Moukden to Pekin.

Japs Have Advantage.

The Japanese, however, moving along the coast from Hai Cheng can strike the Moukden-Pekin road by a march of seventy-five miles whereas the Chinese retreating from Moukden must march 135 miles to reach the same point. When Hai Cheng first fell into Japanese possession, Gen. Sung commander-in-chief in Manchuria, appreciating the gravity of the situation made immediate attempt to recover the town. Moving northward at the head of 10,000 men, he took up a strong position.

Anxiety Felt.

A good deal of anxiety was felt in regard to the landing of the third Japanese expeditionary force, now in possession of Wei-Hai-Wei. In the case of Port Arthur the great risks generally attendant upon planting an invading force on an enemy's territory were lessened by latitude of choice as to place. The troops were carried to a point more than 100 miles from their final objective, and it was known beforehand that no opposition had been organized by the Chinese but the third expeditionary force had to land somewhere on the shores of a province shore where large numbers of troops were said to be massed, where ample precautions against surprise were believed to have been taken, and where the topographical conditions necessitated the choice of a place within at least forty or fifty miles of the point to be attacked.

Hence, there was every reason to anticipate vigorous resistance. In view of these circumstances, the Japanese adopted a simple device. They sent three powerful cruisers to bombard the important fortified coast town, Tung Chow, forty miles westward of Che-Foo and more than 100 miles distant from the landing place really in view. The cruisers performed the task in a most thorough manner on the 18th and 19th of January, with the result that news of the Japanese landing at Tung Chow was widely circulated by telegraph.

Chinese Unprepared.

In effect the ruse was quite unnecessary. The Chinese, as usual, were totally unprepared. For more than three weeks they had known that a Japanese expedition was about to visit Shan Tung, and they had known also with as much certainty as can attend such knowledge, that the place of debarkation would be Yung Cheng bay, 27 miles east of Wei-Hai-Wei. Yet the sum total of their preparation at the threatened point was an earth work mounting four guns and manned by 300 soldiers. Just before dawn on the 20th the Japanese flying squadron steamed into Yung Cheng bay. Snow falling thickly, obscured the view from sea and shore alike.

They Ran Away.

The little band of Chinese artillery, emboldened by ignorance of the enemy's strength, opened fire. They made more pits and the veil of snow lifting for an instant, a full perception of their peril came to them simultaneously with a shrapnel shell that killed four of their number. They fled at once, and the business of landing the expeditionary army began and was continued without hitch or hindrance. Transports arrived in three batches on consecutive days carrying a total combative force of about 25,000 of all arms. Every Chinaman in the vicinity of the landing place ran away when the facts of the situation dawned upon them.

Admiral Ting, commander-in-chief of the Chinese fleet at Wei-Hai-Wei has surrendered. Admiral Ito granted him the desired conditions and the surrender is now being effected. When the Chinese land they will be received with the honors of war.

Li Hung Chang and Prince Kung or Sir Robert Hart will be shortly appointed high commissioners and envoys plenipotentiary to arrange a treaty of peace with Japan. This step will be taken in accordance with the advice of the foreign ministers in Pekin.

They Protest to the Government.

St. Johns, N. F., Feb. 14.—The leaders of the opposition in the legislature have made a formal protest to the governor against the determination of the government to hold bye-elections while the seal fishery is in progress. They claim that holding the elections at that time would deprive thousands of voters of an opportunity of exercising the right of franchise.

Prince Bismarck Indisposed.

Berlin, Feb. 14.—Dr. Schweninger went to Friedricharuh yesterday to attend Prince Bismarck, who is suffering from a cold. The prince had a chill four days ago and has been indisposed ever since, but there is nothing in his condition to excite alarm.

Brothers Charged with Murder.

Montreal, Feb. 14.—News of the arrest of the Hyams brothers at Toronto, on the charge of murder caused considerable excitement in this city where both men are well known.

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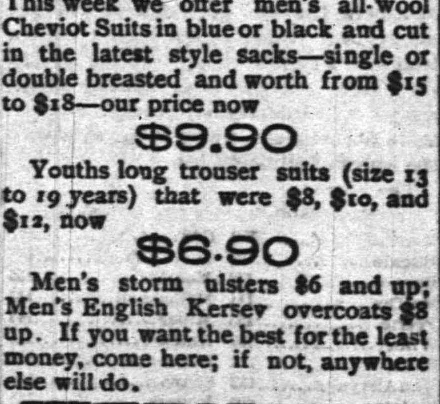

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Fintin Hibbitts,	Martin Kane,
William H. Harding,	John Kane,
James Deady,	Edward Connor,
Peter McDonough,	Thomas Lyons,
George H. Moore,	Arthur Scott,
Mary Sullivan Carlyle,	

citizens and freeholders. All persons knowing of any reason why such license should not be granted are requested to make known the same in writing to the city clerk on or before the 21st of Feb. instant.

Done in accordance with the requirements of the "Ordinance to license inns and taverns, and to regulate and prohibit the sale of spirituous and fermented liquors."

J. T. MAC MURRAY,
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William H. Blimm,	James Muldowney,
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James Ryan	Dennis Carney
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Michael Welsh,	Charles McIntosh,
Patrick Traynor,	Thomas Burke,
Carl Filber,	Michael Watson,
John McCarthy,	John B. DeHart,
Wm. J. Monsell,	

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Notice is hereby given that Fred Caspar has applied to the common council of the city of Plainfield for a Hotel license to sell spirituous and fermented liquors at 142 and 144 East Front street in the First ward, which application is signed by

Rosalie Caspar	John Rafferty
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William Leitheusser	George L Henry
Thomas Loughlin	Samuel L. Miller
William Beiter	William Klein
Madison Williams	Michael Harrington

citizens and freeholders. All persons knowing of any reason why such license should not be granted are requested to make known the same in writing to the city clerk on or before the 21st of Feb. instant.

Done in accordance with the requirements of the "Ordinance to license inns and taverns, and to regulate and prohibit the sale of spirituous and fermented liquors."

J. T. MACMURRAY,
City Clerk.

Plainfield, N. J., Feb. 5, 1895.

Notice is hereby given that Alexander D. Findlay has applied to the common council of the city of Plainfield for a saloon license to sell spirituous and fermented liquors at 123 East Second street in the First ward, which application is signed by

John Wolf	E. P. Curtis
Thomas O'Gorman	Adolph Kahrman
Michael Wonderlick	John Richter
Charles Bock	John Johnson
Patrick Marron	J. W. VanSickle
Theo. A. Roder,	

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J. T. MACMURRAY,
City Clerk.

Plainfield, N J., Feb. 5, 1895.

Notice is hereby given that John E. Beerbower has applied to the common council of the city of Plainfield for a Hotel license to sell spirituous and fermented liquors at corner of Park avenue and East Second street in the First ward, which application is signed by

Dan S. Roberts	Carl Kaerth
H. Werner	T. A. Rogers
John K. VanNess	Joel Walley
Albert Brown	J. H. Staats
Walter L. Hetfield	George B. Staats,

citizens and freeholders. All persons knowing of any reason why such license should not be granted are requested to make known the same in writing to the city clerk on or before the 21st of Feb. instant.

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J. T. MAC MURRAY.
City Clerk.

Plainfield, N. J., Feb. 5, 1895.

Notice is hereby given that Jacob Blimm has applied to the common council of the city of Plainfield for a Hotel license to sell spirituous and fermented liquors at 37 and 39 Somerset street in the Fourth ward, which application is signed by

George Mehl	Isaac Lederer
Jacob Blimm, Jr	James C. Hansen
James Conneely	Michael McCarthy
Michael Nugent	William H. Kitchen
Christian Karl	Peter Blimm

citizens and freeholders. All persons knowing of any reason why such license should not be granted are requested to make known the same in writing to the city clerk on or before the 21st of Feb. instant.

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J. T. MAC MURRAY.
City Clerk.

Plainfield, N. J., Feb. 5, 1895.

Notice is hereby given that Charles Smith has applied to the common council of the city of Plainfield for a saloon license to sell spirituous and fermented liquors at southwesterly corner of Front and Somerset streets in the Fourth ward, which application is signed by

Joseph A. Blatz	Vincent L. Frazee
John Winzenried	Matthias Hefti
Bennit Brittin	Felix Francois Genot
Frank Linke	Frank Droll
Theodore Kurzhals	William Newcorn
Samuel Dreier,	

citizens and freeholders. All persons knowing of any reason why such license should not be granted are requested to make known the same in writing to the city clerk on or before the 21st of Feb. instant.

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J. T. MAC MURRAY,
City Clerk.

Plainfield, N. J., Feb. 5, 1895.

Notice is hereby given that Frank Linke has applied to the common council of the city of Plainfield for a Wholesale license to sell spirituous, vinous, malt and brewed liquors in quantities from one quart to five gallons at 227 West Front street in the Fourth ward, which application is signed by

P. J. Kreitling	Peter V. Weaver
William F. Trust	William W. Corriell
Charles Smith	

citizens and freeholders. All persons knowing of any reason why such license should not be granted are requested to make known the same in writing to the city clerk on or before the 21st of Feb. instant.

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J. T. MACMURRAY,
City Clerk.

Plainfield, N. J., Feb. 5, 1895.

Notice is hereby given that Wallace V. Miller has applied to the common council of the city of Plainfield for a hotel license to sell spirituous and fermented liquors at 111 to 119 North avenue in the First ward, which application is signed by

Charles McGinley	James H. Higgins
Calvin Neighbour	James W. Burdick
James Harding	L. Paoli
Joseph Angerbauer	John Byrnes
C. K. Ianson	John E. Collins
James Canfield	Berthold P. Honsen,

citizens and freeholders. All persons knowing of any reason why such license should not be granted are requested to make known the same in writing to the city clerk on or before the 21st of Feb. instant.

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J. T. MACMURRAY,
City Clerk.

Plainfield, N. J., Feb. 5, 1895.

Notice is hereby given that John J. Goff has applied to the common council of the city of Plainfield for a hotel license to sell spirituous and fermented liquors at northwesterly corner of West Third and Liberty streets in the Fourth ward, which application is signed by

Daniel McCarthy	John M. Carney
Chas. McCann	Frederick Westphal
Thomas King	John Flynn
Thomas Johnson	Joseph Johnson
John S. Haskard	Frank Cullen
John Donelly	John J. Hibbitts
Mary E. Goff,	

citizens and freeholders. All persons knowing of any reason why such license should not be granted are requested to make known the same in writing to the city clerk on or before the 21st of Feb. instant.

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J. T. MAC MURRAY,
City Clerk.

Corporation Notice.

Proposals for furnishing crushed stone, and also for furnishing material and doing the necessary work for building culverts and laying cross-walks.

Pursuant to resolution adopted by the Common Council of the city of Plainfield at the regular meeting held February fourth, 1895, notice is hereby given that the Committee on Streets will meet at the Mayor's Office, No. 109 Park avenue, in the City of Plainfield, on Tuesday, February 19th instant, at eight o'clock p. m., at which time and place the said Committee on Streets will receive sealed proposals for furnishing crushed stone, and for furnishing material and performing the necessary work for building culverts and laying cross-walks, as follows: For crushed stone for the remainder of the year 1895, the bids to state the prices for furnishing the following sizes, viz.: "Dust" No. 1 or one inch, No. 2 or one and one half inches, and No. 3 or two and one half inches, in such quantities and in such places as the Street Commissioner may direct.

The stone must be of the best quality of trap rock, free from dirt, clay or other foreign matter, and in every way acceptable to the said Street Commissioner.

The stone must be weighed on such scales as the Street Committee may direct, and a voucher or way-bill must be delivered with every load to the said Street Commissioner or his authorized representative.

The right to reject any or all bids is hereby reserved. For furnishing material and performing the necessary work for building culverts and laying cross-walks for the remainder of the year 1895, according to the plans and specifications on file in the office of the Street Commissioner. Upon receipt of the bids or proposals, the Committee on Streets will immediately proceed to unseal the same and publicly announce the contents in the presence of the parties bidding or their agents, provided said parties or their agents choose to be then and there present, and also make the proper record of the prices and terms upon their minutes.

The plans and specifications referred to above may be seen at the office of the Street Commissioner.

The right to reject any or all bids is expressly reserved.

By order of the Common Council and the Committee on Streets.

JAMES T. MACMURRAY,
City Clerk.

Corporation Notice.

Notice is hereby given that the following Ordinance has been introduced before the Common Council, read the second time and ordered engrossed preparatory to its third reading, and that it is the intention of the Council to adopt the same.

JAMES T. MACMURRAY, City Clerk.
Plainfield, N. J., Feb. 4, 1895.

AN ORDINANCE

concerning the removal of snow and ice from sidewalks and gutters.

The Inhabitants of the City of Plainfield, by their Common Council, do enact as follows:

Section 1. That the owner, occupant, lessee or other person having the charge of each and every dwelling house, store, or other building or lot or lots of ground, shall within the first four hours of daylight after every fall of snow or hail, or after the formation of any ice upon the sidewalk adjoining said premises, cause the said snow or ice (unless said ice shall have been strewn with ashes, sawdust or sand) to be removed from the flagging, cement, concrete, planks, crushed stone, graveled surface or other artificial covering thereof; and shall also cause the gutter in front thereof to the width of one foot outwardly from and adjoining the curb line to be cleaned out so as to allow the water to run freely along the same, and any person violating any of the provisions of this section shall on conviction be punished by a fine not exceeding five dollars; provided that this section shall not apply to any sidewalk which shall not at the time have been laid either to the whole width or a part thereof with flagging, cement, concrete, planks, boards, crushed stone, graveled surface or some artificial covering.

Section 2. That as to all sidewalks and gutters of any street or highway that is graded, curbed and flagged, the street commissioner shall at an expense not exceeding one cent per front foot, in all cases in which the owner of the land shall fail to remove the snow and ice within twenty-four hours after such sidewalks or gutters were covered with snow or ice, remove said snow or ice from said sidewalks and gutters as directed by the statute in such case made and provided, and in such case the costs and expense paid and incurred by said street commissioner for removing the snow and ice from any sidewalk or gutter as aforesaid shall be certified by said street commissioner to the city assessor, "and the same shall be added to the taxes of the lot or lots or parcels of land in front of the sidewalks and gutters from which the snow and ice was removed, and shall be a part of the same as a first and paramount lien upon said land and premises".

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Plainfield, N. J., Feb. 4, 1895.

AN ORDINANCE

concerning firearms and other deadly weapons.

The Inhabitants of the City of Plainfield, by their Common Council, do enact as follows:

Section 1. That no person shall fire or discharge any gun, fowling piece or firearms within the limits of the city of Plainfield, under a penalty of a fine not exceeding twenty dollars for every such offence; provided, however, that this section shall not apply to the use of such weapons at any military exercise or review, or target practice duly authorized by the military authority of this State, or by the Common Council, or the Mayor, or in the lawful defence of the person, family or property of any citizen; and provided further that this section shall not apply to the discharge of blank cartridges or charges of powder on the fourth day of July.

Sec 2. That no person shall carry within the limits of the City of Plainfield concealed upon or about his person, any pistol, dirk, butcher or bowie knife, stilletto, dagger, sword, or spear in a cane, brass or metal knuckles, razor, slung shot, or other deadly weapon, under a penalty of a fine not exceeding twenty dollars for each and every offense; provided that this section shall not apply to officers of the law or persons who are threatened with bodily harm.

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A Story of Lord Nelson.

Feb. 14 is the anniversary of one of England's famous naval battles where Nelson first displayed heroism—Cape St. Vincent, 1797. Sir John Jervis' fleet of 15 sail lay at the cape when Nelson joined him from Gibraltar, bringing news of a Spanish fleet of 27 sail under Admiral De Cordova hovering near. The Spaniards were sailing in two divisions, but on sighting the English hasted to unite. Sir John boldly drove his fleet into the opening, compelling the Spanish rear division to retreat. When the English had passed, however, the Spaniards bore up to recover ground, but Nelson, disobeying the admiral's orders to keep on, turned with the Captain and attacked the whole rear line vessel by vessel. He carried the Captain through, but with her wheel shot away, foretop mast overboard, rigging torn and ammunition used up. There was nothing to do but board the nearest antagonist, the San Nicholas. Nelson led the boarders, and while fighting on the decks and in the cabins of the San Nicholas the party was opened upon with pistols and muskets from the San Josef alongside. Calling men from the Captain to hold the prize, he leaped to the deck of the San Josef, followed by a crew of tried followers from his old ship Agamemnon. The San Josef yielded, giving Nelson two prizes out of five gathered in in five hours' hard fighting. The English lost 400 and won. The Spaniards lost 1,000 and ran away.

GEORGE L. KILMER.

A Rehearsal For Waterloo.

Feb. 14, 1814, Napoleon fought the allies at Vauchamps, covering Paris. The day was marked by one of those strange prophetic episodes so common in the life of the man of destiny. The chief actors in it were Grouchy and Blucher, loser and victor in the side game which decided Waterloo. Blucher was beaten at Vauchamps, and Napoleon sent Grouchy, with 3,000 horse, to sweep around to his rear and block the road of retreat. At sundown Grouchy's line of sabers stretched across the road where it ascended a slight eminence, completely hemming in the retreating columns. Within a few days Blucher had lost 15,000 men and 27 cannon in hopeless battles. In despair he rode along the French front, hoping that a shot from Grouchy's carbineers would spare him the disgrace of surrendering. Aroused at last, he placed the few remaining cannon at the head of a column and ordered it to march in close mass upon the French cavalry. Grouchy had no artillery, and after waiting for the enemy to expend his best shots charged up to the muzzles of the guns. It was a useless sacrifice. The horsemen recoiled, and Blucher marched steadily on with his main column, sacrificing, however, the detachments on the flanks. Grouchy, in desperation, rode fearlessly into the enemy's ranks, sabering the Germans right and left. Blucher got through, effected a junction with reserves, and reaching Paris compelled Napoleon to yield the empire. Had either of the great marshals been killed, what of the event which turned the scale at Waterloo?

GEORGE L. KILMER.

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For Philadelphia—1 00, 6 57, 7 19, 9 05, 9 36, 11 43 A. M.; 1 06, 1 37, 3 33, 5 06, 6 36, 7 46, 8 42, 9 39 P. M. Sundays at 1 00, 6 59, 9 05, 9 36, 10 41 A. M.; 5 40, 6 37, 7 47 and 9 41 P. M.

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For Perth Amboy—1 43 a m daily except Monday, 6 44, 9 46, 10 59, 12 46, 3 20, 4 53, 5 44, 6 12, 7 20, 7 36, 9 54 and 12 27. Sundays, 1 43, 10 25, 11 47 a m, 10 14 p m.

For East Millstone—7 10 a. m., 12 35, 2 48 and 5 40 p. m., week-days.

For Trenton—1 00, 6 57, 7 10, 7 59, 9 05, 9 36, 11 43 A. M.; 1 06, 1 37, 2 48, 5 06, 6 36, 7 46, 8 42, 9 39 P. M. Sundays at 1 00, 6 59, 9 05, 9 36, 10 41 A. M.; 5 40, 6 37, 7 47 and 9 41 P. M.

For Lambertville, Phillipsburg and Belvidere via Trenton—7 59 A. M., 2 48 and 5.36 p. m., and 5.40 p. m. Sunday.

For Flemington—7 59 A. M.; 2 48 P. M.

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For Long Branch, Ocean Grove, and points on New York and Long Branch R. R.—9 46, 12 46, 4 12, 5 44 p.m., 12 27 night week-days. Sundays, 10 25 a. m., and 5 44 p. m.; do not stop at Asbury Park on Sundays.

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THE WEATHER.

For Tomorrow: Fair; Colder; Brisk to High Northwest Winds.

With its customary observance of holidays, The Daily Press today devotes six columns to Valentine stories, verses and pictures. Edine Howard and Edith Sessions Tupper are among the contributors. Perhaps you haven't known just who St. Valentine was. If not, today's Press tells you.

EARLY INTELLIGENCE.

—The Music Hall firm now advertises Joseph Sohl proprietor, and R. C. Varian manager.

—The American flag was displayed for the first time on the Y. M. C. A. Building yesterday.

—There's a certain magnetism about Peck's goods that draws the dollars his way all the time.

—A great muslin sale and another great dress-goods sale are in progress at Boehm's, the big bargain house.

—Don't fail to call on Fulper for your groceries Friday and Saturday, as he is offering extra special low prices.

—The Park Club bowlers will board the 7:03 train tonight for Bergen Point, to bowl the New Jersey Athletic Club.

—An entertainment and dance will be given by the Royal Arcanum, No. 744, Fanwood, Tuesday evening, Feb. 26.

—Special cut prices at U. B. Crane's hat store for the remainder of this week. Most everything is sold at one-half the usual price.

—Many new and desirable bargains have been added to the great half-price sale that is now taking place at White's popular store.

—Here he is, bright harbinger of Spring, the toothsome shad. Get your order in early, at Rogers's, 232 West Second street.

—While Adam Fritz was walking along Greenbrook road, he saw two quail lying in the snow, almost frozen. He pocketed them.

—The city water pipe in the basement of Trinity Reformed Church was frozen in two places during the young blizzard we have just passed through.

—Front street was invaded this morning by a number of Street Commissioner Meeker's men, who are engaged in removing the surplus of snow.

—A "Martha Washington Tea" is being planned for the evening of Feb. 21 by the women of the First M. E. Church. It will be held in Vincent Chapel.

—The mustering team of John Hand Camp, No. 28, Sons of Veterans, met last evening and did creditable work in the first degree. At the next meeting there be a muster.

—The members of Perseverance Lodge, No. 74, K. of P., are requested to attend the funeral of Brother John Flannery of Goodwill Lodge, Scotch Plains, tomorrow at 3 p. m.

—The Patriotic Order, Sons of America, will celebrate Washington's Birthday. In the evening an elaborate entertainment, followed by a dance, will be given in Reform Hall.

—A tea will be given in aid of the Grace Church Rectory Society, at the residence of Mrs. F. H. Wills, 217 LaGrande avenue, Monday, Feb. 25, from 3 to 7. Twenty-five cents will be received at the door.

—Five cents to keep clean, 8 cents to feed baby, and 75 cents to get a non-leaking hot-water bottle for the grip patient, is only a sample of how far a $ goes at Reynolds's Pharmacy. These are only three of his bargains. There are others.

—Frank L. C. Martin, the popular bicycle dealer, is moving into more commodious quarters, two doors nearer North avenue than his old store. His new home promises to be one of the best equipped bicycle stores in the vicinity, and will be a credit to Mr. Martin and a pride to the wheelmen of Plainfield.

—No business of importance was transacted at the adjourned regular meeting of the Gazelle Engine Company in their rooms on West Second street last night. The duties of recording the minutes devolved upon Assistant James L. Love, owing to the illness of Secretary David S. Dunavan. Action upon most matters was deferred till the next meeting March 6.

The experience of Geo. A. Apgar, of German Valley, N. J., is well worth remembering. He was troubled with chronic diarrhoea and doctored for five months and was treated by four different doctors without benefit. He then began using Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, of which one small bottle effected a complete cure. It is for sale at Reynolds's pharmacy, Park and North aves. T. S. Armstrong, manager

PARTICULAR MENTION.

Miss Helen Warman of Grove street has returned after a month at Lakewood.

Mrs. John H. Tier, Sr., of Bank place, has recovered from an attack of the grip.

Miss Sarah Bissell of 416 West Second street is convalescing from a week's illness.

Miss Grace E. Overton of Rockview avenue is suffering from an attack of the grip.

Mrs. Charles Watson of Philadelphia is visiting Mrs. Charles Matthews of North Plainfield.

Joseph B. Randolph of Easton stopped in Plainfield over night, and said 'twas a great place.

Mrs. Gillem and daughter Emma of Duer street returned yesterday from a visit to Far Hills.

Miss Bertha Warman of Grove street returned Tuesday from Lakewood greatly improved in health.

Miss Margarette Kirch of Somerset street is again able to be out after a week's illness with the grip.

Miss Essie S. Thompson has been spending a few days with her friend Miss Stella Shotwell of College place.

Grocer F. W. Dunn, who has been severely ill, is slowly improving, and speedy and complete recovery is assured.

Caspar Kirkner is able to be out again after his severe illness, and his brother John Kirkner is improving rapidly.

The third wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest B. Ackerman occurred Monday, the night of the reception.

Mr. Apgar of Spooner avenue, who has been an invalid for some time, is no better. The recent bad weather has been a drawback.

Miss Grace Williams of California, who has just returned from a trip to India, is visiting her cousin, Miss Nora Rockwell of East Front street.

Irving Cooley is home from Swarthmore College, suffering from a slight indisposition, but hopes to be at his accustomed post again next week.

Albert Runyon of Mountain avenue, bookkeeper for Boice, Runyon & Co., was out for a little while today, the first time in nearly four weeks.

Mrs. Clark Dillenbeck of Mt. Pleasant, Philadelphia, formerly Miss Morrison of North Plainfield, announces herself "at home" on Wednesdays.

Arthur B. Crane has left his studies in the High School and accepted a position in the Plainfield department of the Elridge Bicycle Company of Newark.

Mme. Gayton, of Seeley Edsall's millinery department, is spending a few-weeks vacation with her cousin, Mme. Gayton, at "The Holland", New York city.

Rev. T. Logan Murphy will deliver a lecture on Ireland under the auspices of Holy Cross Brotherhood in the parish building, Feb. 23. The lecture will be handsomely illustrated by stereopticon views.

An informal dance will be given in the Park Club-house Friday evening, Feb. 22, under the auspices of the Junior Entertainment Committee, which fact in itself is a sufficient guarantee that all who attend will have a most enjoyable time.

Mrs. Thomas E. H. Curtis of West Eighth street gave her husband a very enjoyable surprise last evening, the occasion being the anniversary of his birthday. The time was pleasantly passed in playing cards, after which a very elaborate collation was served.

D. P. Hicks of Park avenue, who had recovered from his recent illness sufficiently to take a short walk on Tuesday morning, has had a relapse, and is again confined to his bed. His condition is not critical, however, and it is hoped that he will soon be on the mend once more.

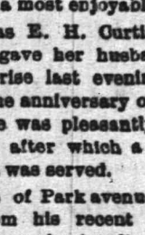
Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Gilbert have issued cards for a reception and conference to be given at their home, 318 West Eighth street, Friday afternoon, Feb. 15, from 4:30 to 7, for the Presidents and Directors in attendance at the State meeting of the Young Men's Christian Association.

—George Conover took a four-horse load of school children on a sleighride yesterday afternoon, after school hours, a glorious time was had by all.

—Barrett & Co. of Brooklyn has just completed and shipped two large furniture vans to William Hand & Son, in readiness for the Spring trade.

A pure cream of tartar powder.

CLEVELAND'S



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STRIKERS THROW A BOMB.

Martin's Ferry, O., Feb. 14—At an early hour this morning a dynamite bomb loaded with slugs was thrown into the office of the Buckeye Glass Company, wrecking that portion of the building.

Manager Humphrey and one of the non-union men, sleeping in an adjoining room, narrowly escaped death, as they were just on the point of opening the door leading to the office when the explosion occurred.

The explosion shook the buildings within a radius of half a mile.

The bomb throwing is ascribed to the strikers.

Y. M. C. A. State Convention.

The first meeting of the Y. M. C. A. State convention will be held in the First Baptist Church this evening. A song service conducted by B. Frank Butts will be held at 7:30. Dr. Lewis will deliver the address of welcome at 8, and Dr. Burrell will speak at 8:30.

The day sessions of the Y. M. C. A. State convention are to be held in the new building.

The programme for tomorrow is:

9:15 a. m—Bible hour, led by J. H. Elliott.

10:30—Review of 1894, conducted by S. F. Dudley, Orange.

2 p. m—Six conferences on different phases of association work.

3:15—Address by W. H. Sutton, Montclair.

A general invitation is given to attend all these sessions.

Board of Trade Makes Inquiry.

London, Feb. 14.—The board of trade has ordered an inquiry as to the damage sustained by the steamer Crathie in collision with the steamer Elbe. The inquiry will be held in London soon.

The Sea Gives Up Her Dead.

Liverpool, N. S., Feb. 14.—Three more bodies from the wrecked American schooner Clara R. Friend washed ashore here yesterday.

Marvelous Results.

From a letter written by Rev. J. Gunderman, of Diamondale, Mich., we are permitted to make this extract: 'I have no hesitation in recommending Dr. King's New Discovery, as the results were almost marvelous in the case of my wife. While I was pastor of the Baptist Church at Rives Junction she was brought down by pneumonia succeeding la grippe. Terrible paroxysms of coughing would last hours with little interruption and it seemed as if she could not survive them. A friend recommended Dr. King's New Discovery; it was quick in its work and highly satisfactory in results. Sold by L. W. Randolph druggist. Regular size 50c and $1; our price 45c and 90c

A False Diagnosis.

La grippe is confounded by many persons with a severe attack of catarrh, which in some respects resembles the former. These individuals suffer severely with pain about the forehead, eyes and ears, with soreness in throat and stoppage of the nasal passages and in fact, are incapacitated for work of any kind for days at a time. These are catarrhal sufferers. Ely's Cream Balm has been used with the best results in such cases. The remedy will give instant relief.

DEATHS.

FLANNERY—In Scotch Plains Feb. 12, 1895, John Flannery, in his 71st year.
Funeral services will be held from his late residence in Scotch Plains, Friday, Feb. 16, at 3 p. m. Relatives and friends, also the Knights of Pythias fraternity, are invited to attend. 2

SCHNEIDER—Tuesday, Feb. 12, 1895, at the residence of her son, John Ammon, 305 East 4 h st., Elizabeth Schneider, in the 73d year of her age.
Funeral services at Mount Bethel Baptist Church, Thursday afternoon at 2:30 p. m.

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REMOVAL.

Dr. Lighthill begs leave to give notice that he has removed to

NO. 132 CRESCENT AVE.

(a few doors from his former location) where he can be consulted on all chronic diseases of whatever name and nature.

Dr. Lighthill refers with pardonable pride to the success of his practice in Plainfield and submits below a few of the many testimonials which he has received from grateful patients. A mass of similar ones can be seen at his office.

AN ALMOST MIRACULOUS CURE.

The Statement of Mr. Edward Teel, Jr., of Dunellen, N. J.

TO THE PUBLIC:

From a sense of duty I desire to call public attention to the almost miraculous cure which Dr. Lighthill effected in the case of my wife. For eleven years she had been afflicted with piles of an unusual severe and distressing character. She suffered every day of her life the most intense pain, attended with frequent and profuse hemorrhage. This state of things debilitated her entire system until she became a perfect wreck of her former self.

We made every effort to obtain a cure but they all resulted in bitter disappointment, although a number of physicians of excellent reputations for skill in that direction had treated her case. She grew worse and worse all the time, the pain became perfectly unbearable and I felt she could not bear the strain of her condition much longer. In this extremity, a friend of mine, Mr. W. E. Dilts, a resident of Roselle, N. J., a passenger conductor on the New Jersey Central told me that he had been similarly affected, and had been permanently cured by Dr. Lighthill, after other medical skill had failed. He assured me that the doctor would cure my wife, no matter how severe her case may be, and his prediction proved perfectly correct. In spite of her desperate condition, Dr. Lighthill, I am glad to say, has effected a complete and perfect cure in her case, and has given her new life.

Since the cure has been effected she has gained in health and strength and is so improved in appearance that her friends scarcely recognize her. They all consider her cure as almost miraculous, and Dr. Lighthill's praise is heard on every side. Our gratitude to Dr. Lighthill is unbounded and we only hope that other sufferers may be benefited by this publication.

EDWARD TEEL, Jr.

A Flattering Testimonial from Colonel John Dietrich, One of Plainfield's Oldest and Best Known Residents.

16 ARLINGTON PLACE,
Plainfield, N. J., July 17, 1894.

I am profoundly grateful to Dr. Lighthill for his speedy and radical cure of a most painful malady of over ten years standing with which I was afflicted.

I deem it proper to say to all afflicted to place themselves under the care of this skilful physician and be permanently cured.

I will cheerfully impart any information I possess when called upon.

JOHN DIETRICH.

Mr. Thomas Callahan of No. 214 Richmond street Cured of a Very Distressing Trouble by Dr. Lighthill.

PLAINFIELD, N. J., June 1, 1894.

TO THE PUBLIC:

For some time past I have been greatly distressed with noises in the head. They were all over my head and troubled me constantly; they were loudest at night when everything was quiet and at such times would often keep me from sleep and disturb my rest. In fact they got to be so bad and distressing that they affected my whole nervous system as well as my health. I did not obtain the least relief until I placed myself under the care of Dr. Lighthill, of No. 132 Crescent avenue, who effected a complete cure in my case in a short time and made me a very happy man.

THOMAS CALLAHAN,
214 Richmond street.

A Card From Mr. T. R. VanZandt,

of Nos. 304 and 306 Park ave.,

Plainfield, N. J.

I certify with pleasure that Dr. Lighthill has effectually cured me of a most painful case of piles. For some time past I had been subject to its attacks, but the last attack was so exceedingly painful that it completely upset my whole system. The pain extended to my legs and in many other directions, and made me so nervous that I could neither sleep, sit down, lie down or move about without serious discomfort and distress. Such was my condition when I applied to Dr. Lighthill for relief, and I am glad to say that as soon as he took hold of my case, I began to improve, and in a short time found myself completely cured. Dr. Lighthill has also effected a radical and permanent cure in a most terrible case of piles on my cousin, Mr. J. V. Z. Griggs, of Rocky Hill, N. J., whose flattering testimonial is in Dr. Lighthill's possession.

T. R. VAN ZANDT,
304 and 306 Park avenue.

Dr. Lighthill

can be consulted daily (except Thursdays) on all CHRONIC, OBSTINATE AND COMPLICATED diseases of the human system of whatever name and nature, at his office and residence,

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SEBRING, CLOTHIER,

Will close the balance of $12 suits for $8.

$15 suits for $10.

$12 ulsters for $8.50.

$15 overcoats for $10.

Children's overcoats and school suits at cost.

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FORMAL OPENING OF OUR

Grocery Department!

MONDAY, FEB. 11.

A few plain remarks in connection with this new departure we think is opportune.

A few months ago I rented and fitted up at a heavy expense my present elegant and spacious stores, with the intention of giving Plainfield a department store second to none in the State.

As I have progressed from one improvement to another, I find that if I fulfill my plan, I must, of necessity, add a first class Grocery Department, in order to compete with New York and Brooklyn department stores, as many of my patrons are buying these goods there, and desire me to furnish them with their Groceries together with their Dry Goods, Housefurnishings, etc.

I am very much surprised as I have talked to people in regard to this movements, to find that there is such a large proportion of this trade going to New York department stores, and I shall make a strong effort to induce it to remain at home—where it belongs.

I shall do all I can to counteract the too prevalent idea abroad that Plainfield is an expensive place to live in on account of the high prices on articles of food, as real estate agents often say they are obliged to meet this objection when trying to sell or rent houses to New York and Brooklyn people.

We shall, therefore, sell our goods, which will always be of the best quality to be had, at what may be known as cut prices.

Introductory Specials!

At 6c Can: One lot Bedford Park tomatoes, good quality... / One lot string beans, good quality... / One lot sugar corn, good quality... — At 6c Can

Bahama sliced pineapples, very fine, worth 30c at... 19c can
California free peaches, standard goods, at... 19c can
Soda crackers, first quality, at... 5c pound
Ginger snaps, " ... 6c pound
Ground coffee, good quality... 24c pound
Very best Old Government Mocha and Java coffee... 34c pound
Mixed tea, regular 40c quality, for... 29c pound
" " 45c " ... 34c pound
Very fine Oo'ong tea, regular 60c quality, for... 49c pound
Very fine Young Hyson tea, regular 70c quality, for... 59c pound
Oyster Bay asparagus, flat cans, for... 19c pound
Edsall's baking powder, warranted to give satisfaction, ¼ pound 4c; ½ pound 7c; 1 pound 12c

While they last, 30c each. Just received—another lot of white plates, all sizes and perfect; 50 dozen coffee cups and saucers, St. Denis shape. As long as they last. While they last, 30c each.

Cork Filled

During this month we will offer all of our Burt & Packard

Double Sole Cork Filled Men's

$5 Shoes for $3.98 per Pair.

Just the shoe for you to wear without rubbers up to the first of May. Sizes 5 to 11; widths B to E; styles, narrow, round and Common Sense toes.

See our window Saturday for specials.

DOANE & EDSALL.

THE COTILLION CLUB.

Third of the Season's Series, and a Lenten Rest.

The home of the Misses Randolph at East Front street and Farragut avenue was last night the scene of a joyous gathering, the occasion being the third of the series of dances given by the Cotillion Club, composed of young society people of the town.

That these events are purely informal adds much to the pleasure of the members and guests in attendance.

The floors of the rooms had been crashed, and as this was the last meeting of the club before Lent, everyone seemed intent on enjoying as pleasant a time as possible.

At 10:30 a dainty lunch was served under the direction of the club, and the cotillion followed. The music was furnished by Elliot of New York.

In addition to the members of the club, a list of which has already appeared in these columns, the following guests were present from out of town: Messrs. Cox and Lockwood of New York, Miss Evans of Westfield, and Miss Vanderbilt of Montclair.

The last of this series of cotillions will take place at the resumption of the social season after Easter.

JAPANESE ARE NEAR CHE-FOO.

London, Feb. 14.—A despatch from Shanghai to the Central News says that the Japanese troops are reported to have arrived at a point five miles southeast of Che-Foo.

In Music Hall Next Monday.

A play full of romance, of love, of poetry, of music, of sweetness and light, with but few dark patches and no tragedies; a dramatic tale of life in Ireland about 80 years ago, but with no politics, no hints of rebellion in it; a story of well sustained interest to the close, refreshing, pleasing and picturesque, such is Augustus Pitou's and George H. Jessup's new comedy-drama, "The Irish Artist", to be given in Music Hall next Monday night by a competent company headed by Chauncey Olcott, the popular singing Irish comedian.

The authors have completely discarded nearly all of the Irish conventional types, and have chosen for their leading character an individual, a native genius, clean and manly, with talent which only needed better opportunity than that afforded him in the land of his birth to develop into a man of prominence, of refined tastes, musical and an artist; a man to whom little children would unhesitatingly give their trust, a man with whom most young women, willing to become wives, would fall in love. In short, a narrative of love in most picturesque setting seemed to be their controlling motive. They succeeded in their aim, and have made a positive hit.

"She Couldn't Marry Three."

It is an actual fact that an audience has been heard to laugh half a mile from the theatre during the production of "She Couldn't Marry Three."

No more exciting and thrilling sensational effects ever used than in the production of "She Couldn't Marry Three."

A complete set of calcium lights give an added charm to the beautiful scenery in "She Couldn't Marry Three."

Crescent Division Elects.

Crescent Division, No. 13, U. R. K. of K., last elected the following officers:

Captain—T. E. Flannery.
Lieutenant—Morgan Turton.
Herald—Jacob Blimm, Jr.
Sir Knight Recorder—S. Robinson.
Sir Knight Treasurer—W. VanNess.

The division will meet at the rooms of Perseverance Lodge tomorrow afternoon to attend the funeral of Capt. Flannery's father at Scotch Plains.

A New Police Commissioner.

Mayor Strong of New York this morning appointed Avery D. Andrews of 101 West Eighty-first street a police commissioner to succeed John O. Sheehan, removed. The appointment was a surprise.

For Temperance Legislation.

As a result of the persistent efforts of Rev. W. E. Honeyman, who is engineering the local-option legislation as the chosen representative of the Presbyterian Synod and Anti-Liquor League of the State, Senator Bradley has sent out printed notices to the liquor-dealers of the State that a hearing will be given Feb. 19 before the committee on boroughs on Senate bills 28, 48 and 49, which take the licensing of inns and taverns in boroughs out of the control of the courts and places it in the governing bodies. All liquor-dealers will be heard patiently at that time. Pastors and attendants on churches, temperance people, and the order-loving people who believe in local self-government are invited to be present at the same time in advocacy of bills 48 and 49. A large gathering of temperance people is expected on that day. Mr. Honeyman was in Trenton yesterday in the interest of the measure.

$100 Reward $100.

The reader of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly on the blood and mucous surface of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer $100 for any case that it fails to cure.

Send for list of testimonial.

F. J. Cheney & Co., Props. Toledo, O.

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Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report

Royal Baking Powder

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FRIENDS OPPOSE LICENSE.

They Adopt a Memorial to the Common Council.

At a meeting of member of the Society of Friends, held on the 12th inst. in the old meeting house, Watchung avenue, the following memorial was unanimously adopted:

To the Honorable Common Council of the City of Plainfield.

Your memorialists, the Philanthropic Committee of the Plainfield Meeting of the Religious Society of Friends, hereby respectfully and earnestly ask that, in the exercise of the option legally vested in your honorable body, you will grant no licenses for the sale of intoxicating liquors for drinking purposes, and that you will make adequate provision for the repression of the traffic in intoxicating beverages.

We furthermore respectfully represent that alcoholic intoxicants are to those in health, both needless and injurious, and that the liquor saloon fosters poverty, vice and crime, and is a peril to the home, the community and the State.

In behalf of the committee:

AARON M. POWELL,
RACHEL BOGERT,
ADELBERT VAIL,
MARIETTA V. ADAMS,
JUSTUS C. HAVILAND,
ANNA RICE POWELL,
CLARA S. RUSHMORE,

Plainfield, 2d month, 12th 1895.

—Daniel Connors, under arrest for forgery, was released on bail today.

—Street Commissioner Meeker is doing good work today in clearing of snow the walk in front of the billboard on East Front street.

Mrs. Emily Thorne, who resides at Toledo, Washington, says she has never been able to procure any medicine for rheumatism that relieves the pain so quickly and effectually as Chamberlain's Pain Balm and that she has also used it for lame back with great success. For sale at Reynolds's pharmacy, Park and North aves. T. S. Armstrong, manager.

THAWING OUT FROZEN MEAT.

A Dark Room Treatment Before Leaving the Cold Storage House.

According to the process invented by Messrs. Nelson Bros. for thawing frozen meat in such a way as to put it on the market in a sound condition and avoid the many objections to which the sale of the meat while still in a frozen state was open, the chamber of the apparatus is provided with double doors, one of which is extremely thick, so as to shut out, as far as possible, all external atmosphere. The chamber has no windows, but is supplied with electric light.

On entering one sees only some 30 quarters of beef hanging in rows on hooks over a slightly raised open platform, with a canvas curtain at the back. Under this platform, however, there is a series of steam pipes, while behind the curtain there is a series of pipes filled with compressed ammonia, similar to those used in connection with the ordinary freezing processes. The steam pipes under the meat cause a current of warm air to ascend all around it, and as soon as this current reaches the top of this chamber it is drawn to the freezing pipes behind the curtain, by which all the moisture is frozen out of it, on to the pipes themselves. It accumulates there in the form of snow some three-quarters of an inch in thickness.

The snow has to be scraped off the pipes from time to time, and it is stated that the accumulation during five days, in the thawing of 30 quarters of beef, has resulted in no fewer than 168 pounds of water. During that same period the meat has lost only 1 per cent in weight. The purpose of the canvas curtain is to divide the ascending warm current from the descending cold current, and it is claimed that the effect of this incessant passing of the air first over the steam pipes and then over the freezing pipes is eventually to free it from all moisture. When the meat is first hung, the temperature of the room is almost at freezing point, but on the fifth day the temperature of the chamber has been raised to that of the air outside. By this time the frost has all been thawed out of the meat, which is then in a condition to be sent to market.—London Invention.

Food For Man and Beast.

"We read sometimes," said Mr. Billtops, "of people 'eagerly devouring' a newspaper, but horses sometimes do that literally. Twice lately I have seen horses eating newspapers. Perhaps this might come under the head of 'taking in every word.'"—New York Sun.

A man one time a good thing had
Which people would have prized,
But he never sold a single one,
For he never advertised.

Shiloh's cure is sold on a guarantee. It cures incipient consumption; it is the best cough cure, only 1c a dose; 25, 50c, $1. Sold by all druggists.

Karl's Clover Root, the great blood purifier, gives freshness and clearness to the complexion and cures constipation; 25c 50c, $1. Sold by all druggists.

Mrs. T. S. Hawkins, Chattanooga, Tenn., says: "Shiloh's Vitalizer saved my life; I consider it the best remedy for a debilitated system I ever used. For dyspepsia, liver or kidney trouble it excels; 75c. Sold by all druggists.

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Late Spring

Does not prevent us from displaying new and pretty designs in Spring Suitings. We are receiving new goods daily and the prices we have put on them will prove that we are the leaders of bargains. These are not CHEAP GOODS, but good goods at cheap prices.

15 pieces flannel suitings 25c.
10 " " 49c.
10 pieces plain serges 25c.
8 pieces fancy plaids 12½c.
15 " worsteds 15c.

Ladies Ready-Made Suits.

A complete line of stylish spring suits in all shades. Our prices—

$5 00	$6 85	$7 50	$8 75
worth	worth	worth	worth
$ 50	$3 00	$8 75	$10 25

We will take your order for a silk dress, skirt or waist and guarantee a fit.

Waists and Skirts.

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I might begin, "The rose is red"
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Or this the boys all think is good,
"If you love me as I love you."

But, seems to me, a valentine
Is nicer when you do not say
The same old things that every one
Keeps saying in the same old way.

And I asked Jane the other night
What grown up people write about.
She would not answer me at first,
But laughed till I began to pout.
That stopped her, for she saw I meant
The question (and she will not tease).
"Why, love," she said, "and shining eyes,
A kiss, soft hair—just what they please."
It can't be hard if that is all,
So I'll begin by saying this:

"To my dear lady beautiful
I send a valentine and kiss,
The valentine because she has
The loveliest hair and gentlest eyes,
The kiss because I love her more
Than any one beneath the skies,
Because she is the kindest, best,
The sweetest lady ever known.
And every year I'll say the same,
The very same, to her alone!"

There! Now it's finished. Who will do?
I've thought of one and then another.
Who is there like it? Why, of course,
I'll send it right away to mother.

MISS SALLY.

A VALENTINE STORY BY EDITH SESSIONS TUPPER.

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"Miss Sally, here's your mail."

Miss Sally looked over her spectacles at her neighbor's little daughter who had brought her letters, smiled kindly, thanked the child, and rising went to the pantry and brought out one of her crisp caraway seed cookies as a reward of merit.

The little girl seized it with eager hands, and after taking an enormous bite looked solemnly at Miss Sally and went away.

Miss Sally settled herself in her high backed, old fashioned rocker to look over

MISS SALLY LOOKED OVER HER SPECTACLES.

and enjoy her mail, for her letters were few and far between, and when three were handed to her at once they signified an event in her humdrum, monotonous existence.

Miss Sally was poor and old and plain. She lived alone in a little weather beaten cottage on a quiet street in a quiet country town. The cottage was stained by the storms of many years, but over its humble porch trumpet flowers flaunted their gorgeous blossoms, and the Virginia creeper wantoned in luxurious profusion. In the narrow windows geraniums, fuchsias, pinks and wax plants stood in brightly polished tin cans and bits of broken crockery. Everything within the house was scrupulously neat and tidy. Miss Sally's sewing machine glittered and shone like some petted steam engine. It was almost human to the lonely old maid. She earned her bread and butter by it. It was her sole companion. She loved its whir and clatter. She talked and visited with it. She anointed it with oil and polished it with chamois skin until she could almost see her kind old face reflected in its shining surface.

Miss Sally had not always been poor and old and plain. There had been a day when she was young and pretty, the favored belle of the little village, the daughter of well to do parents. But they long since had lain down to their last sleep, leaving no heritage to their child. With the years had flown Miss Sally's beauty and sprightly ways. She was now only an old maid seamstress, living alone with her flowers and her sewing machine.

But Miss Sally's heart was all right. She was not an imbittered busybody, acid, garrulous and envious. Wherever sickness crept with dreaded tread went Miss Sally with soothing hands, low voice and a rare knowledge of roots and herbs. Were "watchers" needed to sit through the awful night by the side of a sheeted, frozen form, Miss Sally was never wanting. When the annual donation party came off for the "elder" and his family, which began at noontide and extended to the midnight watches, Miss Sally stood in the front of the battle and baked, cooked and washed dishes until she was ready to drop. If there was any disagreeable or exacting neighborhood duty to be performed, Miss Sally was never found shirking.

Every small country place has a Miss Sally, a self constituted, self ordained sister of mercy, to whom with one accord all turn in times of trouble and extra cares.

"I don't know nothin how I'd manage to live," said her next door neighbor, Mrs. Ezra Hobart, "ef 'twan't fur Miss Sally. Ef my yeast don't rise, ef the hens don't

WOUNDED TO THE QUICK.

lay or ef the young uns git to squallin, I jest put on my bunnit an run over there, an she knows jest what to do an allus makes me feel first rate. I do take comfort with Miss Sally."

That was it. Everybody "took comfort" with Miss Sally. She made everybody "feel first rate."

This gentle, kind hearted old maid loved children, and, as a rule, little folks were very fond of her. Miss Sally's proficiency in the matter of caraway cookies has already been mentioned. It is perhaps unnecessary to hint of pumpkin pies and red raspberry jam. Oh, that jam of Miss Sally's! Even now, at the mere thought of it, my mouth waters and my lips involuntarily smack.

There were, however, several young imps in this country town who would not be won by Miss Sally's kindness or cooking. They stole her apples and trampled down her flower beds. They made faces at her on the street and hurt her by jeering remarks about her condition in life. Young brutes are to be found in every community.

It was from one of these hobbledehoys that a blow, destined to hurt and injure the inoffensive woman, came the morning on which this story opens. Miss Sally eyed her three letters with a rapture unknown to those with whom a large mail is a daily occurrence. She held them up and carefully scrutinized the postmarks. She felt of them to discover their thickness. She hesitated for some time before opening them. It was such a treat to have three letters!

At last she opened one which bore the postmark of a distant western town and read a letter from a second cousin who had recently moved toward the setting sun. Miss Sally read Cousin Elvira's letter with relish. There were many bits of family news which greatly interested her. At last she came to this line: "You never could guess who is living here. Do you remember your old beau, John Terry?"

Miss Sally dropped the letter with a quick exclamation. Did she remember? A tempest shook the lonely soul. The long buried past came back. Youth, beauty, love, hope, passed in hasty and mournful procession before her. The poor, plain old maid was once again a slim, graceful slip of a girl. She saw a face at once handsome and tender; she heard a loving voice.

Poor Miss Sally! It was too much for her. She could not finish the letter. The tears were falling down her thin cheeks as she hastily returned it to the envelope and laid it one side to be reread when she was more composed.

"I'll just glance at the others," she thought as she wiped her eyes on her gingham apron. The second letter was merely a note regarding some sewing. The third—ah! When Miss Sally opened that envelope and saw the contents, she felt indeed that her cup was full.

A hideous, coarsely painted comic valentine met her eye. A frightful old woman, with corkscrew ringlets, huge beak, cross eyes, gaunt form, scrawny neck and mincing attitudes, was portrayed upon the cheap paper. It was labeled "Old Maid," and some wretched doggerel under the picture stated that this object, a withered, grizzly, ugly old hag, was in search of a husband and was a terror to all single men.

The vile caricature slipped from Miss Sally's trembling hand to the floor. The shrinking, sensitive soul was wounded to the quick by the insult. Possibly she might not have felt the stab so keenly had it not come directly upon the letter which had spoken a name she had not dared to breathe to herself these many years.

This, then, was her St. Valentine's day. Miss Sally had forgotten it was the 14th of February. Why should she remember it? But these two rude shocks brought the day forcibly to her mind.

Rising, she crossed the room to an old fashioned secretary, and opening a drawer took out an envelope, yellow with age. From this she drew a bit of paint and lace and rosebuds—a valentine, the only one she had ever received, sent her years ago by John Terry. It bore two hearts transfixed by one arrow, and there were some simple rhymes inscribed which breathed of love and fidelity. Its lace was frayed, its paint dimmed. Only a faded leaf drop-

"LET'S BEGIN LIFE OVER AGAIN."

ped from the mournful rustling boughs of memory, but dear to the desolate old maid who held it tenderly in her toilworn hands.

"How happy I was," thought Miss Sally, "the day I got it! I remember jest how father laughed when he handed it to me. Well, well, I didn't think then that John and I would fall out, and that he'd go off out west and marry somebody else. Pshaw! I am an old fool. There hain't no fool like an old one." And Miss Sally returned her valentine to the drawer in which it had reposed so many years, then, after burning the abominable picture she had received, went about her sewing, grimly resolving she would waste no more time on the past. "I'll finish Elviry's letter this evening." She started to the sewing machine. "That'll be a pleasant way of passing an hour."

The day drew to a close. Twilight deepened into dusk. Miss Sally made her tea and sat down to her lonely evening meal. Occasionally she cast a glance toward Elvira's letter, which still lay unread on the window sill. She wondered what more there was in it about John. At last her curiosity got the better of her, and leaving her second cup of tea untasted she took up the letter, and adjusting her spectacles prepared to read it at all costs.

At that moment a knock came on her street door.

Miss Sally laid down the letter and hastened to answer the summons. In the dusk of the winter evening she saw a man standing there, a tall, well built, well dressed man, who politely lifted his hat and asked if Miss Sally Staples lived there.

"Yes, sir, walk in," said Miss Sally, all in a flutter.

The stranger entered, and with one quick glance took in the surroundings, the wholesome, meagerly furnished room, the frugal supper, the sewing machine. Then he stole a glance at Miss Sally, noting the plain, stiff gown; the poor, thin, needle pricked hands; the gentle, kindly, pathetic face. Then he took a step or two toward her, and as she gave a start and a half terrified exclamation he caught her in his big brawny arms and cried, "Sally, don't you know your old John?"

And the windows of heaven were opened to poor Miss Sally.

After they had quieted down a bit and talked it all over, after Miss Sally had given John his share of her tea and toast and had, moreover, brought out the caraway cookies and the red raspberry jam.

she began to look a little troubled, and a faded blush passed over her face.

"Your wife, John," she murmured apologetically. "I declare I was so taken back I never thought one word about your being married. You must excuse my forwardness. I didn't mean no harm," she added humbly.

"My wife!" repeated John. "Why, didn't Elvira Jenkins write you? She told me she would."

"I got a letter from her this morning," said Miss Sally, "but I really hain't had the time to read it," which was probably the first lie Miss Sally had ever told. "I was just a-going to as you knocked."

"Well, you read it," said John, smiling to himself, "while I take another saucer of that there jam."

Miss Sally reopened the letter and found the place where she had left off reading. "Do you remember your old beau, John Terry? He lives here. He is a very rich man and has been a widower three years. He asked lots about you last time I saw him and said write you he was going east a-purpose to see you."

Miss Sally dropped the letter again. She scarcely dared look up.

John, having finished his jam, came over, and putting his arm around her took her hand in his and kissed it tenderly, thin and rough as it was.

"My wife is here, Sally, if you will have it so. I hain't never ceased to love you. We was foolish, both on us. Let's begin life over again."

And so Miss Sally's valentine came to her.

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Leave New York from foot of Liberty street 4 30, 6 00, 7 15, 8, 8 40, 9 10, 10.11 45, A. M., 1 10, 1 30, 2 30, 3 30, 3 45, 4, 4 30, 5, 5 15, except Saturday, 5 30, 5 45, 6, 6 15, 6 30, 7, 7 30, 8, 8 30, 9 15, 10 15, 11 30 P. M., 12 15, 1, night. Sunday—4 30, 7 15, 8 30, 9 15, A. M., 12 M., 1, 2 15, 4, 5 30, 7, 9 00, 10 00 P. M., 12 15 night. 1 A M.

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LEAVE PLAINFIELD.

5 45 A. M. for Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport and Tamaqua.

7 10 a. m. for stations to High Bridge, connecting for stations on High Bridge Branch.

3 15 A. M. for Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9 54 A. M. for Flemington, High Bridge branch D L & W R R, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Pottsville, Nanticoke, Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c. Through coach to Williamsport.

12 46 p. m. way for Easton, connecting at Junction for stations on D. L. & W. R. R.

2 08 P. M. for Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Sunbury and Williamsport, Wilkes-Barre and Scranton. Buffet parlor car to Mauch Chunk.

5 06 p. m., way for Easton, connecting at High Bridge for stations on High Bridge branch

5 14 P. M. for Flemington, Easton, Bethlehem, Bangor Allentown, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, Mauch Chunk, Shamokin and Tamaqua, Buffet parlor car to Scranton.

5 19 P. M. for Flemington.

6 38 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading and Harrisburg.

8 21 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

5 45 A. M. Sunday for Easton, Bethlehem Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Wilkesbarre and Scranton. 8 28 a.m. Sundays for Easton, 2 08 p. m. Sundays for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Reading and Harrisburg, 6.35 p. m. Sundays for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, &c. and at Junction for D. L. & W. R. R.

For Atlantic City, 3 37 a. m. 1 18 p. m.

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Leave Plainfield 3 37, 8, 10 37, a. m. 1.18, 3 51, 5 54, p. m., Sundays—(except Ocean Grove) 8 52, a. m., 3 30 p. m.

For Perth Amboy, 3 37, 5 33, 8 10 37 a. m., 1 18, 3 51, 4 50, 5.54, 7 08 p.m. Sunday—8 52, a. m., 3 30 p. m.

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HE EARNED IT.

A VALENTINE STORY.

Oh, but those were jolly February days, all shine and snow and jingle and bells—that is, for most people. To Laddie it was rather gloomy, though he saw the sun shine and the snow sparkle and heard the sleigh bells tinkle, as everybody did. But Laddie was a little fellow—very little for 7 years—and he hadn't many ways of amusing himself when shut up in the house, especially when mamma was too weak and tired to read to him or invent games. This was the case now, and it was a very hard time for poor Laddie, as you may imagine. He waited on mamma quite cheerfully, however, and even helped Hannah, the woman who came now and then to do the heavy housework, with good grace, but still there were many empty hours and some very sad ones.

Mamma's headache seemed to grow worse, instead of better, as the days went by, and often he saw her crying quietly. He knew then that she was thinking of papa, for she always cried when she thought or spoke of him. Papa had gone away in a big ship somewhere, long ago, when Laddie was a baby, and the ship had been wrecked, and he never came back. Laddie often asked if there was no hope of his ever coming, but mamma looked so sorry when she said, "I'm afraid not, little one," that he had about given up trying to find out any more.

One day, it was the 13th day of this sparkling February, Hannah sent Laddie down town on an errand, and he gayly set off, glad of any chance to be out, if only for a short time. As he passed the gay shops he eagerly looked at the bright pictures their windows presented, wishing he were rich enough to buy some of the lovely things for mamma.

His cheeks burned with excitement as he looked at the gay pictures and thought how surprised and glad his mamma would be if he should send her one.

Without stopping to remember that he owned only three pennies in the world, and that money was scarce at home, he began trying to decide which one of the valentines would be most appropriate for his sweetheart mamma. Finally he chose one which had a blue background, with Cupid riding across it on a rose colored cloud. The card was framed with a plush border and would look very rich on mamma's mantelshelf. So in he walked boldly and said to the clerk near the door:

"How much is that blue valentine?"

"Five dollars," answered the clerk, with a queer smile at the small, rather shabby, figure before him. The smile changed to a look of pity, however, as he saw Laddie's eyes fill with tears. He put his hand on the little fellow's shoulder and said, "See here, my boy, there are some very pretty valentines on this shelf for 50 cents, and here are some nice ones for only 25."

Laddie brightened and then began choosing among the cheaper ones until he remembered that even 25 cents was a large amount when one's entire fortune consisted of 3 coppers. He suddenly looked up and said:

"A fellow couldn't earn 22 cents between now and tomorrow, could he?"

"Why, I dare say he might by trying hard," answered the clerk cheerfully. "There's quite a good bit to be earned sometimes by carrying people's satchels from the station."

So quite hopefully our little man sped away in the direction of the Western station. As he neared the place he saw that the train had already come in, for numbers of people were hurrying toward town in carriages or on foot. Very few of the latter, however, appeared to have much to carry, and at first there seemed no chance of getting a job. But as he saw a big, good natured looking fellow carrying a small valise, he accosted him eagerly:

"Don't you want me to carry your baggage, sir, please?"

The man looked down at the bit of humanity before him and then at his valise. Then he laughed long and loud, shaking so that Laddie felt as though an earthquake were convulsing the pavement beneath him. At last the man found breath to say:

"Well, little fellow, I don't see that I need much help with this thimbleful of baggage, but that [illegible] who has just passed has a lot to carry. Maybe he'll hire you."

Before the sentence was finished off darted the boy so fast that he overtook the heavily laden traveler and fairly tangled himself in the long overcoat as he said:

"Will you please let me carry this biggest satchel? I'll do it cheap!"

This man did not laugh—at least not aloud—and Laddie felt encouraged, though the satchel looked rather formidable.

"Well, well, youngster," said the stranger, "you don't look as though you could manage such a heavy load, but you may take this smaller bundle, if you can carry it as far as Central hotel, for I'm in a good deal of a hurry."

Laddie hesitated. "Would you pay more for the big satchel?" he asked.

This time the new man did laugh and said pleasantly, "No; carry the small one, and I'll pay you whatever you ask."

"Whatever you ask!" Could it be possible? Then he could get the whole sum at once! But, no. Perhaps this would seem too much to pay. 'Twould do no harm to ask, however, so he said, taking the bundle and trudging bravely along:

"Would 22 cents be too much?"

"Well, that's rather a queer sum, but I think I can stand it. Why don't you make it an even quarter, though?"

Then Laddie told all about his valentine plan, and the 3 cents already in his pocket, and the pretty card at the book store which could be bought for a quarter. The gentleman was very much interested and watched his little companion closely as he went on. At last, when Laddie stopped to take breath, he said:

"Why don't you ask your papa for the money?"

"'Cause papa isn't here. He never was here since I can remember, and I don't know if he's dead or not, but mamma always cries when she tells about him."

The gentleman stopped suddenly, and looking eagerly into Laddie's upturned face asked one more question:

"What is your name?"

"Mamma calls me Laddie, but my real name is Lawrence Raymond. That was papa's name."

Down went the load of bundles on the pavement, and Laddie found himself clasped close in the strong arms of his new friend. He didn't quite understand it nor why the stranger almost sobbed as he said, "My baby, my baby!" He hardly liked that, and so, straightening himself up as tall as he could, he said sturdily, "I'm 7!"

"Yes, yes, little man," laughed the gentleman, "but you used to be my baby, and I have come back to you. Now, let's hurry to mamma as fast as we can."

"Without the valentine?" said Laddie, hardly realizing the truth as yet.

"We'll get her one tomorrow, dear, the finest one in town, but now show me the way home and tell me all about her."

So they hurried toward the humble house, Laddie telling about mamma's troubles as well as he knew how and listening to bits of papa's strange story, which sounded almost as wonderful as Robinson Crusoe. At last they reached the door, and Laddie rushed in, crying excitedly:

"Mamma, it's come back—the valentine—papa—23 cents—oh, dear!"

Mamma gave a start and a joyful cry. Then suddenly Laddie found himself once more warmly embraced, this time, however, in two pair of arms instead of one, and he felt queer to see both mamma and the new found papa crying over him.

But the queer feeling gave place to a most happy one when after awhile he saw mamma sitting at the table with a bright look he had never seen on her face before and heard her say to papa:

"Laddie has brought me the best valentine I ever received!"

An Expensive Luxury.

In olden times St. Valentine's day cost people no inconsiderable sums. "Pepys' Diary" records some curious customs during the reign of the "merry monarch," Charles II. Thus Mr. Pepys says in his diary on Valentine's day, 1667: "This morning came up to my wife's bedside (I being up dressing myself) little Will Mercer, to be her valentine, and brought her name written upon blue paper in gold letters done by himself, very pretty, and we were both well pleased with it. But I am also this year my wife's valentine, and it will cost me £5, but that I must have laid out if we had not been valentines." Later he adds, "I find that Mrs. Pierce's little girl is my valentine, she having drawn me, which I was not sorry for, it easing me of something more that I must have given to others." Of Miss Stuart, who became Duchess of Richmond, Pepys wrote, in describing her jewels, that the Duke of York was once her valentine and presented her a jewel valued at £800, or $4,000. Lord Mandeville was thus a giver in a jewel worth £300. Being drawn as valentine imposed a certain obligation on the donors. Pepys wrote on another Valentine's day: "This evening my wife did with great pleasure show me her stock of jewels, increased by the ring she hath made lately as my valentine's gift this year, a Turkey stone set with diamonds. With this and what she had she reckons that she hath above £150 worth of jewels of one kind or other, and I am glad of it, for it is fit the wretch should have something to content herself with." The word "wretch," it must be remembered, was used in Pepys' time as a term of great endearment.

For Faint Hearts.

Don't get discouraged, young man. Asylums may be necessities, but boarding houses are not. Homes are a luxury, and you do well to try to start one. There will be obstacles enough to your purpose without inventing any for you or your thinking up any for yourself. No matter if your spelling is a little weakkneed and your rhymes need tuning, if you have something to express, express it, or try anyway, and when you have done your best—a postage stamp on it, and away it goes, and may the blessing of St. Valentine go with it. Even if you should fail to affect the adamantine heart of this particular lady, you will at least have taken a step in the art of expression and learned something perhaps that will be of use to you some other time. There are a good many girls in the world these days, and you know bullseyes are not made by the young chap who stands always with his hands in his pockets gaping at the target. Take a good shot. The custom of Valentine's day invites it.

A Valentine For Mamma.

TWO ORPHANS.

St. Valentine's Morn.

Apollo has peeped through the shutter
And awakened the witty and fair,
The boarding school belle's in a flutter,
The twopenny post's in despair,
The breath of the morning is flinging
A magic on blossom and spray,
And cockneys and sparrows are singing
In chorus on Valentine's day.

WON BY A VALENTINE.

Bells ringing, girls appearing in the halls and public rooms, forming groups with a general air of suppressed excitement, marked St. Valentine's day at Lewiston school. Charma Sidney was wandering idly up and down the lower hall with her chum, "Goosie," hanging on her arm. "Goosie" won her nickname through her gentle disposition and artless, straightforward manner. Charma said plaintively, "How I wish there was a valentine for me, but I know of a certain one likely to remember me in that way whom I don't want to nevertheless. I wouldn't accept a valentine from him—no, not if he brought it himself. Jack Landon may marry whoever he wants to. He can't love me."

"Goosie" looked up admiringly and thought that any one who declined chances with such readiness must be great indeed and wondered if she could ever do the same.

A little sharper tingle than usual of the bell below aroused Charma from the reverie into which she had fallen; then some one called from the hall, "Miss Sidney!" She flew down the broad staircase, assured that a valentine had come for her, and indeed was soon kneeling in the midst of a crowd of girls over a box of fragrant roses reposing snugly in their cotton bed, the white satin streamers half hiding a tiny card that had slipped down among them unnoticed. Charma rescued the card somewhat triumphantly and read, "Mr. Jack Landon." But this was not all. As she knelt above them, lifting them out and inhaling their fragrance, "Goosie" picked up a diamond ring that had fallen to the floor and held it out with a flourish, crying: "Look, look, Charma Sidney, what your valentine means! You'll have him now, won't you?" But Charma was spellbound for the moment by the message on a little slip of paper found under the roses and which she read with flushing cheeks.

"Must I go back?" it said. "Love, I love you. Cannot I come to you, sweetheart mine? My love for you is as pure as the roses I send, precious as this little diamond and as lasting as all eternity. Let me come."

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Charma was our only postgraduate for the year—that is, after a regular graduation she had returned to school to "brush up" in elective studies. Her reappearance on opening day had made us both glad and sorry—glad because she was a good companion, sorry for the reason—but therein lies the key to my St. Valentine romance.

Lewiston holds before its pupils the old fashioned idea of woman's sphere as the head of a home with all the term implies, and if graceful, stately Charma, with her speaking gray eyes, wavy brown tresses and not at all of a student nor bluestocking temperament had been obliged to return to school to cover up her failure in woman's natural role, what would become of us girls, a score of seniors, when we came to go trooping out to conquer, or, alas, to be conquered by the fate that pursues old maids? Yes, we did love her, and we couldn't understand why the rest of our kind, particularly mankind, didn't love her too. The secret of it she had guarded well, but we forgave her that when she shared with us the secret of her valentine gift.

"Jack Landon is my dearest friend," she said, hot with blushes, when we had caressed away the tears.

"How is it you never told us?"

"You see, we weren't engaged—that is, he hadn't really proposed, but it wasn't his fault," pleaded Charma. "It was mine."

"You loved him and wouldn't own it, even to us girls?"

"Yes; I did love him, but every time he wanted to say something to the point I turned it off, pretended not to understand, or to be interested in astronomy or botany or music or any subject at hand that I could turn to as a foil. Girls, I confess I bluffed him simply because I was fascinated with the game."

The confession cleared the atmosphere for all concerned. Jack soon followed his valentine in person and gave Charma no chance to turn Cupid's shaft away again. Like a good soldier, when beaten in siege, he had adopted a ruse de guerre, for which the day had given a capital excuse. Our star pupil remained with us until commencement, and as she went away from Lewiston the echoes of schoolgirl goodbys were mingled with those of wedding bells and congratulations to Jack Landon's bride, wooed and won by a valentine.

EDIKE HOWARD.

A CHRISTIAN FESTIVAL.

Good Old St. Valentine Was Not Appreciated Until He Died.

St. Valentine was a good man, who lived in a bad city—in cruel old Rome. He was accordingly persecuted, and in the reign of the Emperor Aurelian the head which had thought so many noble thoughts for God and humanity was severed by men who were not worthy to unloose the latchets of their victim's shoes.

As soon as Valentine was once dead he began to be appreciated. All of us will amount to more in the eyes of our fellows the day after we breathe our last than at any time in life. It was only a short time before he was made a full fledged saint and given a place in the calendar. This was not far from 1,600 years ago.

Now, the Romans, centuries and centuries before the Christian era, had feasts in the month of February known as the feasts of the Lupercalia. One of the customs peculiar to these was the putting of the names of the young women into a box from which they were drawn by the young men as chance directed.

It is supposed that this custom originated from the habit of the birds in choosing their mates at that season of the year, and that it was a relic of the nature worship common to the primeval races of Europe.

There is nothing more tenacious than the customs of a people, nothing more defiant of time, and even after the foul mists of paganism had begun to scatter before the morning sun of Christianity this old custom of drawing names was still dear to the Roman people, and they ardently clung to it.

But the early Christian fathers were as diplomatic as they were devoted, and they had the good sense to bend to their uses what they could not extirpate. Finding it was all out of the question to induce their converts to relinquish this favorite custom, they just simply Christianized it, as they did the heathenish rites of yuletide into Christmas. They made it into a festival of the church and hit upon St. Valentine as the proper person whom the custom should honor and the day celebrate.

In the provinces of Lorraine and Maine, in France, and in portions of England and Scotland, within less than a century, on St. Valentine's eve, a number of young people would get together and write on bits of paper the names of various young ladies and gentlemen. These bits would be thoroughly shaken, and then each would draw his or her valentine. A bachelor was bound to the service of his valentine, like a mediæval knight to his ladylove, for a whole year. At one time it was customary for both sexes to make their valentines appropriate presents. Oftentimes the outcome of these amorous suffrages was the tying of the connubial knot.

The custom seems to have been pretty well diluted by the time it reached the land of the star spangled banner. The Yankee has all the voting he wants in politics without exercising the franchise for amusement in midwinter. The day is celebrated in America by the sending of prints by the lovers of fun, by the spiteful and by the lovelorn.

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A Father Saves Himself and Children from Death.

Charles Ludwig Wakes Up To Find the Tenement in Flames and Escape Cut Off by the Stairs—Burst Into the Children's Room and Lowered Them to the Street by a Rope.

Newark, N. J., Feb. 14.—But for the coolness of Charles Ludwig at a time of great danger he and his children might now be dead. He is a widower and lives on the third floor of the building at the corner of Court and Broome streets with his three children, the eldest fifteen years of age. The children slept in one room, while the father's room was next to the kitchen, where a lamp had been left burning. The lamp exploded and the burning oil was scattered in every direction.

Ludwig awoke with a start. The red glare of the flames as they ate their way along the kitchen floor made flickering shadows on the walls of his room, and the black smoke caused by the burning oil began to roll through the open doorway. Ludwig was dazed for a moment, but then the situation became apparent to him and he rushed to the door of the kitchen. He was driven back by the flames, which were gaining force and headway.

Rushed to His Children.

Ludwig then opened a door leading to the hallway and staggered back against the wall, for the flames had already eaten their way into the hall and the stairs which led to the street were burning. It seemed as if there was no way of escape, and the father rushed to the room where his children were asleep, unmindful of the terrible danger to which they were exposed.

The door of the room was closed, and when an attempt was made to open it the father found that it was locked. He pounded on it wildly and shouted "fire!" as loudly as he could. His cries awakened the children and the people who lived on the second floor. The latter were soon scampering down the stairs and into the street, where they stood and watched the windows on the third floor. They wrung their hands in despair when they saw the three children standing at a window with the red glare of the flames behind them. The father was not with them, but he soon appeared. He had thought of a means of escape.

In a back room he knew there was a long clothes line on which the woman, who did his work, hung out the weekly wash. He fought his way to the room, and groping about in the thick smoke he finally placed his hand on the rope. Then he made his way back to the front window, where he had previously taken his three children and who were clinging to one another, the youngest, a tot of three years, sobbing in the arms of her older brothers.

Saved from Death.

"You will have to be brave now," said the father, and he told them that he would lower them by means of the rope to the ground. Lena, the youngest, was the first to go out the window. The rope was doubled so that it would bear its burden and then it was tied around a lounge which was in the room. The child was lowered out of the window, while the people below cheered. Slowly the little one neared the earth as the rope was let out by the father and her oldest brother, John.

The tower boomed out 612 as the child reached the ground, for the alarm had just been turned in. The flames seemed dangerously near those at the window as willing hands untied the rope from the little one, and the father quickly pulled it back to the window. Willie, the 8-year-old son, was then tied to the end of the rope and was lowered in safety. Then his brother John was lowered.

Down the Rope.

The fire was now burning the furniture in the room where Ludwig stood, and the heat was intense. Huge rolls of smoke would envelop him every few seconds as he stooped low and hung his head out of the window to get as much air as possible. The sharp clang of an engine could be heard now above the noise in the street, but Ludwig decided that he had better not wait for a ladder, and he boldly swung himself out of the window and slid down the rope. The thin line offered no hold for his hands, and they were badly lacerated by the rope. He was nearly unconscious when he reached the street.

The firemen soon had a number of streams of water on the fire, and it was confined to the part of the house where it had originated, and the damage will not exceed $500. The first floor of the building is occupied by the annex to the Morton street public school, and it, as well as the second floor, was flooded by the water. Two families named Freidman and Banks lived on the second floor.

Interest and Principal in Gold.

New York, Feb. 14.—At a meeting of the New York board of trade and transportation it was decided to memoralize congress and urge that body upon the necessity of at once enacting such legislation as will permit the issue of bonds bearing 3 per cent. interest, both principal and interest payable in gold, which, it was claimed, would save the country the enormous difference in interest between bonds payable in gold or in coin.

Oyster Dealers Organize.

New Haven, Conn., Feb. 14.—An important meeting of the oyster dealers and growers of the state was held yesterday in this city. It was voted to organize an association to be known as the Connecticut Oyster Growers' association, and a committee of five were appointed to complete the organization.

Violated the Alien Labor Law.

Toledo, O., Feb. 14.—F. W. Adams, of Toronto, Ont., agent of C. F. Adams & Co., fur makers, was arrested here yesterday on a charge of violating the alien labor law. Adams it is alleged brought six aliens, four from Toronto and two from London, Ont. He was held in bail of $5,000.

$90,000 FOR IRON HALL.

Judge Dennis Gives Equal Dividends and Privileges to Members.

Baltimore, Feb. 14.—It is announced here that the funds in Maryland of the Order of the Iron Hall will be sent to Indianapolis for distribution by General Receiver Failey. In October last Judge Dennis drew up a decree which was submitted to the Indianapolis court containing the conditions under which the funds in this state would be placed at the disposal of the general receiver of the order.

The stipulations were briefly that the Maryland members were to be allowed the same dividends and the same privileges as members in other states. These conditions have been agreed to and Judge Dennis will in a day or two sign a order trasferring about $90,000 to the general fund. It is thought that the claimants in this state will fare much better under the general distribution than would have been the case had the Maryland funds been divided among them.

MAY PLAY POOL ON SUNDAYS.

Test Case Resulting in a Victory for the Players.

New York, Feb. 14.—Justice Ingraham yesterday, in the court of oyer and terminer, listened to an argument on a writ of habeas corpus in the case of Robert Kenny, a pool and billiard room proprietor, who has been locked up since Sunday charged with violating the Sunday law in keeping his place open on that day. The billiard room proprietor made this a test case and his counsel argued that Kenny had not violated the penal code as he had not permitted gambling in a public place and had not disturbed the quiet of the community. The playing was behind closed doors.

Justice Ingraham, after listening to the people's side of the question discharged Kenny from custody. He held that he had not violated any law. This decision is regarded as a victory for the billiard room proprietors, many of whom were present in court.

DANGER OF WATER FAMINE.

Jersey City's Big Main Broken on the Hackensack Meadows.

Jersey City, Feb. 14.—This city is in great danger of a water famine. Forty lengths of a twenty inch cement main which is the principal source of supply to the city burst yesterday on the Hackensack meadows near Marion. The length of the damaged pipe is over 300 feet and the water is flooding the vicinity.

The break was not discovered until noon yesterday, although it is supposed to have occurred Tuesday. A large force of employes were hurried to the spot and are at work repairing the damage. In many sections of the city no water is obtainable and unless the break is repaired soon, most of the city will be without water.

The officials will seek relief from the Hackensack Water company, which supplies Hoboken. The fire officials are in dread lest a big fire should occur before the break is repaired.

Their Last Hunt.

Parkersburg, W. Va., Feb. 14.—James and Samuel Arbogast, brothers, who lived in Pendleton county, were in the Cheat mountains hunting when the blizzard struck that section. They had killed a deer and were carrying it to camp. The cold became so intense that the men were forced to desert their game and make their way back to camp. Before they could reach camp James was overcome and fell and froze to death. His brother succeeded in getting back to camp but was so terribly frozen that he died the next day.

Deserted By Their Father.

Greensburg, Pa., Feb. 14.—A sad case of want and neglect was unearthed at Irwin yesterday. Several months ago the wife of James Ashton, a glass worker died. He was left with four little children. Constable Morhoff discovered the children in the house with no fire, no food and scarcely enough clothing to cover them. Ashton had gone, leaving his little ones alone. The constable furnished clothing for the nearly starved children and brought them to the county home.

The Judge Not a Shareholder.

Tacoma, Wyo., Feb. 14.—Federal Judge Hanford ordered the receivers of the Northern Pacific to pay bills amounting to $9,000 due storekeepers, liverymen and others between Tacoma, Centralis and Spokane Falls for supplies, board and lodging, etc., furnished deputy marshals during the A. R. U. strike. The judge said it was only fair for the company to bear this expense as the government had paid $60,000 for the services of deputies in protecting the system.

Met Death on the Pennsylvania.

Johnstown, Pa., Feb. 14.—The bodies of two boys were found along the tracks of the Pennsylvania road west of here last night. They were frozen to death. The identity of the bodies has not been fixed but they are supposed to be those of two sons of John Caufield, of this city. The lads, aged 10 and 12 years, were sent to school yesterday, but went skating and afterwards concluded to take a tramp, fearing to return home after playing truant.

Should Be an International Inquiry.

London, Feb. 14.—The Daily Chronicle will say to-day: "We regret the order for the inquiry as to the Crathie. It will seem to Germany to be for the purpose of whitewash. We hoped that Great Britain and Germany would arrange an international inquiry, which not only would be more satisfactory, but also would establish an eminently desirable precedent."

Disappointment in This Harem.

Cairo, Feb. 14.—The harem favorite of the khedive became the mother of a daughter yesterday. The khedive is represented as being greatly disappointed, as he was hoping for the birth of a son, who would have been heir to the throne.

Helping the Poor and Needy.

Atlanta, Ga., Feb. 14.—A mass meeting of the citizens of Atlanta was held yesterday and a large sum was raised for the relief of the city's poor.

Gold Coming Back.

London, Feb. 14.—Three hundred thousand dollars was shipped to the United States yesterday in gold.

THE LAW AGAINST THEM

Norton and Quinn Indicted by the Grand Jury.

True Bill Against Them for Violating the Ten-Hour Act—Charges Made Against the Mayor and a Police Captain—Strike Leader Before the Jury—The Strike To Be Continued.

Brooklyn, N. Y., Feb. 14.—It is reported that the grand jury has found a true bill against Benjamin Norton and D. J. Quinn, president and superintendent of the Atlantic avenue railroad.

They are charged with a violation of the ten-hour law of the state, on the complaint of several strikers, who swore before Police Justice Walsh that they had been forced to work longer than the law prescribed. Upon their complaint President Norton and Superintendent Quinn were held for the grand jury. That body has been considering their case for the last four days. A number of witnesses were examined. The vote to indict them was taken last night.

The district attorney refused to confirm or deny the report that indictments were found, but, it is said on good authority, that true bills were found and will be presented to Judge Moore in court to-day. The offense charged is a misdemeanor punishable by imprisonment and fine or both.

Charges Against Schieren.

Martin J. Connelly said that Lawyer Towns, on behalf of the strikers, has been before the grand jury and made four charges against Mayor Schieren and one charge against Police Captain Dunn of the Fourteenth precinct.

Strike Leader Holcomb was summoned before the grand jury. He declined to tell about what he was interrogated.

Will Continue the Strike.

District Assembly No. 75 held a meeting to consider the advisability of calling off the strike. By a majority vote it was decided to continue it.

Immediately after the meeting, Messrs. Giblin, Collins and Best, of the executive committee, left town. One of them went to Boston, one to Philadelphia and one to Albany. The nature of their business is not divulged.

An Insane Mother Kills Her Child.

Passaic, N. J., Feb. 14.—Mrs. Michael Wasel killed her two months' old child last night while in an insane fit. She awoke her husband at midnight and told him that a big long-haired man was in the room trying to kill her baby. Then she rushed around the room squeezing it to her breast and screaming. Wasel could not restrain her and called his brother. With great difficulty the two men got her down and took the baby away. It was dead from strangulation and there were marks of its mother's teeth and finger nails in its flesh. The unfortunate woman will be sent to an asylum.

The Same Old Trick.

Providence, R. I., Feb. 14.—While Councilman George H. Wood was at the annual meeting of the Rhode Island Philatelic society last night a young man called at his residence and informed Mrs. Wood that he had been sent for her husband's collection of stamps. This is one of the finest in this part of the country and is valued at $1,500. Mrs. Wood gave the collection to the young man who thereupon disappeared. New York and St. Louis, stamp centres, have been notified by the police.

Might Be Expected.

Chicago, Feb. 14.—George. W. Pullman yesterday appeared before Judge Grosscup in chambers and was exonerated from the charge of attempting to evade the order of the court. He stated that he was not in his office when the bailiff called with the subpoena but was in Vice-President Wickes' office across the way. Later in the afternoon of that day he left for New York, not to avoid the court, but because he had already made all arrangments to go.

The Root of All Evil—Money.

Chatham, Ont., Feb. 14.—Thomas McBride, city agent for the Metropolitan Life Insurance company of New York, was arrested yesterday on a charge of forgery, in having made out a bogus claim for insurance and forging the name of the father of an alleged deceased person, also that of Dr. C. W. Baker of this city. McBride pleaded not guilty and was remanded.

His Deeds Were Evil.

Kingston, N. Y., Feb. 14.—The result of the investigation into the charges preferred by the Methodist church of Margaretville, Delaware county, against the Rev. W. R. Goss, is the suspension of Mr. Goss from the ministry. Rev. Mr. Goss, who is now located at Tannersville, Greene county, was charged with falsehood and with undue intimacy with women.

Employes Get Sixty Per Cent.

South Berwick, Me., Feb. 14.—The employes of the insolvent Portsmouth company received 60 per cent. of the amount of their preferred claims from the assignee yesterday. The company owed the employes nearly $6,000 in wages when they were petitioned into insolvency.

NEW YORK MARKETS.

WHEAT—Dull. No. 2 red, 59½c.

CORN—Quiet. No. 2, 49½c.; steamer, 49¼c.

OATS—Firm. No. 2 white, 36¼@37c.; No. 2 mixed, 33½@35½c.

PORK—Dull. Extra prime, 13.00@15.50; mess, 11.25@12.00.

LARD—Steady. May, 7.00.

BUTTER—Firm. Creamery, state, fall made, 13@19c.; creamery, western extras, 26c.

CHEESE—Firm. State, full cream, fancy, 11¼c.; common to fair, 9@9¾c.

EGGS—Weak. Western, 28c.

BEEVES—Steady. Inferior to choice, 4.00@4.50; dressed native sides, 7¼@9½c.

SHEEP—Weak. Medium to good, 3.40@5.50; dressed mutton, 8@10½c.

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Mahogany finished frame parlor suits, in rug covering, only	$30
Fancy couches and lounges, only	$5
Low priced ingrain carpet per yard, only	25c
Antique oak bedroom suits, only	$20
Body Brussels carpet per yard, only	87c
Antique oak chiffoniers with mirrors, only	$8.75
Mahogany finished frame parlor suits, in silk covering, only	$40
Dining-room chairs, high back, antique oak, per set only	$7.50
Antique oak extension tables, only	$8.50
Oilcloth per yard, only	20c
Hall stands, only	$5 50
Antique oak bedroom suits, only	$25
Three ply carpet per yard, only	75c

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THEIR SECOND RECEPTION.

Delightful Continuation of the Groendyke-Foster Entertaining.

The second reception given yesterday by Mrs. D. N. Groendyke and Mrs. John Gray Foster at their delightful home on Mercer avenue, was a brilliant continuation of the beauty, fashion and gracious hospitality described in the reports of the reception given Feb. 13. In the parlors, Mrs. Groendyke and Mrs. Foster were assisted in receiving by Mrs D N Vanvliet, Mrs Scott Foster, Mrs John Hegeman, Mrs Walter M McGee, Mrs John Clark, Mrs B J Shreve, Mrs Irving Brown and Mrs A W Haviland. In the dining room, Mrs A C Baldwin and Miss Bessie Day presided at the table, assisted by Misses Emily Tracy, Evelyn Graham, Laura Vanderbeek, May Stockton Shreve, Emma Haviland and Mary Bushnell.

Lost the Game, and Had Good Music.

The Park Club went to Bergen Point last night and lost their game with the New Jersey Athletic Club by the following score:

PARK CLUB.		N. J. A. C.	
Lyman	176	Lewis	140
Leonard	193	Cobb	176
Erickson	125	Klebs	164
Faber	156	Southard	153
Randolph	122	Grant	184
VanBuren	166	Rockwood	177
Brooks	163	Darvell	159
Brown	109	Pitcher	141
Thiers	127	Smith	176
Matthews	153	Barnes	170
	1491		1640

BY FRAMES.

Park Club 153 298 439 583 741 889 1032 1197 1336 1491
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On the Royal Blue owl train home, the beaten bowlers were refreshed with music by an unknown tenor singer and by Plainfield's own William Runyon.

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is what most folks like to read, if it is original in plot, and felicitously told. And it is just that kind of a love story which Mrs. Alexander, the author of "The Wooing o' It", and other powerful novels whose names are in everybody's mouth, has written in

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This tale is one of the masterpieces of a masterhand. It will appear in The Daily Press, beginning tomorrow and will run for six days. Do not miss an instalment. You will read the story in The Daily Press or nowhere.

The March of Improvement.

Miss Margaret E. McLaughlin of Somerset street has purchased of Chas. M. Hummer the house and lot belonging to him on stone street. Mr. Hummer has purchased another lot on the some street, where he will break ground soon for a seven-room cottage, with all improvements.

Simplifying a Street Name.

Fanwood Township, annoyed by the confusion of names of one continuous thoroughfare which is variously known at various parts, makes the sensible improvement recorded in the ordinance in another column, of calling it Forest avenue throughout its length.

Still Getting Pledge-Signers.

A regular meeting of the Reform Club was held last evening in Reform Hall. The attendance was excellent, and the meeting was interesting. Two signers were secured to the pledge. At the close of the meeting instrumental music was enjoyed.

For the Old Ladies Home.

The Ladies Circle of the Scotch Plains Baptist Church will give a sociable for the benefit of the Old Ladies Home of Newark, Wednesday, Feb. 20. All contributions of clothing and provisions for the home will be received at the parsonage, Scotch Plains, before next Wednesday, and forwarded to Newark.

The Wife Stricken Now.

The three children of Michael Wunderlich of Leland avenue who were seriously ill with scarlet fever are slowly improving, but his wife is now stricken with the fever. Under the careful treatment of Dr. Boone they are all doing as well as can be expected. The house is quarantined.

Parents and Friends Invited.

The Christian Endeavor society of the Park Avenue Baptist Church will hold a union meeting with the Juniors this evening at 8. Part of the time will be taken up by the Juniors. Parents and friends of the members of both societies are cordially invited.

Cupid's Messengers.

Plainfield letter-carriers found that St. Valentine's Day is by no means a back number. The mail was heavier yesterday than it had been for the past five years on that day.

Four Big Successes.

Having the needed merit to more than make good all the advertising claimed for them, the following four remedies have reached a phenomenal sale. Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption, coughs and colds, each bottle guaranteed—Electric Bitters, the great remedy for liver, stomach and kidneys. Bucklen's Arnica Salve, the best in the world, and Dr. King's New Life Pills, which are a perfect pill. All these remedies are guaranteed to do just what is claimed for them and the dealer whose name is attached herewith will be glad to tell you more of them. Sold at L. W. Randolph's drug store.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

David Bodine is visiting his parents on Grandview avenue.

Miss Onderdonk of Philadelphia is a guest of the Misses Marsh of Madison avenue.

Mrs. Hiram D. Woodland of Duer street left yesterday for a short visit with friends in Brooklyn.

The young son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter C. Walker of Chatham street, who was so seriously ill, is now improving.

John M. Duck of Jackson avenue has leased the house of Howard Randolph on Netherwood avenue, where he will move April 1.

The many friends of Miss Tessie Keeley of LaGrande avenue will be glad to learn that she has nearly recovered from her severe illness of the past two weeks.

Dr. Chas. R. Thiers has moved his family from Somerset street to 13 Grove street. His dentistry office will be on Somerset street for a few days longer.

Baggage business at the North avenue station of the Jersey Central resumed its accustomed serenity and systematic enterprise this morning, for Baggage Master Garretson was once more on duty, after a few-days illness.

RUDYARD KIPLING

never wrote, and never will write—and nobody else ever will write, because nobody can—a better story than "A Disturber of Traffic", a tale of seafaring life in the Eastern seas. But Mr. Kipling has written just as good a story in something the same vein, and yet with a freshness and originality all its own. It is called

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IN MEMORIAM.

At the last regular meeting of Division, No. 4, A. O. H., of Plainfield, the following preamble and resolutions were adopted:

WHEREAS, It has been the will of an Allwise Ruler to call to her last account the wife of our worthy brother, John Maguire; therefore be it

Resolved, That while we bow with humble submission to the will of Almighty God, we cannot help regretting his sad bereavement.

Resolved, That our most heartfelt sympathy and condolence be extended to our afflicted friend and brother.

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be entered on the minutes of our Division, a copy remitted to himself, and a copy sent to The Daily Press for insertion.

MICHAEL NUGENT,
WILLIAM CASEY,
J. F. O'HALLORAN,
Committee on Resolutions.

February, 1895.

Grace Church Mission.

Dr. Robert S. Barrett of Washington, D. C., Missioner of the Episcopal Church, will hold services at Grace Church every evening next week, beginning Sunday next and closing Sunday Feb. 24. The sermons, the subjects of which will be announced tomorrow, constitute the series. These discourses will be wholly unsectarian and while conducted on the liberal lines of modern thought will yet be most earnestly and emphatically Christian. Congregational singing will be a feature of the meetings and all are most cordially welcome.

Nightingales Sing In Bethel.

Bethel Chapel was well filled last evening with an appreciative audience who came to listen to the concert given by the Nightingale Colored Concert Troupe. The hit of the evening was little Miss Mamie Ogden, especially in the song "You Can't Play in My Yard," in which she appeared in appropriate costume. G. A. Morris fairly convulsed with his character songs, which were rendered very effectively. The singing of the quartette also was very good, and the audience left with the thought that they had received the worth of their money.

Edsall's Grocery Department.

Edsall is expecting another big rush in his grocery department tomorrow and has made preparations accordingly. New, fresh and pure goods have been added, marked at the lowest prices ever heard of before in Plainfield, or New York either, which sell quickly at sight. Buying and selling for cash is just the thing for people who want to make a little money go a good ways in securing everyday needs. See his new ad today.

Rushing the Contract.

Thomas McGann and his men, after two weeks of hard work, completed yesterday the excavation of the cellar of the Blatz house on Somerset street, and Contractor Burnett started the mason work this morning, and will push it rapidly, as the house is to be completed according to contract, by April 1.

O. W. O. Hardman, sheriff of Tyler Co., W. Va., appreciates a good thing and does not hesitate to say so. He was almost prostrated with a cold when he procured a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. He says: "It gave me prompt relief. I find it to be an invaluable remedy for coughs and colds." For sale at Reynolds's pharmacy, Park and North aves. T. S. Armstrong, manager.

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26TH ANNUAL STATE CONVENTION.

Social Reception in the New Building—Opening Session in the First Baptist Church—Address of Welcome by Dr. Lewis—President Siegfried Responds—First Business Meeting Today—W. D. Murray Elected President.

[An accurate picture of the new Y. M. C. A. Building where the business sessions of the convention are held and diagrams of the floor plans, are published on Page 2 of this issue.]

The first session of the twenty-sixth annual State convention of the Young Men's Christian Association was held in the First Baptist Church last night. Previous to this, however, a reception and supper were given to the visiting delegates in the Y. M. C. A. Building by the young women representing the various Christian Endeavor societies of the city.

"What would the Young Men's Christian Association do without the gentler sex?"—was a casual observation made by a man at one of the supper tables just after he was seated before the collation.

The aptness of this apparently trivial remark was especially perceived on viewing the scene that greeted those who had occasion to ascend the broad stairway leading to the departments connected with the Association work, between the hours of 5 and 7.

Bevies of young women, attired in becoming gowns, were in every nook to greet each visitor with a charming smile and pleasant word, bidding him welcome to Plainfield.

To say that the young men thus greeted were captivated by the expression of hospitality so charmingly conveyed, expresses it mildly. Most of them came from a distance, and were naturally somewhat fatigued from their journeys, but the reception seemed to have an invigorating effect on their jaded spirits, and a very pleasant hour was spent in becoming acquainted with one another.

It was of course a trifle too early in the session for any of those little corner parties, wherein the participants converse in subdued tones and lingeringly disperse with features wreathed with benignity, but before adjournment—but The Press will forego prophecy.

The rooms themselves are cozy and neat, and the upper walls were trimmed with pink streamers; and a profusion of bouquets and potted plants was arranged here and there, making them still more cheerful.

The receiving and decorating committee were composed of the following efficient and artistic young women:

Misses Gillem, Dunn, and Sheppard, Trinity Reformed Church; Miss Spicer, Seventh-Day Baptist Church; Miss Thorn, Third Street Mission; Miss Cortell, First Baptist Church, Miss Belknap, Congregational Church; Miss Hunter, Crescent Avenue Presbyterian Church and Hope Chapel; Miss Schenck, First Presbyterian Church: Miss Kreitling, German Reformed Church; Miss Loomis, Grace M. E. Church; assisted by the following men: Messrs E E Anthony, John McLaughlin, C B Clemens, Will Crawford, George Beebe, E H Bonnell, and Samuel Clark.

During the period intervening between 5 and 6, when the entertaining and entertained were passing an enlivening hour, another committee of young women was busy arranging a spread of good things in the upper meeting hall which would satisfy and gratify the most fastidious epicurean.

It was just 6 when E E Anthony announced, as the doors were thrown open, that "All delegates present would pass into supper."

Before their vision loomed up a scene of beauty; the damsels were there, neatly attired, and three tables laden with tempting viands also were there. The prevailing tints of the dining room were yellow, the tables being adorned with smilax, roses and carnations.

Thanksgiving for the repast was given, and blessing invoked, by Mr. Anthony.

The supervising committee who had charge of the refreshments, was as follows:

Miss Blair, chairman, Misses Yerkes, Bonnell, Beekman, Eldridge, and Carroll.

The chairmen of the various social committees having charge of serving the guests were these:

Mrs. Wheaton S. Lowry, Park Avenue Baptist; Miss Ida Randolph, Crescent Avenue; Miss Cahoone, First Presbyterian; Miss Nora Williams, Warren Chapel; Miss Dunlap, Hope Chapel; Miss Hunter, Monroe Avenue Chapel; Miss Beekman, Congegational; Miss Conover, German Reformed; Mrs. Van Middlesworth, First Church of Christ; Miss Mowinkle, German Reformed.

The supper hour continued until 7.

At 7:30 the session in the First Baptist Church was commenced with a song service conducted by B. Fank Botts.

At 8, A. H. Siegfried, president of the State Association, called the meeting to order. A few verses from the first chapter of Psalms was read by F. R. Hogan of Paterson, followed with prayer by Rev. J. H. Elliott of Clifton Springs, N. Y. The following is the address of welcome delivered by Rev. Dr. A. H. Lewis of the Plainfield Seventh-Day Baptist Church:

DR. LEWIS'S ADDRESS OF WELCOME.

"It gives me sincere pleasure, in behalf of the Y. M. C. A. and the people of Plainfield, to welcome you, Mr. President, delegates and friends, to this 26th Anniversary of the Y. M. C. Association, of the State of New Jersey. With this welcome we bring, in hearts and homes, whatever of good we can offer to you, and gladly wait to receive whatever of good you bring to us. We expect that inspiration for new work, and consecration for new endeavor, will surround us through your coming, and abide with us long after you have gone.

"I shall not fairly represent the people of Plainfield if I do not make this welcome more than a passing incident, and an empty formality. As successive birthdays check our accustomed thoughts and make us ask what life means and whither we are tending, so this anniversary should awaken inquiry as to what has been attained, and what new work is awaiting the Y. M. C. Associations of New Jersey and the United States. The nearness of this date to the date of the semi-centennial meeting in London a few months ago, makes it easy to glance at what has been done, so far as summaries and statistics are concerned. These show that the Y. M. C. A. movement has become a permanent and important factor in the religious work of the world. With more than 5 000 associations, a membership of nearly or quite 500,000, representing 26 nations and 17 languages, with many millions of money permanently and wisely invested in buildings, libraries, etc., this work has passed far beyond the stage of experiment, or the probation of limited test. With only 43 years between us and the date of the first association in the United States—at Boston Dec. 22, 1851—there are now in this country more than 250 000 members of the Y. M. C. A. with buildings and property, aggregating $15,000,000. These associations conduct 15,000 classes for Bible study with an attendance of more than 226,000 pupils. We are glad to welcome you as representatives of this widely diffused and growing work.

"You represent the work of Christian churches outside of their organized limits, but not any the less their work. You would not be, but for them. God called this movement into being to meet new demands for strengthening and extending the kingdom of Christ. Human life is one continuous coming, and going hence. Its first faint wail and its last low sigh are always blending. Cradles and burial caskets belong to all times and crowd all places. The character of the young determines the destiny of the old, and the older in turn transmit impulse and tendency to the young. Hence God has ordained that all young life should be tenderly and wisely cared for, and when the restlessness of our modern civilization brought it about that thousands of boys and young men were becoming practically homeless and wanderers upon the earth through the exigencies of business, something like this movement was inevitable under God's providence.

"Your work starts with the truth that the formative years of early life are the determinant years as to usefulness and destiny: that safety, strength, character and destiny, are from within. So you seek the conversion, the regeneration of young men. If righteousness and peace through Christ abide in the heart of a young man, he can walk safely amid the fiercest temptations and the sharpest trials of life, though far from home, or wholly homeless, because he is always at home with God. Every Y. M. C. A. is a shelter of help and a recruiting station in spiritual things to young men who seek to find this new life in Christ, or to add strength and encouragement to that already possessed. To stand at evening in a great city with its miles of closed doors, and have no latch-key, is the essence of hopeless homelessness. And the wide world is a forbidding wilderness to the man whom no one welcomes. You come here tonight as representatives of a work which makes it possible for a young man to take his letter from the secretary of any association and go hence to London, Paris, Berlin, Rome, Cairo, Jerusalem, Madras, Tokio, San Francisco, Omaha, Chicago, New York, and find everywhere an open door, a welcome to the atmosphere of Christian brotherhood, and a "God-speed" from each resting-place and store-house of blessing.

"It was the boast of Rome in her palmy days that one might go from the Imperial City southward to the Falls of the Nile, eastward to the Euphrates, northward to the confines of the Empire, and westward to the shores of the Atlantic, and never want for the protection of the imperial standard, for a Roman highway, or an inn kept under national sanction. It is far higher cause for gladness that the churches of Christ represented in the Y. M. C. A. offer the protection of the banner of everlasting love, the rest of faith, the voice of comfort, and the God-speed of an universal brotherhood the wide world over.

"What new work, what enlarged plans, what higher conceptions, what deeper realization of future possibilities, are already in sight it is not mine to recount at this time. But that all these are in sight no one can doubt. It is yours to pray for clearer spiritual vision that you may discern them, and for deeper consecration that you may meet them. The conflict between good and evil never ceases. Everywhere there are tempted souls and hunted lives awaiting welcome and help. There are new forms of work which the past suggest and the future demands. There are unexplored fields to be traversed, where treasures await faithful workers and consecrated hearts. The Word of God is full of light, waiting for eyes that will see. The Law of God is vocal with demands waiting for ears that will hear. The Love of God has untold blessings for souls that will believe. The Help of God has countless hands reaching down into earth's helplessness, and searching tenderly for the unsaved ones. Welcome then while we pray and counsel and plan, concerning the work which the Master has entrusted to you. Thrice welcome in His name through whom light, love, salvation, and everlasting life have come into earth's darkness, and want and weariness and sin. Welcome to new fields of battle, and new victories through greater obedience and more consecrated endeavor."

President Siegfried feelingly responded as follows:

RESPONSE OF PRESIDENT SIEGFRIED.

"A year ago, at the opening of our twenty-fifth anniversary as an organic body, it became my official duty and very great pleasure to stand for a moment as the concrete expression of a welcoming hospitality, the real sincerity and warmth of which found but faint expression in the best and truest words I could command. This evening, standing for another moment as the representative of guestship instead of hospitality, it is indeed a pleasant and inspiring thing to hear and to receive into our consciousness and appreciation the gracious and kindly words of Dr. Lewis, in expression of the open heart and extended hand of Plainfield, as warmth of heart and grasp of hand welcome us to brief sojourn within the homes and churches of this famed and favored community. Hospitality includes and requires two direct personal factors—the host and the guest. The true relation of welcoming host and of welcome and grateful guest can only exist between those who are at one in mind and heart and purpose. Who can be so entirely unified in the sympathy of motive and purpose and in the blending of personality as they who are alike striving to be loyal sons of God—impulsed by His spirit, and workfellows with and for His Son? It is in this bond of fellowship that we come to you—strangers for the most part in person, but in kinship and friendship with you brothers all of Him who is our common teacher, leader, exemplar, inspirer, savior. In this blessed unity we have gratefully accepted your invitation, we thank you for your welcome, and we invoke blessing alike upon hosts and guests, to the hoped for end that our brief dwelling together may bring spiritual strength and inspiration to you who graciously open your doors and to us who gladly cross your thresholds.

"Turning aside from these pleasant thoughts of welcome and response, let me very briefly speak to one or two points which I dare hope may bear some influence upon the spirit and work of this convention. At the appointed time the Chairman of our State Executive Committee will give you in detail the resume of your twenty-sixth year of associational work. He will tell you that in spite of secular conditions and influences which have been untoward and disturbing to a remarkable degree we yet have great cause for congratulation and thanksgiving; that during a time when growth could hardly be hoped for and diminution would be naturally expected, our aggregate membership stands practically where it did a year ago; that the local religious meetings have grown in number and attendance; that an increased number of young men have been led into the open Christian life, and a larger proportion of these has been brought into church relationship, but—using the very words that came to me a while ago from the one who is in closest touch with our State work—there is a 'serious, nay, an alarming decrease in the number and attendance upon Bible and training classes'; he will also tell you that more money has been invested in our work and that there has been a gain in the number of associations, and that the local plants for an enlarging, effective, and enduring work were never in the associational history of New Jersey in so good and forceful condition as they are at this hour.

"In the view of these facts and of the added fact that as an organic body we are now come to the age of vigorous manhood, when we are fittest for high enterprise, and when the church, the State and the cause of human advancement have a clear right to expect the highest possible endeavor and the richest attainable fruitage from this special factor in Christian work, let me remind you that the Young Men's Christain Association was the pioneer of those modern movements and methods which have drawn new lines of effort, which have broadened and revitalized thought and opinion, and which have almost brought the entire membership of the Christian church into active and stimulative individual interest and work. Sixty years ago Christianity was the salt of the earth, as a principle, as it is now; but that body which was its embodiment and exponent was largely didactic, polemic, conservative, over-prudent, often stupid, sometimes repressive, and practically destitute of any specialized work except the then crude Sunday-school and the then but fairly begun system of foreign missions. Williams began his apparently small work with and for young men in London, unconscious that he was planting seed the growth of which should spring up and bear fruit throughout the earth. Let us not vainly vaunt ourselves, but also let us not forget that the specialized work of young men for young men, in educating those of little or no other opportunity, in developing and cleansing their bodies, in guarding their purity of life, in stimulating their sports while surrounding recreation with good influences, in caring for their homes during absence from the paternal home, in securing employment for those involuntarily idle and compassed about by the distresses and discouragements and temptations of idleness, and in bringing these into the faith and enthusiasm and salvation of Jesus the Christ—let us not forget that this new expression and potency of Christianity was begun by our predecessors and has been made our heritage and responsibility; let us remember that our associational ideas and efforts were the pioneers, pointing the way for and so, in part at least, the incitors and formers of Christian Endeavor, Epworth League, King's Daughters, St. Andrews Brotherhood and even of the institutional church itself, all of which are doing a mighty work through factors who were half a century ago practically dormant and useless, except as they swelled the rolls of church membership and went the round of conventional church observance and ceremonials; but let it be the real purpose and value of this call to remembrance that, having been useful and honored of God in our own special field, and having been the means of suggestion and incitement to others equally or even more useful in their fields, there shall remain neither large place, nor valid excuse, nor great future for us unless we shall, with God's help, still better follow the lines already approved and well-founded in our experience; unless we shall devise new methods; unless we shall open our minds to new definitions and manifestations of truth; unless we shall broaden our thought so as to emphasize the religion of conduct and character as well as that of emotion and devotion; unless we shall bring into the active work, persistently, systematically and conscientiously, that portion of our membership which is parasitic rather than energetic; unless we can turn into the visible church still more as to both quantity and quality of those whom we are especially commissioned to find and fashion unto righteousness; unless we shall not merely raise our standard higher, but shall push it and follow it further and further in the advance of that world-girdling line which seeks to enclose and nurture and save all those who neither know nor care for our God."

The order of the printed programme was changed, and Rev. Dr. D. J. Burrell of New York was the next speaker, in order that he might make an early return to the metropolis. In introducing him to the audience, President Siegfried referred to him as the man who preached in a marble church, but whose heart and spirit were neither marble nor petrified.

The address which followed was one of the most brilliant that a Plainfield audience has had the pleasure of listening to in some time. Dr. Burrell did not confine himself to a talk to the young men exclusively, but his remarks were interesting, his logic was sound, and his suggestions were practical, and withal couched in language that was easily comprehended by all. His points were illustrated with reminiscences that kept the audience in constant good humor.

DR. BURRELL'S ADDRESS.

Dr. Burrell said that it was a very great pleasure to address the young men, and especially so when there was a sprinkling of young women among them. It was a great thing for young men to get together in a convention of this kind and promulgate plans for work. There is a class of young men, he had observed in New York, whose principal occupation was in endeavoring to balance a cane. Their stock in trade consisted in a cane, creased pants and pedigrees. Their sustenance was secured by the sweat of their fathers' brow.

The young women of today had not much to show when they passed away—a few oil paintings, fancy work and nicknacks. There is room for earnest young women in this age. If life was ever worth living it is now. He would rather live now than to have existed twice as long in any other century, for this was the age of golden opportunity, and he thought that there never would be such chances in another century. There were new forces in the church and these had led the way for the young men. Transfusion of

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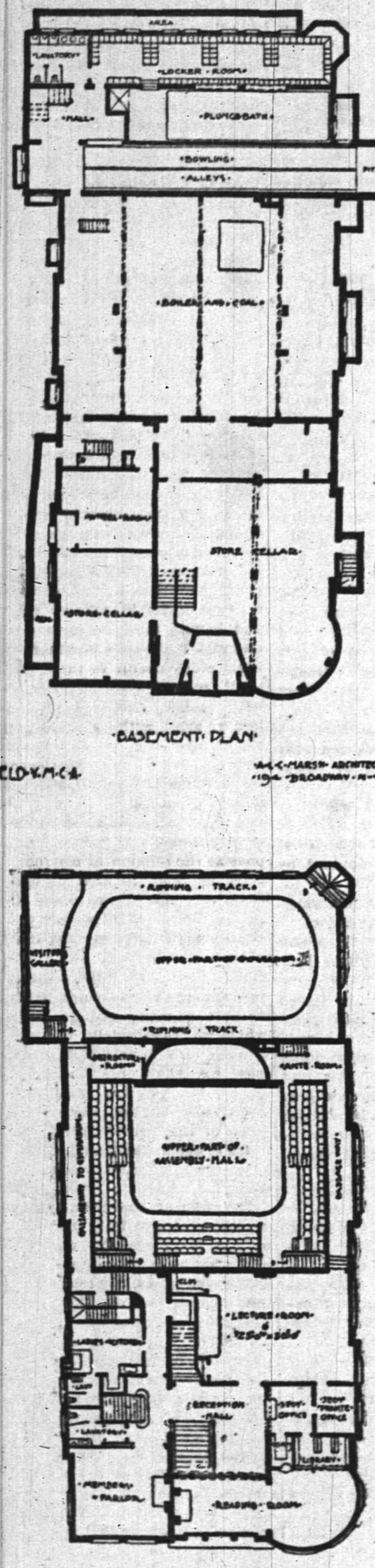

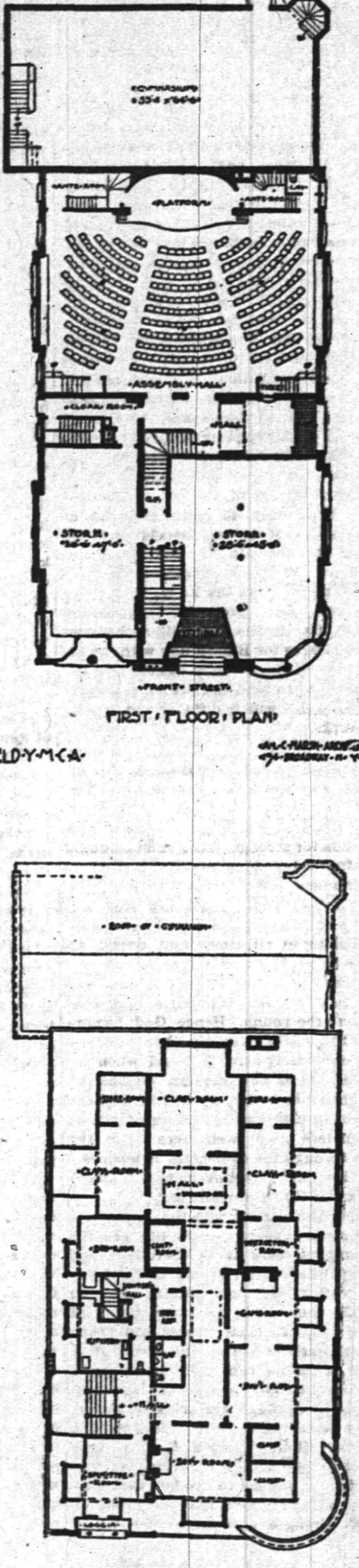

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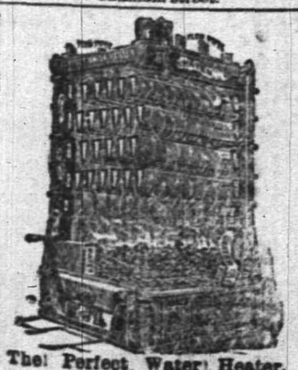

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At Least, So Says Master Workman Connelly—No Break in the Strikers' Ranks—Men Said To Be Bribed by the Companies' Agents—Trouble Not Yet Over.

Brooklyn, N. Y., Feb. 15.—Master Workman Connelly was seen last night regarding the strike being declared off.

"The strike is not off, it will last until election day," he said And then gave out the following for publication:

"To the railroad men of Brooklyn:

"The strike has not been declared off. It will not be declared off until the companies offer terms that can be accepted by self-respecting men.

"Put no faith in rumors to the effect that the strike is at an end. These rumors are being circulated by agents and tools of President Lewis and President Norton. Their wish is to discourage you so that you will tumble over one another in the hurry to get back to work. They have tried all along to cause a stampede in your ranks. Thus far they have been disappointed. Let them remain so.

"The situation in all its phases was discussed by your representatives at yesterday's meeting of the district assembly, and it was decided to continue the fight. The vote to do this was unanimous.

"The companies are claiming a victory. It is a part of their old game of bluff. They can still be defeated. They will surely be defeated if you remain firm. We know that they are not in a condition to keep up this fight much longer. If you do not give in they will be forced to do so.

"If, on the contrary, you now break ranks, the heroic struggle you have made during the past month will have been in vain.

"Keep away from the depots and the offices of the companies and do not allow yourselves to be lured back to work until the companies consent to make decent terms with you. The situation calls for firmness on your part. Let every man do his duty.

"Martin J. Connelly,
"Andrew D. Best."

Men Bribed.

The first break in the ranks of the strikers took place yesterday morning, when a small number of the old employes applied for positions on the Brooklyn Heights railroad.

The number of these men, according to reports of the companies, was about 100, but as Master Workman Connelly said yesterday, their number was not over thirty.

These thirty men, it was asserted, were bribed by agents of the companies to apply, so that the companies could work on the fears of the strikers who were holding out, and cause a stampede.

A number of old employes, according to one story, applied for work, thinking the printed stories to the effect that the strike was declared off were true. When these men learned that the strike was still on, they said they would not go back to work.

The companies assert that their old employes are coming back in large numbers.

Norton and Lewis Talk.

It is said 100 of the men who went on strike have applied for work at the Ridgewood stables. President Norton, of the Atlantic avenue line, said twenty of the old men had applied for work. President Lewis, of the Brooklyn Heights, declared 300 strikers had applied for work. And President Wicker, of the Suburban, after saying the old men were rushing back, would only state that he had received a "large number" of applications.

Those who asked for work were told to file applications. They will be hired under the individual contract system.

According to Mayor Schieren's report the Brooklyn Heights had 663 cars running yesterday, the Atlantic avenue 105 and the Suburban road 77, making a total of 845 cars. The lines not operated were the Lutheran, Holy Cross and Richmond Hill lines.

The Brooklyn grand jury will probably to-day listen to the charges made by the strikers against Mayor Schieren. Master Workman Connelly refused to say anything about the matter.

All members of the executive board are subpoenaed to appear to-day before the investigating committee appointed by the legislature.

Snow Storm Raging.

Austin, Tex., Feb. 15.—Never before in the history of Austin has such a snow storm visited this section as is now on. It has been snowing continuously since last night, and now the snow is six inches deep on the level and many feet deep where it has drifted. All trains are hours behind, and some of them have stopped already being stalled in the plains. This is the first time in the memory of the oldest citizen when such a severe snow storm visited the southern portion of the state.

Will Protect Life and Property.

Constantinople, Feb. 15.—The government denies the report, published abroad last week, that there have been anti-Christian outrages in Beyrout and Sidon recently. In response to the requests of the ambassadors and their complaints of violence and assassination in the city's streets, the porte has promised effective measures to protect life and property. The police have been strengthened and mounted patrols have been added to the force.

Canton's Big Fire.

Canton, O., Feb. 15.—Fire broke out in the plant of the Canton Brick works last night, burning the building to the ground and destroying every piece of machinery. The loss is $28,000; insurance $16,000. The plant was located at North Industry, where there is no fire protection.

Office Seekers Must Wait.

New York, Feb. 15.—Mayor Strong has sent to the press notifying them that he will make no more appointments for a few days. Many choice "plums" have fell to the lot of office seekers in the past few days.

KNIGHTS OF LABOR.

Dissatisfaction in the Ranks—"The Bad Combine; the Good Associate"

Columbus, O., Feb. 15.—The conference committee of the seceding miners from the general assembly of the Knights of Labor, after an all night session, issued an address to the members setting forth their reasons for secession, covering the New Orleans convention and commenting in general terms upon the mismanagement of the affairs of the association during the past year. The address is as follows:

To the members of the Knights of Labor:

When bad combine the good must associate, else they will fall one by one an unpitied sacrifice in a contemptible struggle.

Never was the truth of this more plainly manifest than at present within the order of the Knights of Labor. Assembled in the city of Columbus, O., this 14th day of February, 1895, the representatives of fifteen districts and national trade district assemblies of the Knights of Labor have decided to pay no further tribute to the men who claim to be its general officers.

ALONE WITH THEIR DEAD.

Children Imprisoned by Storm Remain Three Days with a Corpse.

Wolcott, N. Y., Feb. 15.—A sad incident of the late storm has just come to light. Alexander Costman, a widower, lived with his three children aged 14, 8 and 6 years respectively, on the county line between Monroe and Cayuga. On Monday the father was taken sick but the children were unable to secure assistance on account of the storm. Tuesday he died and for three days the helpless children were imprisoned with the dead father by the storm.

On Friday the nearest neighbor, living one and a half miles from the Costman house, was aroused by feeble rapping at his door. He found the 14-year-old son of Costman lying on his door step exhausted and nearly frozen. By this means the neighbors were informed of the conditions of affairs and took charge of the funeral.

GOLD GAMBLING DENOUNCED.

Populist Congressmen Invite Aid and Co-operation in Their Work.

Washington, Feb. 15.—An address to the members of the people's party, signed by populists in congress, including Lafe Pence, O. M. Kem, Jerry Simpson and others with the addition of J. B. Weaver, H. E. Taubeneck, and other prominent leaders, was issued yesterday. Following the general view of the populist programme denouncing what they describe as a conspiracy between the gold gamblers of Europe and America to fasten a perpetual debt upon the people of the United States and other declared evils, they invite the aid and co-operation of all favoring the immediate free coinage of silver at the ratio of sixteen to one, the issue of all paper money by the general government without the intervention of banks of issue and other matters in well known consonance with populist principles.

SPORTS MEET.

Maher and O'Donnell Sign Articles for a Contest on May 15.

New York, Feb. 15.—Peter Maher and Steve O'Donnell met at the Police Gazette office yesterday and signed articles. Maher's interests were looked after by John J. Quinn, of Pittsburg, and O'Donnell was represented by William A. Brady, Corbett's manager. Sam Austin represented the Police Gazette, which is stakeholder.

Maher and O'Donnell will meet on May 15, for a contest of twenty-five rounds. The bout will be for a purse before the club making the best offer. Catch weights were agreed upon.

POPULISTS WIDE AWAKE.

Want Government Control of the Union Pacific Railroad.

Jefferson City, Mo., Feb. 15.—The house of representatives passed the following:

Resolved—That this house request the United States senators and representatives from Missouri to vote for measures to have the government mortgage upon the Union Pacific railway foreclosed and for the government ownership and operation of said road, to charge only enough to pay the actual cost of constructing such a road, and operating expenses thereof.

Interest to Iron Workers.

Pittsburg, Feb. 15.—The American Manufacturer, in its "outlook" on the iron and steel trade will say to-day: Every day opens up some possibilities of new business. Iron and steel makers have managed to tide over an exceedingly depressing period with success and at last these are slowly developing signs of a large general demand. If the railroads do what their boards of directors would like to do, there will be a backbone to the iron trade this year that will make prices stronger all around.

His Wife Makes Up.

Boston, Feb. 15.— Charles W. Sanford, ex-tax collector of the town of Concord, this state, who disappeared some time ago and whose shortage of over $14,000 was made up by his wife, arrived in this city yesterday from New York. Mr. Sanford has come back voluntarily, with the knowledge that he may be arrested and imprisoned, and will return to Concord, and resume his private business there, if allowed to do so.

An Assemblyman a Prisoner.

Buffalo, Feb. 15.—George W. Dickinson of Port Byron, N. Y., who sat in the assembly during the terms of 1891 and '92, was a prisoner in police court yesterday charged with grand larceny on complaint of David H. Lee, a loan broker, who alleged that Dickinson retained money not properly belonging to him.

To Arrest the Lottie Collins' Troupe.

Savannah, Ga., Feb. 15.—Instructions have been received here from the Macon authorities, to arrest all the male members of Lottie Collins' troupe. In a row at Macon they drew pistols and fired several shots. A bystander was hit by a bullet in the thigh.

Isaac Pusey Gray Dead.

City of Mexico, Feb. 15.—Isaac Pusey Gray, United States minister to Mexico, died last night. Shortly before the end apoplexy supervened, and the patient was bled, but to no purpose

MONOPOLY VS. LABOR

Decision Given in Favor of the Trolley Company.

The Attorney General Does Not Think the Men's Charges Have Been Proven—Ten-Hour Law Concerns the Officers But Not the Men. What Might Have Been Expected.

Albany, Feb. 15.—In the matter of the application to the attorney-general to commence an action to vacate the charter of the Brooklyn Heights Railroad company, Attorney-General Hancock, in a long opinion, concludes:

"I am satisfied from a consideration of the facts presented by the petitioners that they are not sufficient to justify the bringing of an action to annul the charter of the corporation.

Favors Monopoly.

"It would be indeed difficult to demonstrate how the action which I am requested to bring would be of any benefit to the men who have been thrown out of employment, and who, in common with many others, have suffered in consequence of the unfortunate conditions which have recently called public attention to the city of Brooklyn. Actions of the kind demanded in this application as a general rule result in serious pecuniary loss to persons of limited means and small savings who have been induced to invest their earnings in the stock of corporations, and accomplish a corresponding gain and advantage to wealthy syndicates and individuals who are frequently enabled to purchase the assets of defunct corporations at much less than their actual value.

"The sale of railroads by receivers, to the ruin of men in moderate circumstances, and the further enrichment of those who already have an abundance, has been a matter of not infrequent occurrence, and is a familiar page in the history of the railroads of this and other states.

"The question then presents itself whether such facts exist as require action to be brought for the forfeiture of the franchise of this particular corporation. As a basis of any such action, the attorney-general is called upon to present a petition to the court, stating the grounds and the particular acts which, in his judgment, constitute legal reasons for vacating the charter and annuling the corporate existence of the Brooklyn Heights Railroad company.

No Ground for Action.

"I have examined with care the case for the purpose of determining charges preferred in this particular whether the facts presented constitute a cause of action, or would justify the bringing of suit to forfeit the corporate franchise. It is important to distinguish between violations of the law committed by individuals who are officers of a corporation and illegal acts chargeable to a corporation itself.

"It was claimed upon the hearing that the officers of the corporation have required its employes to labor more than ten hours per day, in violation of the law. But such a condition of affairs constitutes no ground for bringing an action to annul the franchise of the corporation. The law prescribes the penalty against the officer and not against the corporation.

"The provisions of the statute are clear and explicit in every particular. Chapter 529 of the laws of 1887 limit the hours of labor of railroad employes in cities of more than 100,000 inhabitants in the operation of street, surface and elevated railroads to ten hours, to be performed within twelve consecutive hours, with a reasonable time for meals, and makes it a misdemeanor for any officer or agent of any such corporation to exact more than ten hours' labor, in violation of this chapter. These provisions of the statute are wise and salutary, and were undoubtedly enacted for the benefit, not only of the employes of railroad corporations, but also for the purpose of protecting the traveling public.

Officers To Blame.

"There is fair ground for argument that excessive labor exacted from railroad employes engaged in the performance of their important and laborious duties render them less capable of discharging the tasks imposed on them with the care which is necessary for the protection of the public, especially in the crowded streets of a large city, and the officer of a corporation who violates these provisions of the law is guilty of committing an offense injurious to the public, the employes and the corporation itself, for which he is liable to be punished by both fine and imprisonment, and the public interests, in my judgment require a proper enforcement of this statute. But such a condition of affairs constitutes no ground whatever for bringing an action to annul the franchise of the corporation. The law prescribes the penalty against the officer and not against the corporation. In fact, this question has been already passed upon by the court of appeals.

The Company All Right.

"The remedy for violation of the statute is adequate and effectual, since the corporation can only act through officers and agents, and they are at once liable to punishment if the law is violated.

"It is plain that the prohibition and the punishment refer to the officers and agents of the corporation and not to the company acting in its corporate capacity."

Prominent Odd Fellow Dead.

Troy, N. Y., Feb. 15.—Russell Porter, one of the most widely known Odd Fellows in this state, died yesterday at his home in Lansingburgh. In the order of Odd Fellows Mr. Porter held at the time of his death the position of grand chaplain and degree master of Rensselaer degree lodge. He was justice of the peace at Lansingburgh.

Came Like a Thief in the Night.

Dundas, Ont., Feb. 15.—A blast on Section 20 of the Toronto, Hamilton & Buffalo railway exploded prematurely last evening, injuring three men, one of them seriously. While a workman on the same section named Davis was thawing some dynamite it exploded, blowing the unfortunate man to pieces.

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youthful blood had added strength of brain and fibre to the Kingdom of God, and the results were evidenced every day by invasion into fields of work unknown even 50 years ago. This was an era of great reforms. Generation after generation had furnished truths and inventions, and it was proper that we should take advantage of them, apply them, and make this world a better one to live in. More liberality prevailed than ever before. Not liberalism—he hated that word, for it meant that you have opinions and I have opinions, but we won't quarrel about them, a practical admission that they were not worth consideration. He admired a man that believed in the great principles, but held opinions as to non-essentials, and stood for them. There was more orthodoxy than ever before, but the heretics were fewer than in the Middle Ages.

Strikes were a wholesome sign of the times. The Brooklyn street-car strike was an example where honest men could have a fight out with honest capitalists. Reform was in the air, especially in New York, where nobody must call himself a dictator. The day of bosses was past. How to make life worth living was the great sociological problem, and there was a better conception of character than ever before. The press stands as the preventive of public immorality. It was a selfish man who only tried to save himself and the church. They should concentrate their efforts on delivering the world from sin.

Miss Jennie Hoover followed with the following report on the women's auxiliary:

REPORT OF WOMEN'S AUXILIARY.

About two months ago at the invitation of your General Secretary four ladies, representing the Women's Auxiliary Societies of Newark, Jersey City, Trenton and Paterson, met at Newark and decided to have a Conference of Women's Auxiliary Societies of the Young Men's Christian Associations of New Jersey. At this meeting a programme was made out, and the invitation of the Newark Auxiliary to hold the conference at Newark Jan. 31, 1895, was accepted. If the women of the executive committee had all been—shall I say it—deeply-dyed Presbyterians, they might have said, only by fore-ordination could this first annual conference have been such a success, so enthusiastically did the majority of the different Auxiliaries respond to the invitation, so promptly was the programme carried out, so cordially were the guests greeted and so hospitably were they entertained.

Nineteen Auxiliaries were represented, seven corresponding members were present, and 300 delegates. The president of the Newark Auxiliary gave the address of welcome, and a royal welcome it was, which was responded to by a representative of East Orange Auxiliary, who showed us how ancient and firm were the foundations of the Women's Auxiliary, foundations which were laid when Mother Eve became an aid, an auxiliary to Adam.

The paper on "The Purposes of the Women's Auxiliary" emphasized the constructive power of the Young Men's Christian Association, and the purpose of the Auxiliary to aid in that constructive power.

The Bible reading by Mrs. Ellis of the Women's Christian Temperance Union, was impressive, instructive and uplifting.

The interesting paper, "How Best to Interest the Members of the Auxiliary in the Work of Association", by the President of the Trenton Auxiliary, told the very pathetic origin of the Women's Auxiliary, the outgrowth of a mother's love for a prodigal son in a far-off country.

The Open Parliament called out more questions than there was time for answers, and made one think of the good old Methodist hymn,

"Speak and let your wants be known,
Speaking will relieve you."

It also showed there were some subjects so vital that women were not afraid even to speak out in meeting about them, especially if such means as Parlor Rugby, Mystery Social, and Progressive Conversational Teas were suggested as ways to fill the empty treasury of the Auxiliary.

A very suggestive paper on "The Auxiliary and Junior Work", was read by Mrs. Cutler of the Morristown Auxiliary, who showed very conclusively if you would save the men, you must save the boys.

The first annual conference of the Women's Auxiliary was an inspiration to all who attended it. We all felt it was good to be there. We hope and trust this first conference will bring good to all the Young Men's Christian Associations of New Jersey.

Before closing, President Siegfried announced the following committees:

Committee on Nominations—J. H. McGraw, Madison; Fred McGeer, Orange; F. B. Hoagland, Paterson.

Committee on Temporary Organization—H. A. Cozzens, Newark; W. R. Eadie, Morristown; F. W. Longstroth, Rahway.

THIS MORNING'S SESSION.

The morning session convened in the Assembly Hall in the Association Building at 9:30, with President Siegfried in the chair. The first number on the programme was a Bible hour, conducted by J. H. Elliott of Clifton Springs, N. Y., who took for his subject "The Power by the Spirit".

Mr. Elliott had an entertaining manner of handling his subject, and the young men were attentive listeners, and found much in his talk that will greatly aid them in successfully fulfilling the work in which they are engaged.

He said that the work of God begins with life, and thus the teacher must do likewise properly to inspire his subject with the ideas and principles that it is desired to convey. The spirit of God will never make up for the neglect of men, and it is their duty to testify to His power.

This address was followed by the report of the Committee on Permanent Organization, which was adopted. The report recommended the election of the following officers:

President—W. D. Murray of Plainfield.

Vice Presidents—W. D. Porter of Summit, and B. A. Hegeman of Plainfield, General Traffic Manager the D. L. & W. R.R.

Secretaries—G. T. Lambert of the Somerville School, and G. Davis of Madison.

On motion they were duly elected, and in vacating the chair Mr. Siegfried made a few remarks of regret and expressing hope that the Association would continue with increased growth and prosperity. President Murray was welcomed to the presidency with applause.

He said he considered it an honor reflecting more on the Plainfield Association, then on himself individually, which resulted in his choice as the executive officer of the organization. He took occasion to announce that the meetings would be opened punctually at the announced hours.

An oral review of 1894 was next conducted by Sumner F. Dudley of Orange. The facts developed during their hour were concise, but showed that as a whole the Associations were very prosperous, financially and spiritually. Some of the topics on which reports were made were: Efficiency of spiritual work; improvements in educational classes and difficulty of creating a proper appreciation of the work in their line; difficulty of enthusing active members into doing efficient work; prevalence of apathy among citizens towards the interests of the Association; dropping off of sustaining members by reason of hard times; increased and limited accommodations; condition of finances.

Detailed reports in writing were handed by the delegates from their respective Association.

The morning session closed with a talk by Edwin F. See of Brooklyn, on "The Esprit de Corps in Association Work".

This afternoon simultaneous sectional conferences in various rooms of the building are being held, and parlor conferences of various departments in private homes.

The convention service of the Y. M. C. A. tonight at the Crescent Avenue Church will be one of great interest.

B. Frank Butts will conduct the song service, and sing Gospel solos.

The address of the evening will be given by Rev. Theodore L. Cuyler, D. D., of Brooklyn, and the mere mention of his name should be sufficient to give assurance of a large audience.

The public is cordially invited to attend all the services of the Y. M. C. A. Convention that are held in the Association Rooms tomorrow. At 9:15, the Bible hour will be conducted by J. H. Elliott. At 10:15 Walter C. Douglass of Philadelphia will speak on the topic, "Our Responsibility to Young Men Who Confess Christ in Our Meetings"; and at 11 a. m. W. B. Miller of New York will speak on "Association Educational Work."

The seven sectional conferences are also open to all friends.

The delegates to the Y. M. C. A. convention are young men who convey an impression of earnestness and sincerity of purpose, and possess an intelligent and substantial appearence in their demeanor. That their mission in attending this convention will be fruitful of much benefit and instruction, can be doubted by no one, and they'll help spread the news of Pirindfield's glories.

LIST OF DELEGATES.

Following is the registry of delegates to noon today:

Theo E Bleich, Rahway; E E Brown, Pennington; W G Buchanan, Pennington; D F Barkman, Morristown; J Bieri, Pennington; F W Langstroth, Rahway; Edgar E Burnet, Madison; E B Collard, Newark; C V Childs, Orange; Jacob S Cruzer, Atlantic Highlands; H A Cozzens, Newark; Thomas J Delaney, Jersey City; Asa Dilts, Atlantic Highlands; H K England, Blairstown; J H Evaul, Palmyra; Oscar Eberle, Orange; W R Eadie, Morristown; T S Evans, Princeton; Franklin Firies, Montclair; Chas. Green, Montclair; J H Gould, Lawrenceville; J R George, Dover; L A Goff, Camden; G E George, Rahway; Howard Garrison, Madison; C H Harrington, Camden; E J Handley, Newark; F B Hoagland, Paterson; W C Kell, Paterson; Arthur Lucas, Newark; G T Lambert, Lawrenceville; Edward S Campbell, New Brunswick; F H Foster, New Brunswick; Joseph Jones, Blairstown; Harvey Wedill, New Brunswick; Russell Lunn, Madison; G L Leonard, New York city; Christian Lantz, Brooklyn; W McGrardle, Jersey City; William Morgenueck, Camden; W L Mason, Somerville; W C Pawley, Dover; J B Prescott, Montclair; G W Parks, Jersey City; Raymond S Pearce, Montclair; W D Porter, Summit; Frank Pettinger, Orange; H L Peabody, Newton; Robert F Rankin, Blairstown; J P Stout, New Brunswick; J A Sandford, Montclair; A H Siegfried, Philadelphia, G D W Slack, Mt. Holly; E B Turner, Princeton; A G Viller, Camden; N D White, Hackettstown; T A Wilson, Morristown; Frank Wentlab, Passaic.

—Special butter sale of the finest Elgin Creamery butter at 25 cents, Great A & P Tea Co., 137 and 139 West Front street.

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—At the regular monthly business meeting of the Gesang and Turn Verein, held last evening at their hall on Somerset street, Patrick Casey was elected to membership and four propositions were received from prospective members.

The experience of Geo. A. Apgar, of German Valley, N. J., is well worth remembering. He was troubled with chronic diarrhoea and doctored for five months and was treated by four different doctors without benefit. He then began using Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, of which one small bottle effected a complete cure. It is for sale at Reynolds's pharmacy, Park and North aves. T. S. Armstrong, manager

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TODAY IN HISTORY.

Short Stories of Heroism from Real Life.

Saving the Day at Donelson.

Feb. 15, 1862, decided the fate of the Confederates at Fort Donelson. Finding themselves completely hemmed in, the garrison made a desperate sortie and opened a road of retreat. Grant, after looking the ground over, exclaimed, "The position must be retaken." A column was formed, with General C. F. Smith's division on the left and Lew Wallace's on the right. The ground in front of Smith was covered with abatis, which, his men declared, "looked too thick for a rabbit to get through." Smith rode in front of the center, erect as if on review, a bold target for the Confederate sharpshooters. A soldier, describing the charge, said, "I was nearly scared to death, but I saw the old man's white mustache over his shoulder and went ahead." At the abatis the men fell in rows. The fire was awful, and seeing some wavering Smith put his cap on his sword, swung it high in the air and shouted: "No flinching now, my lads. Come on!" Picking a path among the trees, the men followed after their gallant chief up the hill and planted their colors on the breastworks—the flags of the Second, Seventh and Fourteenth Iowa and Twenty-fifth Indiana.

Wallace's division was led by the Eleventh Indiana zouaves and the Eighth Missouri under Colonel Morgan L. Smith. Colonel Smith lit a cigar and guided his men up the ascent, deploying to cover the entire front and cheering as they went. Under the crest there was a slight halt. Smith's cigar had been shot away in the climb, and taking out another he called for a match. One was handed him by a soldier. "Thank you," said he. "Take your place now. We are almost up." The men began loading and firing, and after a brief struggle on the crest, ended by the rushing of Wallace's supporting brigades, the whole line moved forward, driving the enemy back from the coveted ridge.

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—Violinist P. Ludwig Conde has a painfully burned arm, a result of attempting to get music out of his house furnace.

—At last night's regular monthly meeting of Division No. 4, A. O. H., eight candidates were initiated, and twelve more applications received.

—You feet will enjoy the fine hosiery sold by Callman of 222 West Front street, and your purse will not be much lightened. Think of a pair of hose for 10 cents, and a shirt for 38 cents!

Marvelous Results.

From a letter written by Rev. J. Gunderman, of Dismondale, Mich., we are permitted to make this extract: "I have no hesitation in recommending Dr. King's New Discovery, as the results were almost marvelous in the case of my wife. While I was pastor of the Baptist Church at Rives Junction she was brought down by pneumonia succeeding la grippe. Terrible paroxysms of coughing would last hours with little interruption and it seemed as if she could not survive them. A friend recommended Dr. King's New Discovery; it was quick in its work and highly satisfactory in results. Sold by L. W. Randolph druggist. Regular size 50c and $1; our price 45c and 90c

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(a few doors from his former location) where he can be consulted on all chronic diseases of whatever name and nature.

Dr. Lighthill refers with pardonable pride to the success of his practice in Plainfield and submits below a few of the many testimonials which he has received from grateful patients. A mass of similar ones can be seen at his office.

AN ALMOST MIRACULOUS CURE.

The Statement of Mr. Edward Teel, Jr., of Dunellen, N. J.

TO THE PUBLIC:

From a sense of duty I desire to call public attention to the almost miraculous cure which Dr. Lighthill effected in the case of my wife. For eleven years she had been afflicted with piles of an unusual severe and distressing character. She suffered every day of her life the most intense pain, attended with frequent and profuse hemorrhage. This state of things debilitated her entire system until she became a perfect wreck of her former self.

We made every effort to obtain a cure but they all resulted in bitter disappointment, although a number of physicians of excellent reputations for skill in that direction had treated her case. She grew worse and worse all the time, the pain became perfectly unbearable and I felt she could not bear the strain of her condition much longer. In this extremity, a friend of mine, Mr. W E. Dilts, a resident of Roselle, N. J., a passenger conductor on the New Jersey Central told me that he had been similarly affected, and had been permanently cured by Dr. Lighthill, after other medical skill had failed. He assured me that the doctor would cure my wife, no matter how severe her case may be, and his prediction proved perfectly correct. In spite of her desperate condition, Dr. Lighthill, I am glad to say, has effected a complete and perfect cure in her case, and has given her new life.

Since the cure has been effected she has gained in health and strength and is so improved in appearance that her friends scarcely recognise her. They all consider her cure as almost miraculous, and Dr. Lighthill's praise is heard on every side. Our gratitude to Dr. Lighthill is unbounded and we only hope that other sufferers may be benefited by this publication.

EDWARD TEEL, JR.

A Flattering Testimonial from Colonel John Dietrich, One of Plainfield's Oldest and Best Known Residents.

16 ARLINGTON PLACE,
Plainfield, N. J., July 17, 1894.

I am profoundly grateful to Dr. Lighthill for his speedy and radical cure of a most painful malady of over ten years standing with which I was afflicted.

I deem it proper to say to all afflicted to place themselves under the care of this skilful physician and be permanently cured.

I will cheerfully impart any information I possess when called upon.

JOHN DIETRICH.

Mr. Thomas Callahan of No. 214 Richmond street Cured of a Very Distressing Trouble by Dr. Lighthill.

PLAINFIELD, N. J., June 1, 1894.

TO THE PUBLIC:

For some time past I have been greatly distressed with noises in the head. They were all over my head and troubled me constantly; they were loudest at night when everything was quiet and at such times would often keep me from sleep and disturb my rest. In fact they got to be so bad and distressing that they affected my whole nervous system as well as my health. I did not obtain the least relief until I placed myself under the care of Dr. Lighthill, of No. 132 Crescent avenue, who effected a complete cure in my case in a short time and made me a very happy man.

THOMAS CALLAHAN,
214 Richmond street.

A Card From Mr. T. R VanZandt,
of Nos. 304 and 306 Park ave.,
Plainfield, N. J

I certify with pleasure that Dr. Lighthill has effectually cured me of a most painful case of piles. For some time past I had been subject to its attacks, but the last attack was so exceedingly painful that it completely upset my whole system. The pain extended to my legs and in many other directions, and made me so nervous that I could neither sleep, sit down, lie down or move about without serious discomfort and distress. Such was my condition when I applied to Dr. Lighthill for relief, and I am glad to say that as soon as he took hold of my case, I began to improve, and in a short time found myself completely cured. Dr. Lighthill has also effected a radical and permanent cure in a most terrible case of piles on my cousin, Mr. J. V. Z. Griggs, of Rocky Hill, N. J., whose flattering testimonial is in Dr. Lighthill's possession.

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Extra quality Bahama pineapple free from cores, reg. price 30c, special 19c can; very good quality mixed tea reg. price 39c, special 24c pound, or 5 pound for $1.00.

Special in Dry Goods Department.

FOR SATURDAY.

10 doz ladies' pocketbooks, imitation seal, as long as they last, only 13c

15 doz fringed towels with colored borders, 22x50, as long as they last, only 7½c.

10 doz hair brushes and combs—11c for a comb and brush

10 pieces full width silesia only 7c; as long as they last.

Other bargains all through the store. Just received our first installment of

New Spring Dress Goods.

Something new and stylish in all-wool effects at 39c; regular 50c goods.

New silk and wool effects at 50c, 65c, 75c and $1.00. Very choice and exceedingly cheap.

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ACQUITTED.

The Plainfield Boys Had No Intent to Kill Evans.

The jury on the Kane-Welsh trial at Elizabeth court yesterday went out at 11:30 a. m. as stated exclusively in The Press, and did not return until 8:30 p. m. when the foreman rendered for the jury a verdict for acquittal on the charge of manslaughter, basing their opinion, as was stated afterward in conversation with a party of newspaper men on the facts set forth by Judge Coddington in his eloquent plea to the effect, first, that the bullet decended at sharp angle instead of assending as it would have done, (as conclusively proved by Surveyor Quien's diagrams and charts), had it been fired by the boys, second, that testimony of Hospital surgeons that probes were introduced into Evans's head in various directions other than that taken by the bullet, which fact doubtless hastened death; and third, that the State had either lost or would not produce the bullet extracted, so that the jury might compare it with a 22-calibre cartridge bullet which fitted the gun used. Great rejoicing is felt by the boys' friends in this city over the verdict, and congratulations are pouring in on Judge Coddington from all sides for his masterful handling of the case.

THE ESCAPE.

How a Young Lover Narrowly Averted an Expensive Trip.

"Darling," she said, as she nestled closer to him and looked up with a fond gaze into the eyes of her lover, "you know all the preparations for our wedding have been made. The cards are out, my trousseau is complete, but there is one little matter that has not yet been settled."

"I presume you refer, dear," he replied, lovingly holding her hand in his, "to our wedding trip?"

"You have guessed it, you dear, sweet boy," she cried joyfully, "and let's decide where we will go."

"Let me see," taking out his notebook. "There's Niagara and Washington and Old Point Comfort and"—

"No dear," she interrupted, "I don't want to go to any of those places."

"Perhaps you would like to go to some real quiet place," he continued, "where we could be all alone by ourselves. But, my darling, what is the matter with you? You are not ill, are you?"

Her face had become ashen pale. Controlling herself by a supreme effort, she said: "Can you not guess it? Don't you see where I want to go." And she whispered something in his ear.

Two hours later the figure of a solitary man might have been seen scurrying along to find the reserved seat sale for Lillian Kennedy in "She Could n't Marry Three.

Prosperous Loan.

The regular meeting of the Republic Loan Association, held last evening in the Republican rooms, was largely attended and full of interest. Chairman Spicer presided, and Secretary J. B. Coward read a circular letter setting forth the improvement in the financial condition of the Association for the past year and declaring a dividend of 15 per cent. The increased membership of the local branch was cited as a matter for congratulation. During the evening Mr. Spicer was elected trustee for the present year. The annual meeting of the various associations will take place in this city March 14.

Reception to the Juniors' Teacher.

A very enjoyable time was spent last evening at the residence of B. S. Braider of Manning avenue. A reception was given to Miss Petery, teacher of the Junior class in the North Plainfield Public School, by the members of her class.

During the evening there were piano solos by Miss Petery, Miss Austin and several others of the class. Refreshments were served about 10.

Among those present were the Misses Matie Van Horn, Lydia Loizeaux, Libbie Joseph, Mabel Conover, Acksah Holmes, Bertha Stevens, Emma Stevens, Edith Cooley, Miss Austin, and Louis Hummer, Jr., James K Arnold, Jr., John H Van-Winkle, Jr., Will Loizeaux, and Arthur Austin.

Death of Aunt Hetty.

Aunt Hetty Johnson, mother of Andrew W. of Duer street, died at the home of her son Russel, 167 West 81st street, New York, last evening at 6. Funeral services will be held at the home of her son Russel tomorrow afternoon. On Sunday her remains will be brought to Plainfield and interred in the cemetery on Plainfield avenue.

EARLY INTELLIGENCE.

—The Music Hall box office will be open till 9 p. m., Saturday.

—Extra fine Elgin Creamery butter, at 25 cents, Great A & P Tea Co., 137 & 139 West Front street.

—The Independent Fife and Drum Corps attended a reception and dance in Jersey City last evening.

—3 cents below cost Elgin Creamery butter at 25 cents, Great A & P Tea Co., 137 and 139 West Front street.

—Music Hall heating apparatus has been perfected so that the house will be effectually heated Monday night.

—At a regular communication of Jerusalem Chapter, No. 24 R. A. M., last evening, the Royal Arch and Past Masters degrees were worked before a large concourse of members.

—Honeyman's famous private tours will conduct a trip from Plainfield to California April 10. Write to A. V. D. Honeyman, Plainfield, N. J. The European tour starts June 28.

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PRESIDENT NORTON INDICTED.

Brooklyn, Feb. 15—President Benjamin Norton and Supt. Daniel J. Quinn, of the Atlantic Avenue Railroad, were today jointly indicted by the Kings County Grand Jury on two charges of having violated the Ten-Hour law. Twenty-seven other indictments were found against persons, some of them strikers, for juring railroad property.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

Sydney Titsworth was elected president of the Third class of the High School today.

Mrs. Charles R. Norman of Philadelphia has been spending a few days in this city.

Mrs. Edward Stein of Grandview avenue is slowly improving from an attack of the grip and bronchitis.

A little girl brightened the home of Mr. and Mrs. Warren Towley, 21 Grandview avenue, Wednesday night.

Geo. Kirch is able to be about his store yesterday for the first time in over a week. He has been suffering from rheumatism.

Miss Grace E. Overton is able to return to her studies in the High School again after suffering with an attack of the grip.

"The only John" Wendell of Supt. Mills' express office force received twenty-six beautiful valentines yesterday. John is a dandy, but no dude.

Fred Treubeben, cashier of the local office of the U. S. Express Co., leaves tonight for a flying visit with old friends at Port Jervis, N. Y. Mr. Treubeben will be on deck again Monday morning.

Rev. John H. Elliott of Clifton Springs, New York, a well-known evangelist and a delegate to the Y. M. C. A. Convention, will occupy the pulpit at the Seventh-Daay Baptist Church tomorrow morning at 10:30. Strangers are welcome.

Electric Blowing.

The board of trustees of the First Presbyterian Church have decided on the advisability of using an electric motor to blow the organ. The contract has been awarded to W. M. Miner of East Second street.

—The Great A & P Tea Co., is selling the finest Elgin Creamery butter at 25 cents, 137 and 139 West Front street,

Shiloh's Cure, the great cough and croup cure, is in great demand. Pocket size contains 25 doses, only 25c. Children love it. Sold by all druggists.

Captain Sweeney, U. S. A., San Diego, Cal., says: "Shiloh's Catarrh Remedy is the first medicine I have ever found that would do me any good." Price 50c Sold by all druggists.

MARRIAGES.

HARTPENCE—PAINTER. In this city Feb. 14, 1895 by Rev. Cornelius Schenck. Joseph R. Hartpence of Grover, N. J. and Miss Mary E. Painter of Clinton, N. J.

DEATHS.

ADAMS—Miss Susan B. Adams, at the home of her sister, Mrs. Adelbert Vail, 311 East Second street, February 15, 1895, in the 49th year of her age.

Notice of funeral will be given later.

BENNER—In this city, Friday, Feb. 15, 1895 Mary Benner, wife of Jacob Benner in the 36th year of her age.

Funeral services from her late residence 433 Orchard place, Sunday Feb. 17, 1895.

Relatives and friends are invited to attend. Interment in Methodist cemetery.

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Ladies fast black hose, seamless, 10 and 12½
Ladies' fast black Hermsdorf sold in town at 21c our price 15c.
Men's Hermsdorf black socks 2 pair for 25c.
We also received all numbers in Clark's crochet cotton on spools at 5c.

The "Cast-iron" shirt made of good muslin, heavy linen bosom, reinforced front and double back, at 38c.

LOUIS CALLMAN,

222 West Front st

"The Irish Artist" in Plainfield.

An interesting feature of Chauncey Olcott as "The Irish Artist" in Music Hall next Monday night will be his debut here as a song writer. He will sing for the first time in this city an Irish serenade, "Katy Mahone", a ballad, "My Beautiful Irish Maid" and "Look in My Heart", all of which were written and composed by the comedian. Manager Pitou announces an elaborate production of "The Irish Artist", with a strong supporting cast.

Reception and Dance Committee.

Thedore Kurzhals, chairman, H. C. McVoy, H. G. Cook, Willard Sutton and Isaac Squires, were appointed a committee at the meeting of Franklin Council, No. 41, J. O. U. A. M., last evening to arrange for a reception and dance to be given by the Council, Wednesday, March 20. The invitation to parade in Brooklyn Washington's Birthday was discussed, but nothing definite was done in the matter.

—Plainfield people remark the extraordinary elegance of the Great Atlantic and Pacific Tea Company's new and sumptuously stocked store 137-139 West Front street.

Mrs. Emily Thorne, who resides at Toledo, Washington, says she has never been able to procure any medicine for rheumatism that relieves the pain so quickly and effectually as Chamberlain's Pain Balm and that she has also used it for lame back with great success. For sale at Reynolds's pharmacy, Park and North aves. T. S. Armstrong, manager.

—M. Mentzenbach will hereafter fill the position formerly held by B. Utzinger as janitor of German Reformed Church.

Karl's Clover Root will purify your blood, clear your complexion, regulate your bowels and make your head clear as a bell; 25c., 50c., and $1. Sold by all druggists.

A Late Spring

Does not prevent us from displaying new and pretty designs in Spring Suitings. We are receiving new goods daily and the prices we have put on them will prove that we are the leaders of bargains. These are not CHEAP GOODS, but good goods at cheap prices.

15 pieces flannel suitings 25c.
10 " " 49c.
10 pieces plain serges 25c.
8 pieces fancy plaids 12½c.
15 " worsteds 15c.

Ladies Ready-Made Suits.

A complete line of stylish spring suits in all shades. Our prices—

$5 00 worth	$6 85 worth	$7 50 worth	$8 75 worth
$ 50	$3 00	$3 75	$10 25

We will take your order for a silk dress, skirt or waist and guarantee a fit.

Waists and Skirts.

Silk waists $3 49, sold elsewhere for $4 50
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These goods we have in all shades and sizes.

Muslin Sale.

For one week only we will sell unbleached muslin 36 in. wide for 4½c.

7c SALE IN Basement 7c

Any article on our 10c counter for 7c for one week only. On this counter you will find articles that are useful in your kitchen.

BOEHM'S,

113 WEST FRONT STREET.

CLAIRVOYANT

Mrs Dr. Edwards

on account of the weather is compelled to remain in Plainfield one week longer, but will leave positively next

Saturday, Feb. 16,

at 7 a. m., to fill her engagement in Lakewood. Call at once at

CITY HOTEL, ROOM 2,

one flight up. See sign up stairs. Ladies 50c to $1. Gentlemen $1. Office hours from 9 a. m. to 9 p. m.

Executor's Sale.

The real estate and personal property of the late Mary E. Moore, located corner Chatham and Warren streets, North Plainfield, will be sold at public auction to the highest bidder, on the premises, on Thursday, Feb. 21, 1895, at 2 p. m.

WM. H. COMBS, Executor.

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Half value sale of new seasonable goods still continues. In addition to the many good values that we have offered for this week we add the following:

66 in. bleached damask in 2 and 2½ yd. lengths at 49c per yd. actual value 75c.

18 in all linen crash, extra heavy 7c. yard.

20 in. all linen glass toweling 8½c

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54 in covert cloth 49c yd value 98c.

18 in fancy silks, 39c yd. value 75c.

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2¼x2½ sheets, made of Boston bleached sheeting 44c. each. Value 65c.

100 doz. men's black half hose Hermsdorf dye. Value 25c. Our price 12½c.

100 doz. ladies' full regular Hermsdorf dye hose 19c pair.

Ladies' 5 hook Foster kids 75c. pr.

The greatest bargain in draperies ever offered is what they all say Beautiful styles 40 and 45 in. wide. price 13c.

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Tea kettles, 79c.
Oatmeal boilers, 37c.

Don't you find it satisfactory to trade at a store that will refund you your money for any article you buy and do not want?

That's our way of doing business.

WHITE, of Plainfield.

Fanwood Township

ORDINANCE.

Whereas two-thirds of the owners of real estate on streets known as Forest avenue, Forest Road North First street and Clinton avenue have petitioned the Township Committee of Fanwood Township to change the names of these streets to Forest avenue for the whole length of the road or street, from the intersection of said Clinton avenue with Mountain avenue, to the intersection of said Forest Road with North avenue, the same being a continuous street or road from the points named and being greatly to the advantage of the said petitioners:

It is hereby ordained by the Township Committee of Fanwood Township, that the street or road known by the names mentioned, Forest Road, Forest avenue, North First street and Clinton avenue be and are hereby changed and are to be hereafter known as Forest avenue from the intersection of the same with Mountain avenue to its intersection with North avenue.

EDWARD L. HAND, Township Clerk.

Dated February 11, 1895. 2 15 5

WANTS AND OFFERS.

TABLE boarders wanted in private family. Apply 303 West Fourth st. 2 7 tf

WELL bred road horse for sale, out of dam that has a mark of 2:12½; not afraid of anything; safe for anybody to drive; will be sold right if bought in 2 or 3 days. Call on M. Quinn, East 4th st. 2 15 tf

WANTED—A practical man with $500 to $2,500, to organize stock company and manufacture bicycle sundries, and give personal attention to business. Will put in equal amount or double. Address Bicycle, care Press. 2 15 3

WANTED—Young girl to assist in general housework. Sleep home. Rand 145 West Front street.

LOST—Last evening, a lady's gold watch and chain between 5th st. and German Church on Craig place. Finder will be suitably rewarded by returning to 327 East 5th st. 2 14 2

TO RENT—Small cottage containing 4 or 5 rooms, located on Front st. near Richmond st. Apply to Mr. C. P. Bull, 226 East 9th st. 2 14 3

WANTED.—Work harness in good condition; also corn sheller; state price. B. B., Lock Box, 72, Scotch Plains. 2 14 4

TO LET—Brick house, 12 rooms, all improvements; 726 Watchung ave., 3 doors from Crescent Avenue Church. Inquire 108 Crescent ave. 2 13 3

FOR SALE—House and lot in North Plainfield; 3 minutes walk from street railroad; 20 minutes from depot; house has 7 rooms; will sell on easy terms. Address for particulars, Bargain, care Press. 2 12 6

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" Young Hyson tea	40c	Can corn, fine goods	8c
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XX soda crackers	4½c	Ground coffee	17½c
Ginger snaps	5½c	Java and Mocha coffee	30c
Nic-nac crackers	6c	Extra fine Maricaibo coffee	30c
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PARKHURST'S BOOK.

HIS TREATISE ON THE GREAT FIGHT WITH THE TIGER.

His Motto: No Alliance With Police, and No Quarter to Be Shown. Why the Divine Made His Tours of Observation Into the Realms of Vice.

Rev. Dr. Charles H. Parkhurst's new book, entitled "Our Fight with Tammany," published by Charles Scribner's Sons, treats of various subjects of public interest. At the outset the distinguished author says:

"Intimation had been given that the gauntlet thrown down by the February grand jury would be taken up by us in my pulpit of March 13. The ordinary furniture of the pulpit, in the shape of Bible and hymn books, was on that occasion supplemented by a copious package of affidavits."

He quotes his text of that day, "The wicked walk on every side where the vilest men are exhalted." (Psalms xii).

Of the powers of the pulpit fulminations against corruption, the author maintains that they are honest, intelligent and untrammeled. He adds:

"And I am saying what I know. I uttered only thirty minutes of indictment against the blood sucking scoundrels that are drawing the veins of our body municipal, and they were all set wriggling like a lot of muck worms in a hot shovel. I am not such a fool as to suppose that it was the man that said it that did the work, nor that it was what was said that did the work; for it has been said a hundred times before with more thoroughness and detail.

"It was the pulpit that did the work. Journalistic roasting these vagabonds will enjoy and grow cool over. But when it is clear that the man who speaks it is speaking it, not for the purpose of putting money into his pocket or power into his party, but is speaking it because it is true, and, in speaking it, appreciates its oracular authority as one commissioned of God to speak it, there is a suggestion of the judgement idea abouh it, there is a presentiment of the invisible God back of it, that knots the stringy conscience of these fellows into contortions of terror."

Dr. Parkhurst next describes how his policy of hostility to the police first took shape. He said that a short time before he became familiar with certain facts which make out a large feature in the life of the city, and having a special concern for the welfare of the young men of his congregation, he was interested in any means by which he could operate to reduce the strain of current temptation, and make it a little easier for a city young man to maintain himself in his best. Dr. Parkhurst moved in the direction of gambling and social evil. The first obstruction encountered was the police. He discovered that their principal object was to protect and foster crime for gain.

Dr. Parkhurst admits that it took the members of his society some months to learn that a raid was not to be taken seriously. He says:

"If there are two notorious gambling houses or disorderly houses side by side and one of them is raided, and the other not, only a fool will imagine that there was any more honesty in raiding one of the two than in leaving the other unraided. That coure of procedure has obtained in this city and obtains to-day.

"Nothwithstanding all this spasmodic activity that prevailed during the months of April and May, the Society for the Prevention of Crime knew, and to some extent the people of the town suspected that there was no change of sentiment or of intention on the part of the Police Department, and if there were to be any improved municipal condition it would have to come from a grand movement and concerted protest on the part of the people at large."

Referring to the excursions he made into the realms of infamy, he has this to say by way of excuse or defense:

"The necessity for such a tour of observation was, to my mind, so transparently necessary that it did not seem advisable to seek any considerable amount of counsel on the matter. I conferred repeatedly with Mr. David J. Whitney, who was one of the most aggressive members of the society, and who, through long warfare with the evil geniuses of our city, had made himself an expert in all that concerned the society's work. He was a man who was very quick in his judgments, but exceedingly liable to be right. He agreed with me that there would be tremendous advantage in being able to speak of the city from out of my own personal acquaintance with it, but omitted no pains to convince me of the poisoned arrows of malignity to which I should be exposed if I made the venture.

"Having decided that destiny was a thing from which there is no escape, it remained to find a safe and congenial spirit whom I could take as my companion. More hinged upon this matter than I could then distinctly foresee. It was necessary that such companion should be a man of unimpeachable personal character, and of an established position in the community. Of course it was necessary, also, that he should undertake the work, not out of any hasty or uncertain impulse, but purely out of devotion to the cause which the work represented.

"Nevertheless, in full view of all that has passed, and in spite of all in the way of vicious criticism and honest misunderstanding that has ensued, I am still obliged to say that the course I took was the only course that could have been taken; and that, under like circumstances, I would repeat precisely the same policy. No rhetoric that I might have availed of, and no theories of the situation that I might have promulgated, would ever have begun to take the place of my being able to say: 'I know.'

"I may be permitted to say that when I stood in my pulpit shortly after, and, on the strength of my own personal knowledge, repeated in more detail the charges for which I had just been 'presented,' I felt clear to the center of my being that I was in a position from which no District Attorney, no Grand Jury, and no Justice Martine, or any of his ilk, could ever shake me."

Sweet Alice Up to Date.

Oh, do you remember sweet Alice, Ben Bolt,
Sweet Alice, whose hair was so brown?
It has changed to a hydrogen blonde, I am told,
Since sweet Alice moved into town.
—Indianapolis Journal.

Always There.

She—I suppose there are some refining influences at work in Washington?

He—Oh, yes; you know the agents of the sugar trust are still there.—Yonkers Statesman.

AN EGG ROMANCE.

A Youngstown Girl and Her Brittle Love Letter.

A young man of Woonsocket, who is employed in a grocery, in filling an order for eggs about four months ago saw that one of the number had something written on the shell in pencil. This one he laid aside until the customer had gone, and then proceeded to examine it more closely.

The following lines were written plainly on the shell:

If this egg in course of time
A young unmarried man may see,
Who is to married life inclined,
I ask that he will write to me.
Direct to Jane Eliza Blair,
Youngstown, Ohio, and depend
Such letters sent will find me there,
An answer I will quickly send.

The young man, who is unmarried, and who is an admirer of poets and poetry, and who writes very fair verses himself, lost no time in an endeavor to find out the writer of the lines on that egg.

His zeal was rewarded, as in due time after sending a letter he received a reply from Miss Blair, in which she explained that her father raised poultry, and she was sometimes engaged in helping him pack and ship eggs.

Being of a romantic turn of mind, she one day wrote on the egg, and was glad to find that it reached a person who was kind enough to comply with her request.

The answer of the young lady brought about a constant correspondence, each of the interested parties sending a letter each week. Photographs have been exchanged, and each has expressed more than common admiration for the other.

"In fact, it looks like a romantic marriage, particularly so as the father of the young woman seems well satisfied, as he has written the young man and extended an invitation to visit him next summer.

To This Are We Coming.

Twenty-five years more of development in our houses, hotels and restaurants, if conducted on present lines, will produce an enormous ducking and scraping, fee seeking, livery wearing servant class, which will go far to establish the claim, put forth by some of our critics, that equality on this side of the water means only political equality, and that our class distinctions, though not so obvious, are no less genuine than elsewhere. In this event the only logical note of explanation to send to the Powers will be that social equality was never contemplated by the signers of the Declaration of Independence; and that, though it is true that any man may become President of the United States, there are as great inequalities in morals, intellect and manners among sons of liberty as among the subjects of the Czar. To this the Powers will be justified in uttering a disappointed and slightly ironical "Oh!"—Robert Grant, in Scribner.

Retributive Fate.

Twenty years ago a young man married one of the smartest young ladies anywhere round, and the young couple seemed to start in life with every prospect of happiness. But the girl was ambitious to be rich, and because she was not was very much dissatisfied. After keeping her husband in a peck of trouble for a time, she left him and got a divorce. He went into bankruptcy and she very soon married a wealthy man and rode behind a span in an elegant carriage. To-day the former bankrupt is wealthy and prosperous, has a new wife and a happy home. Every comfort surrounds them. His wife of other days now lives in poverty and has to scrub for the bread she eats. Her husband's wealth under poor management shrank to worse than nothing. The roses have gone from her cheeks and the light from her eyes. It's as complete a turn around as one ever saw.—Lewiston Journal.

Skated In Her Bare Feet.

A pretty eighteen-year-old girl created quite a sensation in the east end lately; and for an hour a score of men watched her as she glided about on the ice. She was a graceful skater, and every movement was Delsartean in its perfection. It was not her grace and beauty that attracted the men. It was her bare feet which gleamed in and out beneath her skirt as each foot was thrust gracefully forward. The foot was such a one as described by Du Maurier in his "Trilby." The coloring was perfect, and now and then as the wind switched her skirts the glimpse of a perfect ankle and sometimes even the swell of a shapely calf was seen. It was this that attracted the men. They wondered that the cold did not make her suffer, but it seemed unnoticed. Her mother finally appeared, and, after much cheerful persuasion and a little force, the girl was induced to remove her skates, don her shoes and stockings, and leave. With her departure the crowd rapidly dwindled away.—Louisville Post.

A Hint to Would-be Orators.

Apropos of Lord Randolph Churchill, an incident may be related which is interesting as showing his pluck and vigor. It relates to the noble lord's early parliamentary life. He was determined to make an impression upon the House of Commons, but some of his friends doubted the wisdom of his resolution. He said little, but he left London and took up his quarters at an inn in Rutlandshire. Here he spent his days and nights for a period of six weeks, with only an occasional trip to town for a day, in writing and delivering speeches. He practically went into training upon every possible subject of debate. The landlady could hear her lodger hour after hour, day after day, walking about his room delivering speeches, now loud and angry, now soft and persuasive. Perfected by practice, Lord Randolph Churchill left for town, seized his opportunity, made a big speech, and henceforth became a man to be reckoned with. Only to his intimate friends did he ever refer to his rural training in parliamentary oratory, which has been of such splendid service to him.—Tit-Bits.

A Kaiser's Uniforms.

The task of looking after the uniforms and other costumes of the Emperor William is by no means a sinecure. All these different and greatly varying articles of attire, as diversified as those at the disposal of a star actor, are carefully kept, systematically arranged and in large wardrobes, and at the head of the department is an official entitled the Obergarderobier, who has under his command two valets de chambres. The nautical uniforms are placed under the charge of an ex-sub-officer of the German navy. Before the Emperor undertakes any one of his many expeditions the Obergarderobier is provided with an exhaustive list of all the dress and other paraphernalia that will be required.—Tit-Bits.

THE SUN'S FASHIONS.

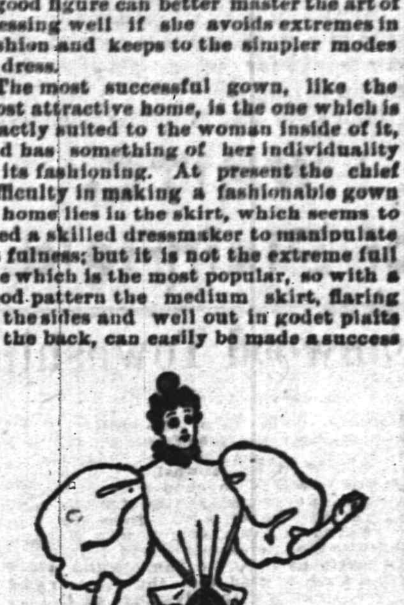
HINTS FOR THE FRUGAL WOMAN WHO MAKES HER OWN ATTIRE.

The Skirt Is the Most Troublesome Member of the Modern Wardrobe. Some Examples of Pretty and Becoming Bodices.

In this dull period between winter and summer fashions, when all the new ideas have become old and novelties rare, there is time to consider the possibilities of the home-made gown and some individuality in dress in connection with simplicity and that economy so needful to the woman with a limited allowance and extravagant tastes. It is somewhat difficult to reconcile the growing tendency to extravagance in fashion with the dwindling incomes of the past year, yet there never was a time when a last season's gown could be made over with any greater degree of success, from a fashionable point of view, and all because of the variety of materials admissible in one dress. In the midst of a season of so much magnificence in attire, such rich velvets and brocades, satins, furs, and gorgeous trimmings, a simple gown well made, and worn with a stylish grace, has some chance to gain distinction. It is a novelty because of its plainness. Good taste and a well proportioned figure are a fort-

une to the woman who would be fashionably dressed on a small amount of money, and if she will only study herself and adapt the fashions to her individual needs, by avoiding exaggerations and making them harmonize with her particular style and coloring, she will find that she is quite as attractive in simple inexpensive attire as she would be in any of the most elaborate creations, and certainly she who possesses neither taste nor a good figure can better master the art of dressing well if she avoids extremes in fashion and keeps to the simpler modes of dress.

The most successful gown, like the most attractive home, is the one which is exactly suited to the woman inside of it, and has something of her individuality in its fashioning. At present the chief difficulty in making a fashionable gown at home lies in the skirt, which seems to need a skilled dressmaker to manipulate its fulness; but it is not the extreme full one which is the most popular, so with a good pattern the medium skirt, flaring at the sides and well out in godet plaits at the back, can easily be made a success



while the full bodices, so youthful and becoming, cover no end of deficiencies in the shape of lining underneath. The fancy for spangled materials and ribbons for dress trimmings can be indulged with very little expense by sewing the spangles on at home, which is very easily done. Ribbons spangled a very little on the edge or in vertical lines at intervals make a very effective, inexpensive trimming, which can be arranged for neckbands, belts, and braces over the shoulders.

A simple home dress for morning wear is made of serge or a fine mixed tweed. The fulness in the bodice is brought over to form two box plaits in front at the belt of black satin ribbon, which starts from beneath the arm, passes beneath the plaits, and ties in a bow in front. The circular basque is sewed on instead of being cut in one with the waist. Seven yards of double width goods will make this gown. Another model is carried out in a mixed black and gray wool goods, which can be bought at greatly reduced prices just now. The wide cape revers, which form a collar in the back, open over a black satin vest and cross at the waist, where they fasten with two handsome buttons.—N. Y. Sun.

A Sad Mistake.

She was ordering a pair of bicycle bloomers from a man dressmaker who had formerly catered exclusively to the male trade.

"You will want two hip pockets, I suppose?" he said.

"Yes," replied the emancipated one.

"Er—pint or quart size?" asked the man milliner with a faraway look in his eye.

She glared at him for a moment, and then for the first time he noticed that she wore a W. C. T. U. badge!

As she flounced out of the door he kicked himself several times in the same place.

Happy Thought.

An elderly woman, being jealous of her husband, determined to commit suicide, and was about to throw herself into the river, when she suddenly exclaimed:

"Good gracious! I have left the pantry door open and the cat will get in."

So saying, she hurried off home, and since then she has made no further attempt to do away with herself.—Berliner Morgenzeitung.

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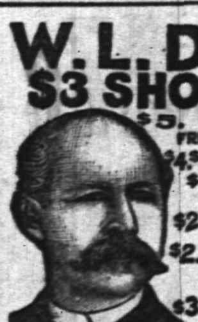

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Leave New York from foot of Liberty street 4 30, 6 00, 7 15, 8, 8 40, 9 10, 10, 11 45, A. M., 1 10, 1 30, 2 30, 3 30, 3 45, 4, 4 30, 5, 5 15, except Saturday, 5 30, 5 45, 6, 6 15, 6 30, 7, 7 30, 8, 8 30, 9 15, 10 15, 11 30 P. M. 12 15, 1, night. Sunday—4 30, 7 15, 9 00, 9 15, A. M., 12 M., 1, 2 15, 4, 5 30, 7, 9 00, 10 00 P. M., 12 15 night. 1 A. M.

PLAINFIELD AND NEWARK.

Leave Plainfield 5 59, 6 28, 6 59, 7 30, 7 59, 8, 8 40, 9 29, 10 04, 10 27, A. M., 12 06, 1 18, 2 07, 2 30, 3 13, 3 51, 4 50, 5 54, 6 54, 7 08, 8 30, 10 17, 11 26 P. M. Sunday—8 01, 8 52, 10 08, 11 19, A. M., 12 38, 1 45, 3 30, 5 36, 7 11, 8 29, 8 33, 10 17 P. M.

Leave Newark 6 10, 7 18, 7 55, 8 32, 9 08, 10 08, 11 35 A. M., 1 15, 1 35, 2 20 Saturday only, 2 50, 3 35, 4 05, 4 40, 5 04, 5 34, 6 10, 6 20, 7 15, 7 35, 8 40, 10 05, 11 35 P. M. Sunday—7 30, 9 45, 9 25, 11 35, A. M., 1 10, 2 35, 4 10, 5 40, 7 20, 9 25, 10 20 P. M.

Passengers for Newark change cars at Elizabeth.

PLAINFIELD AND SOMERVILLE.

Leave Plainfield 5 45, 7 10, 8 16, 9 54, 11 a.m., 12 46, 2 08, 3 22, 3 45, 4 06, 5 08, 5 14, 5 34, 6 04, 6 19, 6 38, 7 13, 7 56, 8 21, 10 26, 11 22, P. M., 12 38 night. Sunday—5 45, 8 28, 9 54, A. M., 2 08, 3 29, 5 14, 6 35, 10 15, 11 14 P. M.

Leave Somerville, 6, 6 30, 7 00, 7 30, 7 35, 7 45, 8 20, 9 00, 9 48, 11 40 A. M., 12 57, 1 45, 3 30, 4 25, 4 25, 5 25, 6 30, 8 17, 8 46, 11 05, P. M. Sunday 8 25, 9 45, 10 55 A. M., 12 08, 1 20 5 05, 6 45, 8 02, 9 08, 9 40 P. M.

PLAINFIELD AND EASTON.

Leave Plainfield 5 45, 8 16, 9 54, A. M., 12 46, 2 08, 5 08, 5 14, 6 38, 8 21 P. M. Sunday—5 45, 8 28 A. M., 2 08, 6 35, P. M.

Leave Easton 6 05, 7 00, 8 53, A. M., 12 32, 4 04, 7 00 P. M. Sundays—7 15, 10 52, A. M. 6 40, 7 30, P. M.

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Leave Plainfield 9 54, a. m. 5 08 p.m.

WESTWARD CONNECTIONS.

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5 45 A. M. for Flemington, Easton, Allentown Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Mauch Chunk Williamsport and Tamaqua,

7 10 a. m. for stations to High Bridge, connecting for stations on High Bridge Branch.

8 16 A. M. for Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R. Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9 54 A. M. for Flemington, High Bridge branch D L & W R R, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Pottsville, Nanticoke, Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c. Through coach to Williamsport.

12 46 p. m. way for Easton, connecting at Junction for stations on D. L. & W. R. R.

2 08 P. M. for Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Sunbury and Williamsport, Wilkes-Barre and Scranton. Buffet parlor car to Mauch Chunk.

5 08 p. m., way for Easton, connecting at High Bridge for stations on High Bridge branch

5 14 P. M. for Flemington, Easton, Bethlehem, Bangor, Allentown, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, Mauch Chunk, Shamokin and Tamaqua, Buffet parlor car to Scranton.

6 19 P. M. for Flemington.

6 38 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading and Harrisburg.

8 21 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

5 45 A. M. Sunday for Easton, Bethlehem Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Wilkesbarre and Scranton. 8 28 a.m. Sundays for Easton, 2 08 p. m. Sundays for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Reading and Harrisburg, 6 35 p. m. Sundays for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, &c. and at Junction for D. L. & W. R. R.

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Leave Plainfield 3 37, 8, 10 27, a. m. 1 18, 3 51, 5 54, p. m. Sundays—(except Ocean Grove) 8 52, a. m., 3 30 p. m.

For Perth Amboy, 3 37, 5 59, 8 10 27 a. m., 1 18, 3 51, 4 50, 5 54, 7 08 p.m. Sunday—8 52, a. m., 3 30 p. m.

For Freehold, 3 37, 8, 10 27 a.m., 1 18, 3 51, 4 50, P. m.

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For Trenton 5 45, 8 44, 9 45*, 10 45, a. m., 12 46, 2 09*, 5 14*, 6 38*, 8 21, 9 37* p. m., 1 12 night. Sunday—5 45, 9 34, a. m., 2 09*, 5 14* 6 45 p. m., 1 12 night.

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Leave Trenton, Warren and Tucker sts., 1 00 4 58, 9 06, 10 25, a.m. 12 15*, 2 10, 4 29*, 5 54 9 03 p. m. Sundays—1 00, 4 58, 9 06, 10 27 a. m. 1 10*, 4 33 5 48* 9 03 p. m.

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FOUR TIMES MARRIED

Mrs. Pratt's Marital Woes Break the Record.

The Same Man for a Groom on Each Occasion, But Yet the Woman Was Never a Wife—The Pretty Young Typewriter Brings Her Fourth Suit for Divorce.

New York, Feb. 15.—On the calendar of the superior court is a suit for separation, the plaintiff in which, although she is too young to bring suit in her own name, has, according to her affidavit, been four times married, always, however, to the same man, once has figured as co-respondent in a divorce suit, and is now bringing her fourth legal action against the man she claims to be her husband. During her experience in the courts she has figured under three different names, and has had an equal number of lawyers.

The present suit she brings as Mrs. Maggie Pratt and the defendant named is Spencer Charles Pratt, who is in the butter and cheese business at No. 135 Reade street, and who lives at No. 113 MacDonough street, Brooklyn.

He Took an Interest in Her.

About three years ago Mr. Pratt engaged Maggie Finnerty as a stenographer and type writer in his Reade street store. The girl was only 17 then and a very pretty brunette. Mr. Pratt soon took a good deal of interest in her and began to pay her some attention. She says that although he was then married, he induced her to consent to a marriage in New Jersey, telling her that it would make her his legal wife in that state at any rate. This ceremony was performed at Rahway May 12, 1892, and both were married under assumed names, Pratt taking that of Harry Spencer, while the girl was married as Maggie Finley.

Lived as Man and Wife.

The couple then lived together as man and wife, but the girl being uneasy because of their marriage under assumed names, insisted on a second ceremony. This was performed by the Rev. Mr. Hobbs, of Bayonne, N. J., June 14, 1892. In November of the same year May Ella Ritchie, Mr. Pratt's legal wife, secured a divorce from him, Miss Finnerty being named as co-respondent. The suit was not defeated.

Miss Finnerty, or Mrs. Pratt, as she claims to be, if four marriages can make her so, asserts that after the divorce was granted she became Mr. Pratt's legal wife by two common law agreements entered into at Philadelphia July 4, 1892, and Oct. 3, 1892. Shortly afterward the couple ceased living together, and in November the young woman under the name of Margaret Finley, began suit for divorce. Summons and complaint were served, but the suit was dropped. A suit for breach of promise and fraud was begun by Howe & Hummel, but discontinued, as the girl insisted that she was Mrs. Pratt and was entitled to bring suit as such. A third suit for divorce was then brought, but discontinued, the present suit for separation, in which Thomas McAdam is the girl's attorney, being substituted. The action is in the name of Peter Andrelai, who is Mrs. Pratt's guardian.

Is It Blackmail?

Mr. Pratt has filed an answer to the latest action, in which he characterizes the succession of suits as attempted blackmail.

"I was never legally married to Miss Finnerty," he says, "and this suit is merely an attempt to force a settlement upon me. The court should not support this attempt to extort money from me. About a year ago, when Howe & Hummel were the girl's attorneys, she sued me for $50,000 damages for breach of promise, and her lawyers tried to get me to make a settlement. The suit never came to trial, and now she claims to be my wife and wants a separation."

Mr. Pratt claims that never since he could legally enter into a marriage contract with Miss Finnerty has he done so. The young woman asserts that if the two New Jersey ceremonies are void, the common law agreements made in Philadelphia are binding upon her husband.

Leave was obtained from Judge Freedman to amend the complaint so as to set up Pratt's previous marriage.

They Blew Out the Gas.

Springfield, Ill., Feb. 15.—George Harpool, aged 40 years, and Casey Gregory, 20, of Fairfield, Wayne county, blew out the gas in their room at the Brunswick hotel last night and the day clerk found them dead from asphxiation. They were witnesses before the federal grand jury in a number of whiskey cases. The coroners jury exonerated the hotel keeper.

To the North Pole in a Balloon.

Stockholm, Feb. 15.—M. Andre, an aeronaut, lectured in the Academy of Sciences last evening on his plan to go in a balloon to the North Pole. He thought the trip from Spitzbergen would require several months and would cost 175,000 francs.

Took His Life.

Philadelphia, Feb. 15.—Walter Gedney, aged 25 years, who was employed as an artist and designer by the Electric Phototype company, committed suicide in his place of employment by shooting himself in the head.

NEW YORK MARKETS.

WHEAT—Dull. No. 2 red, 59c.

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OATS—Firm. No. 2 white, 36½c.; No. 2 mixed, 33¾c.

PORK—Steady. Extra prime, 13.00@15.50; mess, 11.25@12.00.

LARD—Quiet. May, 7.00.

BUTTER—Steady. Creamery, state, fall made, 13@19c.; creamery, western extras, 26c.

CHEESE—Firm. State, full cream, fancy, 11¼c.; common to fair, 9@9¾c.

EGGS—Steady. Western, 28½c.

BEEVES—Steady. Inferior to choice, 4.00@4.50; dressed native sides, 7@9½c.

SHEEP—Weak. Medium to good, 3.40@5.60; dressed mutton, 8@10½c.

LAMBS—Firm. Common to prime, 5.00@6.25; dressed lambs, 10@12c.

WILL CLEVELAND DO IT?

Four Per Cent. Bonds May Be Printed and Delivered to the Syndicate.

Washington, Feb. 15.—The time for the president to formally ratify the contingent agreement with the Morgan-Belmont syndicate to purchase $65,000,000 in gold by selling to it $62,000,000 in 4 per cent. thirty years bonds on the 3¾ per cent. interest basis, does not expire until Feb. 18. The opinion is, however, expressed in financial circles that the president will regard the action of the house as indicative of its purpose not to pass any gold bond measure and that he will at once order 4 per cent. coin bonds printed and delivered to the syndicate.

Already about $10,000,000 in gold has been paid in by the syndicate and from $5,000,000 to $7,000,000 in gold is also on the water enroute from Europe to this county to pay for the bonds. Some of the gold will also come from Canada.

Interests on the bonds will begin when the gold for them is deposited, after the president formally accepts the syndicates offer, whether the bonds are ready for delivery or not.

MAYOR STRONG'S BAD FAITH.

Brookfield's Appointment a Severe Blow to Platt.

New York, Feb. 15.—The Tribune today says in regard to the breach between Mayor Strong and Thomas C. Platt:

Mr. Platt charges of bad faith against Mayor Strong are hardly creditable to the ex-senator's sagacity. Even if it were true it was impolitic for him to make them at this time, but as they are not true it is difficult to see any advantage to Mr. Platt in making them at all. Of course, they never would have been made except by a man whose position had become desperate, as is the case with Mr. Platt at the present moment. He has been beaten. Mr. Brookfield's appointment is the worst possible blow that he could receive. It has staggered him. Forty-eight hours before its announcement he told newspaper friends that such a thing was impossible. Consequently when it came he was entirely unprepared for it.

THE WHITE HOUSE BRILLIANT.

Mr. and Mrs. Cleveland Give a Reception—Pretty Young Ladies There.

Washington, Feb. 15.—The president and Mrs. Cleveland gave a reception to the army and navy and marine corps last night. It was perhaps the most brilliant of the white house functions given during this gay season. Mrs. Cleveland was assisted by the wives of the cabinet officers in receiving the numerous guests. Behind the receiving line stood a brilliant group of young ladies who chatted gaily with the guests who dropped in after passing the hostess of the evening.

The great east room was a swaying mass of people and the abundant flowers and rich toilets worn by the ladies and the showy and golden uniforms of the officers, made doubly so by innumerable electric lights shining through fern and ivy, formed a scene animated, picturesque and beautiful to behold.

ANARCHISM IN AUSTRIA.

Imperial Government Assailed—Violent Scenes in the Bohemian Diet.

London, Feb. 15.—The Daily News correspondent in Vienna says: "There was a violent scene in the Bohemian diet yesterday when the young czechs assailed the imperial government for continuing the state of siege in Prague. Dr. Gregr, the young czech leader, declared that the people were being driven towards anarchism and soon would repudiate the authority of Austria.

Governor Count Thun, who replied in German, was greeted with angry shouts of "speak czech!" "He is a paid official and must speak czech for our money." His speech throughout was drowned in the fury of the opposition. In the fragments heard he told Gregr that, but for the immunity of deputies, his reference to Austria would constitute treason. Plotting and anarchism must be suppressed.

FAMILIES DESTITUTE.

Suffering by Extreme Cold Without Food or Fuel; 30 Below Zero.

Denver, Feb. 15.—Reports of suffering among settlers in the eastern part of the state have been received since the extremely cold weather which has been prevalent for the last twenty-six days. Many settlers are destitute of fuel and food. Much stock has already perished on the ranges.

At Julesburg the temperature has ranged from 10 to 30 degrees below zero. The cold seems to be backing against the Rockies from El Paso to Cheyenne. Millions of snow birds and rabbits have been frozen.

Importance of Being Earnest.

London, Feb. 15.—Mr. George Alexander produced at St. James' theatre last evening "The Importance of Being Earnest," a new play by Oscar Wilde. He was strongly supported, especially by Rose Leclercq. "The Importance of Being Earnest" is an excellent refined farce. It was received with almost incessant laughter. Few farces of recent years have been as successful.

Crushed by a Falling Chimney.

Oelwein, Ia., Feb. 15.—The two story frame school house at Lamont, ten miles from here burned to the ground shortly after school opened. The fire started from the furnace. The children became panic stricken. Alfred Brown, a pupil was caught by a falling chimney and his head crushed. He will not recover. Clarence Lake was also badly injured.

Pulitzer Gives Up.

St. Louis, Feb. 15.—The announcement is made that Col. Chas. H. Jones, formerly of the Republic and more recently the New York World has secured a controlling interest in the Post Dispatch and at once assumes control of that paper. Mr. Pulitzer's reason for disposing of the paper is failing health and inability to give personal attention.

His Resignation Denied.

St. Johns, N. F., Feb. 15.—The reported resignation of Governor O'Brien is untrue. The report probably arose through the fact that the governor's regular term expires on February 17, but he expects to remain in office until June next.

ANOTHER DAY'S DEBATE

Nothing To Help the Financial Situation Expected.

Congress Refuses To Issue $65,000,000 Three Per Cent. Bonds—Mr. Bryan Criticises President Cleveland's Actions—Compensation for Special Mail Facilities.

Washington, Feb. 15.—Another day's debate in the house upon the financial question has but served to emphasize the fact that no legislation affecting the financial situation is to be expected from the 53d congress. A week ago, the house refused, by a vote of 162 to 126, to adopt the last Springer banking and currency bill which contained a provision authorizing the issue of long time, low interest bonds, and yesterday, by the still more decisive vote of 167 to 120, it declined to authorize the issue of 65,000,000 3 per cent gold bonds with which to replace the 3¾ per cent. bonds negotiated with the Morgan-Belmont syndicate in payment for the purchase of 3,500,000 ounces of gold coin. The consideration of the joint resolution for this purpose reported yesterday from the committee on ways and means, by Chairman Wilson, occupied all the session of six and one half hours, and the discussion attracted an attendance of spectators which overflowed the public galleries, and encroached upon that reserved for the diplomatic corps and other distinguished visitors. The debate followed, in a general way the lines of the debate on the Springer bill last week, but the opposition yesterday was much more aggressive than on that occasion.

He Scores Cleveland.

In his speech before the house Mr. Bryan (dem., Neb.) said that when he took the oath of office to serve as congressman there was no mental reservation to denounce an outrage upon the people, even though it was perpetrated by the president of the United States.

"The president of the United States is but a human being," he continued, "he is a man. We trust the administration of government to men, and when we do so, we know that men are liable to err. When men are in public office, we cannot expect that they can make no mistakes, and I am not willing to concede that even so exalted an officer as the president of the United States cannot make mistakes. And if the president does make a mistake, what ought congress to do? Ought congress to blindly approve his mistake, or do we owe it to the people of the United States to correct the mistake so that it shall not be made again?

"Gentlemen will say that we owe a great deal to the president. I want to say to my democratic friends that there is no great debt of gratitude which the democratic party owes to its president. What gratitude ought we to feel?

"The gratitude that the confiding ward feels to his guardian without bond who has squandered a rich estate; the gratitude of the passenger upon the train toward the switchman who has opened the switch and precipitated a wreck. What has he done for the party?

Injects Republican Virus.

"He has attempted to vaccinate the democratic party with republican virus."

Mr. Hopkins said in part: "The president should not be permitted to prostitute the interests of the country, disarrange its financial system and bring disgrace upon the people for the benefit of a foreign syndicate. It is time, I think, to indicate that we can be patriotic without endorsing all the financial vagaries contained in this contract. I am about tired of hearing it said that if you don't support the administration in its financial measures you are not patriotic. I want republicans to remember the history of their own leaders in these positions and to be guided in their actions by that recollection." (Applause.)

Railway Compensation.

The struggle which as been going on in the senate for the last three or four days over the question of railroad compensation for special mail facilities was taken up again and continued, with slight interruption, until the senate adjourned. And even then the question was not finally disposed of. The order of proceedings was in this way: First came a vote on the point of order made against the amendment reported by the committee on appropriations giving the postmaster-general full discretion as to the expenditures of the amount, and repealing all laws contrary thereto. The friends of the existing condition voted to sustain the point of order, and the amendment was ruled out, by a vote of 39 to 17. That was the first defeat for the committee on appropriations. Its second defeat was an amendment offered by Mr. Blackburn (dem., Ky.) for a 10 per cent. reduction of the existing rates to railroad companies. This was laid on the table by a vote of 42 to 19.

Under Government Control.

Mr. Vilas' (dem., Wis.) proposition that the government shall own and manage the postal cars was laid on the table by a still larger majority, 53 to 10. The third defeat of the committee on appropriations was on its amendment to strike out the item of $196,000 for the fast southern mail service from Springfield, Mass., Atlanta and New Orleans. That amendment was rejected—yeas, 27; nays, 33, and the item remains in the bill.

Asleep on His Post.

Putnam, Conn., Feb. 15.—James Otis, 30 years old, and married, a resident of Norwich and brakeman of a freight train was sent to flag a train near Alexander's lake in Dayville. He sat on the track and was struck by a freight train from Norwich, his body being cut in two. It is supposed that he went to sleep.

Bodies from the Wreck.

Liverpool, N. S., Feb. 15.—Six bodies from the wrecked American schooner Clara B. Friend were buried in Brooklyn cemetery yesterday. They were followed to the grave by a large number of citizens and fishermen from vessels in port.

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Almost any pilot will tell you that his work is much more difficult than you imagine; but the pilots of the Hugli know that they have one hundred miles of the most dangerous river on earth running through their hands—the Hugli between Calcutta and the Bay of Bengal—and say nothing. Their service is picked and sifted as carefully as the bench of the supreme court, for a judge can only hang the wrong man, but a careless pilot can lose a four thousand ton ship with crew and cargo in less time than it takes to reverse the engines.

There is very little chance of getting off again when once you touch in the furious current of this river loaded with all the fat silt of the fields of Bengal, where soundings change two feet between tides and new channels make or efface themselves in a season. Men have fought the Hugli for two hundred years till, now, the river owns a huge building with drawing, survey and telegraph departments devoted to its exclusive service, as well as a body of wardens who are called the port commissioners.

They and their officers govern absolutely from the Hugli bridge to the last buoy at Pilot's Ridge, one hundred and forty miles away, and out in the Bay of Bengal, where the steamers first pick up the pilots from the brig.

A Hugli pilot does not bring papers aboard or scramble up rope ladders. He arrives in his best clothes with a native servant or assistant to wait on him, and he behaves as a man should who can earn ten thousand dollars a year after twenty years' apprenticeship. He has beautiful rooms in the port office at Calcutta, and generally keeps himself to the society of his own profession, for though the telegraph reports the more important soundings of the river daily there is much to be learned between trip and trip.

Some millions of tons of shipping must find their way to and from Calcutta each twelve-month, and unless the Hugli were watched as closely as men watch the Atlantic cables there is a fear that it might silt up as it has silted up round the old Dutch and Portugese ports twenty and thirty miles behind Calcutta. So the port office sounds and scours and dredges and builds spurs and devices for coaxing currents and labels all the buoys with their proper letters and attends to the semaphores and the lights and the drum, ball and cone storm signals, and the pilots of the Hugli do the rest, but in spite of all the care the Hugli swallows a ship or two every year.

When Martin Trevor had followed this life from his boyhood; when he had risen to be a senior pilot entitled to bring up to Calcutta the big ships drawing over twenty-four feet that can (or could till a few years ago) only pass by special arrangement; when he had talked nothing but Hugli and pilotage all his life, he was exceedingly indignant that his only son should decide upon following his father's profession. Mrs. Trevor had died when the boy was a child, and as he grew older Trevor, in the intervals of his business, noticed that the lad was very often by the river side—no nice place for a boy. Once, when he asked him if he could make anything out of the shipping, little Trevor replied by reeling off the list of all the house-flags in sight at the moorings.

"You'll come to a bad end, Jim," said Trevor. "Little boys haven't any business to know house-flags."

"Oh, Pedro at the Sailors' home taught me. He says you can't begin too early."

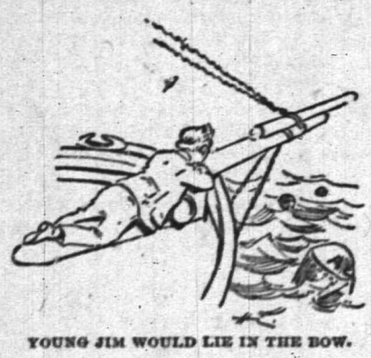
"At what, please?"

"Piloting. I'm nearly fourteen now and—and I know where all the shipping in the river is, and I know what there was yesterday over the Mayapur bar, and I've been down to Diamond harbor—oh, a hundred times—and I've—"

"You'll go to school, son, and learn what they'll teach you, and you'll turn out better than a pilot," said his father, but he might just as well have told a shovel-nosed porpoise of the river to come ashore and begin life as a hen. Jim held his tongue—he noticed that all the best pilots in the port office did that—and devoted his young attention and all his spare time and money to the river he loved.

Trevor's son became as well known as the Bankshall itself, and the port police let him inspect their launches, and the tug boat captains had always a place for him at table, and the mates of the big steam dredgers used to show him how the machinery worked, and there were certain native rowboats that Jim practically owned; and he extended his patronage to the rail that runs to Diamond harbor, forty miles down the river. In the old days nearly all the East India company's ships used to discharge at Diamond harbor on account of the shoals above, but now ships go straight up to Calcutta, and they have only some moorings for vessels in distress there, and a telegraph service and a harbor master, who was Jim's intimate friend. He would sit in the office and listen to the soundings of the shoals as they were reported every day, and attend to the movements of the steamers up and down (Jim always felt he had lost something if a boat got in or out of the river without his knowing it), and when the big liners, with their rows of burning port holes, tied up in Diamond harbor for the night Jim would row from one ship to the other through the sticky hot air and the buzzing mosquitoes and listen respectfully as the pilots conferred together. Once, for a treat, his father took him down clear out to the sand heads and the pilot brig, and Jim was joyfully sea sick as she tossed and pitched in the bay. So he had to go down three or four times more with friendly pilots till he had cured his weakness. The cream of life, though, was coming up in a tug or a police boat from Diamond harbor to Calcutta over the James and Mary—the terrible sands christened after a royal ship they sunk two hundred years ago. They are made by two rivers that enter the Hugli six miles apart and throw their own silt across the silt of the main stream so that with each turn of weather and tide the sands shift and change like a cloud. It was here, (the tales sound much worse, when they are told in the rush and growl of the muddy waters) that the Countess of Stirling, fifteen hundred tons, touched and capsized in ten minutes; and a two thousand ton steamer in two; and a pilgrim ship in five; and another steamer literally in an instant, holding down her men with the masts and shrouds as she lashed over. When a ship touches on the James and Mary the river knocks her down and buries her and the sands quiver all around her and reach out under water and take new shapes.

Young Jim would lie up in the bows of the tug and watch the straining buoys kick and smother in the coffee-colored red current, and the semaphores and flags signal from the bank how much water there was in the channe



YOUNG JIM WOULD LIE IN THE BOW.

till he learned that men who deal with men can afford to be careless on the chance of their fellows being like them; but men who deal with things dare not relax for an instant. "And that's the very reason," old McEwen said to him once, "that the James and Mary is the safest part of the river," and he put the big black Bandoorah that draws twenty-five feet through the Eastern Gat, with a turban of white foam wrapped round her foot and her screw beating as steadily as his own heart.

If Jim could not get away to the river there was always the big, cool port office, where the soundings were calculated and the maps were drawn; or the pilot's-room, where he could lie in a long chair and listen to the talk about the Hugli; and there was the library, where if you had money you could buy charts and books of directions against the time that you actually steamed over the places themselves. It was exceedingly hard for Jim to hold the list of Jewish kings in his head, and he was more than uncertain as to the end of the verb "audio" if you followed it far enough down the page, but he could keep the soundings of three channels distinct in his head and, what is more confusing, the changes in the buoys from Garden Reach down to Saugor, as well as the greater part of the Calcutta Telegraph, the only paper he ever read.

Unluckily, you cannot peruse about the Hugli without money, even though you are the son of the best-known pilot on the river, and as soon as Trevor understood how his son was spending his time he cut down his pocket money; and Jim had a very generous allowance. In his extremity he took counsel with Pedro, the plum-colored mulatto at the sailors' home. And Pedro was a bad man. He introduced Jim to a Chinaman in Machuatellah, a nasty place in itself, and the Chinaman, who answered to the name of Erh-Tze, when he was not smoking opium talked pigeon English to Jim for an hour.

"S'pose you take. Can do?" he said, at last.

Jim considered the chances. A junk he knew would draw about eleven feet, and the regular fee for a qualified pilot

ERH TZE BEAT HIM DOWN TO ONE TWENTY.

outward would be two hundred rupees. On the other hand, he was not qualified, so he could not ask more than half. But, on the other hand, he was fully certain of a thrashing from his father for piloting without license. So he asked one hundred and seventy-five rupees, and Erh-Tze beat him down to a hundred and twenty, and that was like a Chinaman all over. The cargo of his junk was worth anything from fifty to a hundred thousand rupees, and Erh-Tze was getting enormous freight on the coffins of thirty or forty dead Chinamen whom he was taking to be buried in their native country. Rich Chinamen will pay fancy prices for their services, and they have a superstition that the iron of steamships is bad for the health of their dead. Erh-Tze's junk had crept up from Singapore, via Penang and Rangoon, to Calcutta, where Erh-Tze had been staggered by the pilot dues. This time he was going out at a reduction with Jim, who, Pedro said, was just as good as a pilot.

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OUR LOCAL CANADA.

The March of Improvement Over the Brook.

BOROUGH COUNCIL REVIEWS ITS YEAR.

Departments Better Equipped, and General Improvements Noted—Chief Pangborn Wants More Police—Too Much Pressure on Somerset Street—Mr. Neal Pleads the Worth of the Home Newspaper.

Councilman Neal was welcomed out again after illness, at the meeting of the North Plainfield Borough Council last night, and he participated with vigor in the business of the session. Little was done besides the reception of reports.

The accounting of the Clerk and the Collector having been received and filed, the Auditing Committee gave official endorsement of the fiscal statement, declaring over their signatures that the balances were correct as reported, and the accounts straightforward and accurate.

Chief Marshal Pangborn stated the number of arrests for the year to be 158. Fifteen of these were females. The drunk and disorderly patients were 104. The police station was in good order, and there were no suits pending against the Borough for arrests. Two marshals patrolled the streets at night, but this number was too small to cover the territory properly, and he recommended the appointment of two additional marshals.

The Committee on Fire, Water and Lamps reported that the efficiency of the fire department had been greatly increased during the year by the addition of improved equipment. The system of twelve automatic alarm boxes had cost $2,400, payment being spread over 2½ years. The new wagon, holding 1,500 feet of hose, cost $440. Fourteen hydrants had been added, and twenty-two more street lights.

The Committee on Streets reviewed the macadamizing and other improvements made, and regretted the lack of means to enforce the sidewalk ordinance. Grove street extension, they held, should be speedily made a substantial and permanent roadway, affording another artery to Washington Valley. Somerset street being inconvenient to many whose horses were not accustomed to the trolley cars. The committee dwelt with emphasis on the urgent need of more durable paving of Somerset street throughout its length, macadam being regarded as too light, too transient, and too costly, for the heavy traffic which wears the street. In informal discussion of this previous to the meeting, the Councilmen seemed to favor vitrified brick, which has been recommended for Park avenue and Front street, Plainfield. It was hoped by the committee that the matter of sewerage would take definite shape during the next year, and meanwhile it was unwise to attempt any work on the streets except to keep in repair those portions already macadamized.

These reports were received and filed, and it was ordered that they be printed with the list of delinquent taxpapers as usual each year. The work hitherto has been done in pamphlet form, and the original motion was to print 1,000 pamphlets. Mr. Neal, however, urged the justice of the newspapers' claim that such matters received better circulation through the newspapers than if printed in pamphlet. He said there were two newspapers in the community, and between them they reached every home where these reports were of interest and value. He moved to amend by giving the Committee on Printing the authority to print them in pamphlet form or in the papers, as was in their judgment best. Mr. Valiant argued for the pamphlets as the most convenient form, but the amendment of Mr. Neal was adopted, Mr. Valiant alone voting No. Messrs. Howell, Peck and Lounsbury constitute the Committee on Printing.

The Council adjourned early, without transacting any other business.

The Proper Caper.

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—Messrs. Fountain and Allen of the North Plainfield Township Committee finished auditing the books of Tax Collector H. N. Spencer last evening, and found them correct.

—Do not forget the dates for the supper and sale to be given by the Ladies Aid Society of the Methodist Church. They are Tuesday and Wednesday evenings, Feb. 19 and 20.

—Rev. A. G Gaebelein, of the Hope of Israel Mission to the Jews, will give a Bible reading Tuesday afternoon at 3, in the Park Avenue Baptist Church. Topic, "Israel and the Lord's Coming".

—The County Court this morning decided in favor of Counselor Craig A. Marsh's position in the contested pauper case of Mr. and Mrs. Munday. It was decided that Westfield, not Plainfield, should support the Mundays.

Memorizing the Bible.

The Junior Christian Endeavorers of Washingtonville during the past year have been memorizing Bible verses, dates and other items of general information.

In connection with the usual exercises each week, ten questions on memory work are given by one of the members previously appointed by the Superintendent. A few weeks ago the Superintendent suggested that they have a Memory contest reviewing all the work. Hattie Willis and Minnie Diehl were chosen leaders, sides were chosen, and questions asked from one to the other. Much interest was manifested and all did well. Four of the members were able to answer every question of the list given below:

Who eat grass as an ox, Dan. 4.33.
The alphabet verse, Ezra, 7.21.
The Lord's Prayer, Matt. 6.
Ten Commandments, Ex. 20.
Creation, 4004 B. C.
Deluge, 2348 B. C.
Descent into Egypt, 1706.
Exodus from Egypt, 1491 B. C.
Sun, moon and stars stand still, Josh. 10.12.
Longest verse in Old Testament, Est., 8.9.
Gideon's army tested, Jude 7.
Who made an iron axe-head swim? 2 Kings, 6.6.
What prophet's bones restored life? 2 Kings, 13.21.
A riddle at the marriage feast, Jude 14.14.
Bears eat little children, 2 Kings, 2.24.
Name the twelve tribes of Israel.
Name the fifteen Judges of Israel.
Woman eating her son, 2 Kings, 6.29.
Jeptha's rash vow, Jude 11.
Jael killeth Sisera, Jude 4.21.
Who killed a giant? 1 Sam. 17.49.
Where did Jesus send the disciples to find money? Matt. 17.27.
Is there any taste in the white of an egg? Job 6.6.
A spider's web, Job 8.14.
A schock of corn, Job 5.26.
Collar of my coat, Job 30.18.
Name books of Old Testament.
Name books of New Testament.
Divisions of Bible.
Number of books.
Gideon's signs, Jude 6.36.

Verses:

John 3.16, 1 Peter 5.7, Josh 1.9, John 3.36, 1 Timothy 1.15, John 4.14, John 14.27, Eccle., 12.1, Rev. 3.20, John 17.3, Gal. 6.2, 1 John 4.19, John 15.7, 2 Tim. 2.15 Acts 16.31, Matt 11.28, Luke 19.10, Prov 23.1, Eph 4.32, Isa 1.18, 1 John 2.15, Gen 31.49, 1 John 3.2, Col 3.23, Prov 8.17, Prov 16.32, Prov 15.1, Psalms 23.

The Superintendent, Miss Beeching, was so pleased with the success of the Juniors that she gave to the successful four, Hattie Willis, Minnie Diehl, Etta Ackor and Bessie Bullman, very pretty Christian Endeavor bookmarks.

Westfield Athletes on the Stage.

The Westfield Athletic Club will celebrate Washington's Birthday with a dramatic entertainment in their cosy club-house. Charles Townsend's farcical comedy "Vacation" will be done by local players, singers and dancers, and the following will be the all-star cast:

President of the Empire Bank, Albert A. Drake
Herbert Wills, alias Jim Parr, a guide, formerly a bank cashier.....Leonard G. Venn
Curtis Dunbar, a truly good young man, Charles H. Bent
G. Elliott Brayton, a sweet member of Westfield society.....Oscar Richardson
Old Obadiah Siggins, farmer...Gideon Ludlow
Obadiah Siggins, Jr., a chip off the old block, Robert Carberry
Jack Ashton of The Daily Cyclone, E. R. Hoadley
Ragpies, a tramp.....Andrew A. Smith
Dick Percival, an actor....George Richardson
Dennis Clancy, an all-round man, Charles H. Denman
Toots, a negro cook.....Wm. H. Earle

Live Stock Insurance Company.

The New Jersey Mutual Live Stock Insurance Company has filed articles of incorporation with the Clerk of Union County. The company will begin business with a paidup capital of $10,000, and its headquarters will be in Plainfield.

The incorporators are Peter J. Cortelyou, Wm. J. Nelson, Henry S. Garretson, Samuel Luckey, George Huff, Peter Huff, Geo. W. DeMeza, Chas. Johnston, Chas. A. Coriell and Clarence VanDeventer.

O. W. O. Hardman, sheriff of Tyler Co., W. Va., appreciates a good thing and does not hesitate to say so. He was almost prostrated with a cold when he procured a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. He says: "It gave me prompt relief. I find it to be an invaluable remedy for coughs and colds." For sale at Reynolds's pharmacy, Park and North aves. T. S. Armstrong, manager.

Y. M. C. A. CONVENTION

Delegates Instructed on the Best Methods of Work.

CONFERENCES ON CHRISTIAN PROGRESS.

Addresses by Eminent Divines on Bible Study and Practical Religion—Announcement of Sunday Preachings.

From 2 to 3 yesterday afternoon the time of the Y. M. C. A. convention was taken up with sectional conferences, which occurred simultaneously in the various apartments of the building. Delegates attended those conferences which were to discuss the subject in which they were most engaged at their home association.

Room one—the reading room—was filled with a display of the results of educational work. The exhibit had specimens of courses in free hand, mechanical and architectural drawing and industrial design, leading toward such technical lines as machine construction, boiler making, carriage draughting, wood and metal working, civil, mechanical, architectural and electrical engineering. During the conference hour George B. Hodge of New York, who was in charge of the exhibit, offered many suggestions and instruction to those taking an interest in this subject.

The hour of Bible study, conducted by Rev. J. H. Elliott in the Assembly hall, was conducive of much practical information in this line of work. The subject under consideration was "Methods of Bible Study in Association". In opening Mr. Elliott spoke particularly of getting men interested in the study and actively so. This could only be accomplished by going out among them and by a personal effort on the part of the worker. The best way to teach was collectively. It could be made a success but it meant plenty of perseverance and work.

Such delegates as were interested in the department of men's meetings gathered in room 3, where W. A. Venter of Trenton spoke substantially as follows:

"This question is one which all of us have confronted, one which has been much written and spoken of. There are a number of fundamental principles which should be laid down and followed out before a Gospel meeting can be made a success. First, a great deal of time should be given to the preparation for the service, and second the preparation should be thorough and every detail carefully considered, so that there will be no clashing. Months of preparation are necessary for every service, and the idea that a few moments on Saturday or Sunday is sufficient to arrange the details is a false one. No one with a hobby should be allowed on the platform. A plain, straightforward talk from a business man as to the value of Jesus Christ to the young man is as effective as a more elaborate address given by eminent divines. The speaker should not be asked to occupy more than 25 minutes at the most, for long addresses are tiresome and not productive of the most good. He should be filled with love for man and he should try to impress those out of Christ with the need of Him in their everyday life. The music should be catchy and pleasing. If the meeting is successful pastors and church members will always be found in the audience. The advertising of the service is an important part of the preparation. Printers ink costs money but it pays. Regarding the hall or church in which the service is held, too much emphasis cannot be laid upon the fact that it should be easy of access, and that it be bright and cheerful. The men should be made to feel that they are at home. The man with the ragged coat, wornout shoes and battered hat should be given as good a seat as those who enter in broadcloth and fine linen. Last, but not least, fervent prayer should be offered to God before the meeting, that it be made a success. Have faith in prayer, have faith in God, have faith in man, and believe that if you do your work well the results will surely come. The work of the Y. M. C. A. had its origin in meetings for men. At first nothing was attempted but religious work, and gradually as their association grew in strength, their lines of work increased, until after a time the religious work seemed crowded to the rear, and the social, intellectual and physical departments seemed to take the first place. The pendulum has swung back again, and today more time and effort is being put into the religious work for men than ever before."

It was a gathering of bright-faced lads that surrounded S. F. Dudley of Orange, in room 4, where he talked in a confidential way to the youngsters, and impressed them with the idea that their work in the association was one of importance. The principal ideas talked about were where and when boys department work should be undertaken and the essential points in preparation and organization.

A healthy looking lot of fellows were in room 5 conferring as to physical work. D. A. MacPhie of Plainfield led the discussion and said that the athletic department was a great feature of the association work, but it was only a department contributing its quota to the success of the organization. A man could be a Christian and at the same time an athlete; he could do his work with body as well as mind, and it was a duty to care for the body. Athletics should have a place in every man's heart, but a continual drain on any one portion of his being physically bankrupted him. However, there were other things paramount to athletics in association work. He greatly deplored that athletics had been made a business by exponents of different sports—notably base-ball—for they had led to gambling. Athletics should be admired and enjoyed for the beneficial exercise, rather than for excitement attendant to participation. An informal discussion followed Mr. MacPhie's talk as to what had been accomplished and what had been planned for the coming season.

Owing to the absence of John P. Moore of Albany, who was unable to be present, Arthur Lucas was assigned to look after the conference on "Delegates from small towns and unorganized places". Notwithstanding that Mr. Lucas had no time to prepare or acquaint himself with the theme, he succeeded admirably in making the session an interesting one.

The men who look after the welfare of the begrimed but faithful brakeman, fireman and conductor of the steel roads, were in room 7 discussing with avidity problems that will make their work still more effective. H. G. Peabody, of Trenton, said the object of the Association is to open the eyes of young men to a higher and brighter life, and it was continually holding men back from the clutches of the evil one. Members should not hide their light of inspiration and activity under a basket, but bring it forth at all times, thus setting splendid examples. Each one can do something that no one else is able to do. A wide field of influence and power is open and inviting laborers in their direction. Improvement morally, mentally and physically can be attained through the Association, but not without effort on the part of the individual. H. A. Lessee, of Elmira, N. Y., also gave an interesting paper on "Emergency Work". From 3 to 3:15 a recess was taken, after which all repaired to the hall. The meeting was presided over by Delegate Porter, who had the pleasure of introducing Rev. W. H. Sutton of Montclair, who spoke on "Why Believe the Bible is the Word of God?"

At the conclusion of this address the Business Committee announced that a young men's meeting, conducted by Rev. J. H. Elliott, would be held in Music Hall Sunday afternoon. A report from the Nominating Committee stated that B. A. Hegeman had declined election as one of the vice-presidents, and they nominated E. S. Campbell of New Brunswick to fill the vacancy, and also T. S. Evans of Princeton College to act as third vice-president. The report was accepted and the gentlemen were duly elected.

President Murray announced the following committees:

On Resolutions—Henry Weed, of Somerville; A. S. Frost, of Trenton; John H. Houghton, of Long Branch.

State Committee—J. W. Cleveland, Paterson; H. C. Baker, Hoboken; F. H. Andrews, Plainfield; C. H. Harrington, Camden; C. H. Harris, Hackensack.

EVENING SESSION.

The evening session was called to order by President Murray in the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian Church. After a few verses of Scripture were read and prayer offered, Rev. Theodore L. Cuyler, D. D., of Brooklyn was introduced and delivered an address that was attentively listened to by a large audience. He has an extremely earnest manner of delivery, and gave his talk with a vigor that was remarkable for one of his age. He had traveled all the way from Saratoga Springs to be present and fulfil his engagement, though he was afflicted with a troublesome cold. In referring to this fact at the opening of his address, he said it was not in his heart to go back on his brother Jerseymen, for he owed a debt of gratitude to this State. Here it was that his mother had been reared, and here it was that he found a woman who had made one of the best wives that it was the fortune of any man ever to possess. He had received his educational training in the institutions of New Jersey, which had made his course through life far easier than it might otherwise have been. To the delegates he saluted all hail to the Jersey boys of the Lord's army. There was no division here—all were working in common cause to attain the fruits of life and death. The Young Men's Christian Association was a magnificent organization, of which he had been a member for 22 years. It was founded by Christianity and common sense, and was a realization of Christian unity with one purpose to bring young men to Christ by the aid of one book for a teacher and one power for a guide. He related his experiences at the international convention of the Y. M. C. A. held in London last year, as a means of demonstrating to what extent the Association had become recognized as one of the foremost working bodies of the religious world. Even the Church of England-exclusive as it is-extended a warm welcome to this convention of young men, and threw open its doors that they might have every convenience and opportunity for a successful session. All the great royalties attended the session.

The London Common Council voted $10,000 to them for an evening's entertainment. The good Mayor visited the convention, sounding his trumpets before him—as our public men ofttimes do. Queen Victoria extended to them every liberty of inspection of the palace and surroundings—a thing that had seldom occurred before or after. He liked that woman. When at home he is a Republican or Democrat, but when he is in England, he joins with her subjects in singing "God Save the Queen". She is a grand old Christian woman, and he had received many favors from her. It was his great fortune and pleasure of having the personal acquaintance with Sir George Williams, the founder of the Y. M. C. A. He was a man of broad character, and whose life every young man could follow with credit and success. The nucleus of their present Association was formed as the Dry Goods Clerks Association of London. People had ventured the opinion that it would not exist for more than a year, but it had survived for half a century, and was growing in numbers and results every day. Millions of dollars was invested in buildings for their use, and he was glad to hear that Plainfield had added its quota to the great aggregate. Every member realized what a great trust had been reposed in them to carry out the work that had been planned, and it was a late day to speak for the associations—its work evinced what it could accomplish. He believed in denominations, provided they were not sectarian. Since he had left the active service of the ministry in Brooklyn, he had come to see how much good there was in them all. There are some narrow guage ministers, who think that work like the Y. M. C. A. detracts from efforts for the church, and claimed there were those who had too many irons in the fire. This was not so.

The great trouble was that there was too little fire to put the irons in. He had noticed the young man who worked the hardest in the Association, also worked the hardest in his church. The devil never sleeps; all his haunts are illuminated every night, but the Association rooms stand open as antidotes. It is not what a young man may work at during the day, but where he spends his evening. Tell him where the boy is after supper, and he will tell you his character. Go among your wayward friends, mingle with them and get them into the Association rooms. That's the work that tells. Next to the churches the Y. M. C. A. is the greatest factor in the army of the Lord. Citizens should prove their interest in the work by looking in on them once in a while, for they are training schools for the churches along the lines of personal effort and endeavor. If you look at life as I do the greatest ecstacy to be experienced in Christian work is to bring a wretched sinner to Christ. Also look after your own soul and character, and don't let business cheat you out of a little time with Jesus in the morning. Personality is but character in both. It is not what you say but what you do that gives you standing and influence in your own community. Never argue with an infidel. It is time wasted. Sing out the word of Christ and tell him to try it for himself. Ask him to take the Bible and practice it with humbleness for one week—that is the best kind of advice toward such as he. If you can't pray you can't teach or minister to those in need of His word. Even good men some times think what excellent work they are doing. Pray that self be taken out of your character and then let the baptism of the Holy Spirit go over you. You can't create power, but you can receive it. He believed in athletics, but with limitations. At present the devil has a finger in athletics, which has resulted in making some gymnasiums a resort for bottles and bets, but the parent can send the son to the association gymnasium without fear of his character becoming contaminated.

The social, intellectual and physical departments are all features that contribute to attain successful results, but it should be kept in mind that the prime matter of the work is to save young men—that was Williams's idea when the organization was conceived in his mind. The moment the association seeks any other point it becomes an importance. Carry home the motto "Union in Christ for young men without Christ". Hang it up over your door, and under this place "March on to Victory". Good night!

As the venerable divine closed, the vast auditorium resounded with applause—the greatest enthusiasm that has been evinced during any session. As he stepped from the pulpit the cheering continued with renewed vigor, until the hall fairly thundered with enthusiasm. A delegate stepped up and placed a convention button in his lapel, while the old man's face beamed and with a wave of his hand the audience quieted down and as a fitting culmination to his already aggressive address, he remarked in soft and subdued tones:

"This is a time when we speak not for money or fame, but it's a time when we love to be loved."

As Dr. Cuyler retired, the audience once more showed their appreciation of the man by an outburst of cheering, interspersed with remarks such as "grand", "splendid", "would n't have missed it for anything", etc.

This was followed by a solo by B. Frank Butts, which was artistically rendered.

Recording Secretary R. P. Holden of Madison read the annual report of the State Executive Committee, which was distributed in pamphlet form.

The following annual report of the condition of finances was read by State Treasurer G. W. Gear of Orange:

TREASURER'S REPORT, FEB 14, 1895.

RECEIPTS.

Balance, Feb. 5, 1894	$ 167.23
Subscriptions	3,230.55
Reports	22.25
Collections	225.13
Advertising	206.50
Notes discounted	2,149.24
Amount advanced acct. Wannamassa camp	367.14
	$6,568.13

EXPENDITURES.

Salaries	2,293 50
Traveling expenses	180.47
Postage	183.00
Stationery	90.98
Printing	248 88
Convention	197.15
District Conference	108 92
Committees	33.95
Literary	2 30
Notes	2,750.00
Interest	51.87
Rent	192.00
Incidentals	37.97
Cash balance on hand	$6,360 09
	$ 208.04
Subscriptions unpaid	485.00

LIABILITIES.

Note due March 17	$ 600 00

ASSETS.

Cash on hand	$208.04	
Subscriptions	485.00	693.04
Balance		92.04

FRED M. GEAR, Treasurer.

A verbal explanation of the finances was made a little more clearly and concisely by S. F. Dudley of Orange, during which time the State Committeemen took up the State offering. Secretary Lucas call the roll by associations and delegates answered separately to the amount given by the association and by individuals. The total amount received was $1,622.

The Business Committee announced that Rev. J. F. Elliott would preach in the Seventh Day Baptist Church this morning.

The meeting then adjourned to 9:15 this morning.

TODAY'S SESSIONS.

The first number on the programme this morning was a Bible hour, held in the Association hall and led by J. H. Elliott, with the subject of "The power of the Holy Spirit". These studies of the Bible, and the means of teaching, are producing much benefit to the delegates, and the increased attendance at each successive session gives evidence of this fact. The personality of the Holy Spirit, not the influence, he said, is what the prospective teacher should firmly fix in his mind. Constantly worrying and nagging a young man will never bring him into the fold if he is somewhat averse to taking the step.

O. C. Morse of the Springfield, Mass., Training School, was the next speaker. He said there is a growing number of young men in the school fitting themselves for this work of making efficient instructors in the work. A number of graduates of the school were present and spoke of the efficiency of the training secured there.

The subject of "Our responsibility to young men who confess Christ in our meetings" was talked of by Walter G. Douglass of Philadelphia. The work of securing converts should be carried on at all times in all parts of the building, and not wait until the regular Sunday or weekday meetings where religious inspiration was sought for.

The question was whether or not the work was carried up to a certain point, and then relaxed, thus losing the desired result. The duty of secretaries should be to see that this gathering in of young men to circles of religion was successfully prosecuted to the end. Conversions should be the most important point sought for. When a man professes an interest in Christ, he should be advised and looked after, and when you interest a soul you don't know what a great prize you may get for the church and Christ. The board of directors should look after the spiritual department as well as the finances and others.

W. B. Millar, of New York, spoke on educational department in the association. This work is important in the unlimited opportunities it affords for reaching young men. The object is to develop the power to think wisely and seek out some vocation. The work appeals to the moneyed and business men, for they may be suffering from incompetent employes, and thus appreciate the advantages to be derived from the sources. The needs of the young men should be studied, and the classes organized accordingly.

George B. Hodge of New York followed with a supplementary talk on the same subject. The study of the Bible for educational purposes is being taken up all over the country. New Jersey is greatly interested in educational work, and gives more to that end than most other States. A series of charts was used, which fully illustrated the need of increase in this line of work, explaining them as he progressed with his talk. The

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ALL EYES ON MUNYON.

FACTS FROM HIS PRIVATE RECORDS.

The Eminent Professor Receiving Congratulations—Humane Methods Produce Marvelous Results.

Mrs. Masters, No. 130 West Washington place, New York city, says: "I had inflammatory rheumatism so badly I could scarcely move; my joints were frightfully swollen and stiff, and so tender I could not bear to be touched. Munyon's Rheumatism Cure acted like magic, relieving the pain and soreness at once and effecting a complete cure in a remarkably short time. I am a thorough believer in Munyon's Remedies and always keep them on hand. They are always reliable and have saved many a doctor's fee."

Munyon's Rheumatism Cure is guaranteed to cure rheumatism in any part of the body. Acute or muscular rheumatism cured in from one to five days. It never fails to cure sharp, shooting pains in the arms, legs, sides, back or breast, or soreness in any part of the body in from one to three hours. It is guaranteed to promptly cure lameness, stiff and swollen joints, stiff back and all pains in the hips and loins. Chronic rheumatism, sciatica, lumbago or pain in the back are speedily cured.

Munyon's Homoeopathic Home Remedy Co., of Philadelphia, put up specifics for nearly every disease, which are sold by all druggists, mostly for 25c. a bottle.

A False Diagnosis.

La grippe is confounded by many persons with a severe attack of catarrh, which in some respects resembles the former. These individuals suffer severely with pain about the forehead, eyes and ears, with soreness in throat and stoppage of the nasal passages and in fact, are incapacitated for work of any kind for days at a time. These are catarrhal sufferers. Ely's Cream Balm has been used with the best results in such cases. The remedy will give instant relief.

A Late Spring

Does not prevent us from displaying new and pretty designs in Spring Suitings. We are receiving new goods daily and the prices we have put on them will prove that we are the leaders of bargains. These are not CHEAP GOODS, but good goods at cheap prices.

25 pieces flannel suitings 25c.
10 " " 49c.
10 pieces plain serges 25c.
8 pieces fancy plaids 12½c.
25 " worsteds 15c.

Ladies Ready-Made Suits

A complete line of stylish spring suits in all shades. Our prices—

$5 00 worth	$6 85 worth	$7 50 worth	$8 75 worth
$9 50	$5 00	$8 75	$10 25

We will take your order for a silk dress, skirt or waist and guarantee a fit.

Waists and Skirts.

Silk waists $3 49, sold elsewhere for $4 50
Cashmere waists $1 39, " $2 25
Dress skirts $2 49, sold elsewhere for $3 65
These goods we have in all shades and sizes.

Muslin Sale.

For one week only we will sell unbleached muslin 36 in. wide for 4½c.

7c SALE IN Basement 7c

Any article on our 10c counter for 7c for one week only. On this counter you will find articles that are useful in your kitchen.

BOEHM'S,

413 WEST FRONT STREET.

Executor's Sale.

The real estate and personal property of the late Mary E. Moore, located corner Chatham and Warren streets, North Plainfield, will be sold at public auction to the highest bidder, on the premises, on Thursday, Feb. 21, 1895, at 2 p. m.

WM. H. COMBS,
Executor
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NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that a meeting of the stockholders of The Music Hall Association of Plainfield will be held in the parlors of Stillman Music Hall on West Front street, in the city of Plainfield, New Jersey, on Monday, the 18th day of February, eighteen hundred and ninety-five, at 2 o'clock p. m., to take action upon the following resolution of the Board of Directors of said Association, which said resolution was adopted by unanimous vote of the Directors at their meeting held January 14, 1895.

"RESOLVED that in the judgment of this Board it is advisable and most for the benefit of The Music Hall Association of Plainfield that the same should be forthwith dissolved, and to that end it is ordered that a meeting of the stockholders be held on Monday, the eighteenth day of February, eighteen hundred and ninety-five, in the parlors of Stillman Music Hall, Plainfield, New Jersey, at 2 o'clock p. m., to take action upon this resolution; and further, that the secretary forthwith give notice of said meeting, and of the adoption of this resolution within ten days from this date, by publishing the said resolution with a notice of its adoption, in The Daily Press, a newspaper published in Plainfield, New Jersey, for at least four weeks once a week, successively, and by mailing a written or printed copy of the same to each and every stockholder of this Association in the United States."

Dated Plainfield, N. J., January 15, 1895.
CRAIG A. MARSH, Secretary.
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REMOVAL.

I have removed my watchmaking and jewelry business from Park ave. to

142 North Avenue

Next to Walker's bakery, and shall be pleased to have my friends call.

CALEB DICKINSON

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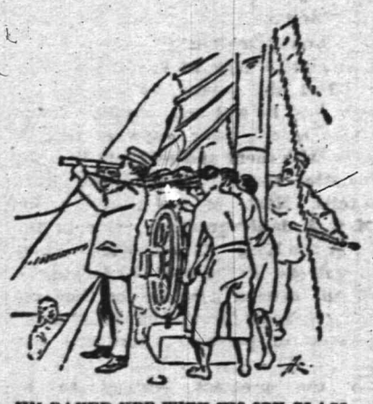
CHAPTER II.

Jim knew something of the outside of junks, but he was not prepared, when he went down that night with his charts, for the confusion of cargo and coolies and coffins and day-cooking places and other things that littered the decks. Jim had sense enough to haul the rudder up a few feet; he knew that a junk's rudder goes far below the bottom and he allowed a foot extra to Erh-Tze's estimate of the ship's depth. Then they staggered out into midstream very early, and never had the city of his birth looked so beautiful to Jim as when he feared he would not come back to see it. Going down Garden Reach he discovered that the junk would answer to her helm if you put it over enough and that she had a fair, though Chinese, notion of sailing. He took charge of the tiller by stationing three Chinese on each side of it and standing a little forward gathered their pigtails into his hands, three right and three left, as though they had been the yoke-lines of a rowboat. Erh-Tze almost smiled at this. He felt he was getting good care for his money, and took a neat polished bamboo to keep the men attentive, for he said this was no time to teach the crew pigeon English. The more way they could get on the junk better would she steer, and as soon as he felt a little confidence in her Jim ordered the big rustling mat sails to be hauled up tighter and tighter. He did not know their names—at least any name that would be likely to interest a Chinaman—but Erh-Tze had not banged about the waters of the Malay archipelago for nothing, and as he went, he rolled forward with the bamboo the sails rose like eastern incantations.

Early as they were on the river a big American kerosene ship was ahead of them in tow, and when Jim saw her through the driving morning mist he was thankful. She would draw all of seventeen feet, and if he could steer by her they would be safe. It is one thing to scurry up and down the James and Mary in a police-tug without responsibility, and quite another to cram a hard-mouthed old junk across the same sands alone, with the certainty of a thrashing if you came out alive. Jim glued his eyes to the American and



JIM RAKED HER WITH HIS SPY GLASS.

saw that at Fultah she dropped her tug and stood down the river under sail. He all but whooped aloud, for he knew that the number of pilots who preferred to work a ship through the James and Mary without a tug was strictly limited. "If it isn't father it's Dearsley," said Jim, "and Dearsley went down yesterday with the Bancoora. If I'd gone home last night instead of going to Pedro I'd have met father. He must have got his ship quick, but—father is a very quick man." Then Jim reflected that they kept a piece of knotted rope on the pilot brig that stung like a wasp but this thought he dismissed as be; neath the dignity of an officiating pilot who need only nod his head to set Erh-Tze's bamboo at work. As the American came round, just before the Fultah sands, Jim raked her with his spy glass and saw his father on the poop with an unlighted cigar between his teeth. That cigar, Jim knew, would be smoked on the other side of the James and Mary, and Jim felt so entirely safe and happy that he lit a cigar on his own account. This kind of piloting was child's play! His father could not make a mistake if he tried; and Jim with his six faithful pig-tails in his two hands had leisure to admire the perfect style in which the American was handled—how she would point her bowsprit jeeringly at a hidden bank as much as to say: "Not to-day, thank you, dear," and bow down lovingly over a buoy as much as to say: "You're a gentleman at any rate," and come round sharp on her heel with a flutter and a rustle and a slow steady swing something like a woman staring round a theater through opera glasses. It was not hard work to keep the junk near her, though Erh-Tze set everything that was by any means settable and used the bamboo very generously. When they were almost under her counter and a little to the left, Jim would feel warm and happy all over, thinking of the nautical and pilotic things he knew. When they fell more than half a mile behind he was cold and miserable, thinking of all the things that he did not know or was not quite sure of. And so they went down, Jim steering by his father, turn for turn, over the Macpur bar with the semaphores on each bank signaling the depth of water, through the Western Gat and round the Makoaputti Lumps and in and out of twenty places each more exciting than the last, and Jim nearly pulled the six pig-tails out for pure joy when the last of the James and Mary had astern, and they were walking through Diamond harbor. From there to the mouth of the Hugli things are not so bad, at least that was what Jim thought, and held on till the steel from the Bay of Bengal made the old junk heave and snort and the river broadened into an inland sea with islands only a foot or two high scattered about it. The American walked away from the junk as soon as they were beyond Kedgeree, and the night came on and the water looked very big and desolate, so Jim promptly anchored somewhere in the gray water with the Saugor light away off toward the east. He had a great respect for the Hugli and no desire whatever to find himself on the Gaspar sand or any other little shoal. Erh-Tze and the crew highly approved of this piece of seamanship. They set no watch, lit no lights and at once went to sleep. Jim lay down between a red and black lacquer coffin and a little live pig in a basket. As soon as it was light he began studying his chart of the Hugli mouth and trying to find out where in the river he might be. He decided to be on the safe side and wait for another sailing ship and follow her out. So he made an enormous breakfast of rice and boiled fish while Erh-Tze lit fire crackers and burned gilt paper with ostentation. Then they heaved up their rough and tumble anchor and made after a big, fat, iron four-masted sailing ship heavy as a hay wain. The junk, which was really a very weatherly boat and might have begun life as a private pirate in Annam thirty years ago, followed under easy sail; and the four-master would run no risks. She was in old McEwen's hands and she waddled about like a broody hen giving each shoal wide allowances. All this happened near the outer Floating Light some hundred and twenty miles from Calcutta and apparently in the open sea. Jim knew old McEwen's appetite and had often heard him pride himself on getting his ship to the pilot brig between meal hours, so he argued that if the pilot brig was get-able (and Jim himself had not the ghost of a notion where she would be) McEwen would find her before 1 o'clock. It was a blazing hot day and McEwen fidgetted the four-master down to Pilots' Ridge with what little wind remained, and sure enough there lay the pilot brig and Jim felt cold up his back, as Erh-Tze paid him his hundred and twenty rupees and he went overside in the junk's crazy dinghee. McEwen was leaving the four-master in a long slashing whale-boat that looked very spruce and pretty, and Jim could see that there was a certain amount of excitement among the pilots on the brig. There was his father too. The ragged Chinese gave way in a ragged fashion and Jim felt very unwashen and disreputable when he heard the click of McEwen's oars alongside, and McEwen saying: "James Trevor, I'll trouble you to come along with me."

Jim obeyed, and from the corner of one eye watched McEwen's angry whiskers stand up all round his face like the frill of a royal Bengal tiger, while his face turned purple and his voice shook.

"An' is this how you break the regulations o' the port o' Calcutta? Are ye aware o' the penalties ye've laid yourself open to?"

Jim said nothing. There was not very much to say, and McEwen roared aloud: "Man, ye've personated a Hugli pilot, an' that's as much to say ye've personated me! What did yon yellow heathen give you for an honorarium?"

"Hundred and twenty," said Jim.

"An' by what manner o' means did ye get through the James an' Mary?"

"Father," was the answer. "He went down the same tide—and I—we steered by him."

McEwen whistled and choked; perhaps it was with anger. "Made a stalkin' horse o' your father. Jim, boy, he'll make an example o' you."

The boat hooked the brig's chains and McEwen said, as he rolled on deck:

"Yon's an enterprising cub o' yours, Trevor. Ye'd better put him to the regular business or one o' these fine

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days he'll be acting as pilot before he's qualified and sinkin' junks in the Fairway. If ye've no other designs I'd take him as my cub, for there's no denyin' he's a resourceful lad for all that he's an unlicked whelp."

"That," said Trevor, reaching for Jim's left ear, "is something we can remedy," and he led him down below.

The little knotted colt that they kept for general purposes on the pilot brig stung like hornets, but when it was all over Jim was an unlicked cub no longer. He was McEwen's property, and a week later when the Ellora came along he bundled over side with McEwen's enameled leather handbag and a roll of charts and a little bag of his own.

[THE END.]

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All sects appear to be entering with unusual activity into a practical reformation. Last week in Boston one of the greatest of its pulpit orators preached upon clean streets; in New York the churches have been breaking up political corruption. Money from the contribution boxes is going into hospitals. Many a young clergyman today takes a year or more, not in a trip to Europe to hear music and study cathedral architecture, and "round out his education," but in a plain, matter-of-fact medical school to learn anatomy and hygiene.

Most progressive ministers in every denomination today are recommending to their people the great remedy that makes people well, earnestly indorsing the work of Dartmouth College's generous scientist and frankly lending their influence to that of the best physicians—advising generally the use of Paine's celery compound now that the "danger season of spring" is near.

The proprietors of this best of remedies now furnish a great quantity of testimonials from clergymen in every state, and almost every city and town in the country, from which the following are taken at random:

Rev. Charles C. Bruce.

From Somerville, Mass., Boston's wealthy suburb, Charles Cromber Bruce, one of the ablest young pastors in the State, writes:

"I am nearly 38 years of age and weigh normally 158 pounds; at present my weight is 148½ My sickness took me down to 134½ so that you can see that I am getting back to myself. and, God willing, shall soon be there.

"I have been a very sick man, but owing to the goodness of the supreme powers I am now on the royal road whose end is perfect health.

"After 20 years of excessive labor in studying and preaching, I was elected to a position in a high school in Boston, but the work told on me and I grew ill. The illness lasted for about a year and a half. But now I am so that I can see the end and a more thankful man you never saw. A gentleman who lived near me began to use Paine's celery compound and it built him up. I thought of this and soon I was led to use it, and it has brought me out all right."

St. Theresa's Academy.

Mother Theresa, writing from St. Theresa's academy, near Peoria, Ill., says, that they have given Paine's celery compound a thorough trial and found it to be all that is claimed for it. She adds: "We shall continue its use and also recommend it to our friends."

Rev. T. F. Stauffer.

The following testimonial from a man so widely known and beloved as Rev. T. F. Stauffer, pastor of the Faith Reformed Church of Lincoln, Neb., is a most positive proof of the wonderful medicinal power of Paine's celery compound and its great superiority over ordinary sarsaparillas, tonics and nervines.

"For nearly a year past I have felt myself running down My nervous system was gradually growing worse; I had slight symptoms of rheumatism, and was troubled a good deal at times with insomnia I felt that something must be done and concluded to use Paine's celery compound. After the first few days' use I began to improve, and I am very much better now. Indeed, I feel like myself once more. All symptoms of rheumatism are disappearing. I can sleep well, my nervous system is rapidly improving, and I believe a radical cure is being effected. Paine's celery compound is a splendid remedy and I can conscientiously commend it to the suffering in like cases. I further believe that if this medicine were taken in time it would save many heavy doctor's bills. I have never used a remedy of any kind that met its promises so well and so readily."

Editor of the Georgia Baptist.

Rev. W. J. White, D. D., editor of the Georgia Baptist, says: "My wife was in poor health. I think it a sort of general debility which caused severe attacks of heart palpitation. She was favorably impressed with Paine's celery compound and procured it at once. She felt benefited from the first bottle and I see a decided improvement which is gratifying. We have spoken of this medicine to several friends, and several have already used it upon our recommendation."

Rector of St. Anne's, Nashville.

Rev. T. F. Martin, rector of St. Anne's Church at Nashville, gives his people confidence in the great curative powers of Paine's celery compound. He says:

"During the Lenten season last year, which on account of multiplied services, is very trying and laborious to a clergyman, I became so run down that I feared I would not be able to hold out to the end Having seen accounts of the efficacy of Paine's celery compound in similar cases I concluded to try it. I was soon delighted to find that it gave me new vigor, and by the use of one bottle I was enabled to get through the most laborious part of the season, including Holy Week and Easterday, with ease and comfort I attribute my relief to Paine's celery compound. I keep a bottle of it on hand and whenever I have a return of the feeling of exhaustion from unusual labor I take a few doses, always with a pleasant sensation of relief."

The Upper Iowa Conference.

Among the many very able ministers in the upper Iowa Conference none is better beloved by his church than Rev. B. E. Berry. Read of the great good that Paines celery compound did him.

"For three years I have suffered from indigestion, constipation and biliousness. I have taken three bottles of Paines celery compound and find myself wonderfully helped. I feel rested now mornings and no longer have any tired and stupid feelings. Therefore I take great delight in recommending Paines celery compound to all suffering from these disorders.

The Venerable William A. Smith.

Rev. William A. Smith of Groton, Conn. after years of work, is still well and active, He writes:

"In my early days by great and prolonged mental suffering, I broke down in health and became a dyspeptic, being obliged at one time to give up my work in the ministry on account of ill health. I am now 83 years of age and during my long life have suffered greatly from dyspepsia, torpid liver, constipation and insomnia, at times thinking I should die for the want of balmy sleep and it is a wonder to me that I am alive today with all that I have been through.

"I have tried an endless amount of medicine, but lately I have been taking Paine's celery compound, and have all faith in its merits as adapted to my case. By the use of several bottles I so far recovered my health as to consider myself a well man for my age. It regulates the liver, stomach and bowels without any question. My appetite is now good, my sleep is refreshing, my liver active and bowels regular, and my crutches not needed, as I can walk without a staff. I am daily increasing in strength and improving generally, and hope that my youth will soon be renewed so that I can work as in by-gone days. People are surprised at my improved appearance and activity."

New York City Clergymen.

Intervied by a reporter in that city the other day, a large number of clergymen expressed the heartiest indorsement of Paine's celery compound. The interviews were published in the World. Here are a few of them:

Rev H. L Granlienard, pastor of the French Presbyterian church, who lives at 143 West 16th st., saide: "I have frequently been relieved of nervous affections by the use of Paine's celery compound. I think it a most reliable remedy and shall recommend it wherever I have an opportunity."

Rev. R. D. Winn, pastor of the Abyssinian church, said: "My career as a minister of the gospel has been hampered by the fact that for years I have suffered from nervousness. I consulted several specialist, who treated my case for months, but I must say that during the past few weeks I have received more benefit from one bottle of Paine's celery compound than from all the other medicines taken."

The recent indorsements of the great remedy by Rev. Fr. A. Ouellet, Rev. Mr. Laird and other prominent divines have so recently been published that they are fresh in the public mind.

Rev G A Emery

Rev. G. A. Emery of Pittsfield, Vt., writes:

"Paine's celery compound is the best medicine to be found and I very cheerfully recommend it to all who are in a run-down or exhausted condition. I have twice used it with most satisfactory results. For five years my work has been very heavy, especially so during the last two years. My conviction was that unless I fond something to help me I must give up my work as a minister, but I took Paine's celery compound and last year came out all right, without a vacation of so much as one Sunday. I recommend it to all as a wonderful nerve restorer."

Rev. E. F. Crosby.

Rev. B. S. Crosby of Brushton, N. Y., says:

"It gives me great pleasure to add my testimony to the effect of Paine's celery compound. For eight years I have suffered great pain in my back. Las April I was so weak and nervous that I arranged to go to Montreal for treatment, but three days before I expected to go a friend of mine urged me to take Paine's celery compound. I went that day and bought a bottle and commenced to take it, and before I had taken the first bottle I was free from pain in my back and could sleep sound, and am able to preach every Sunday.

"I will gladly answer any one who may write to me about it. I trust your business will continue to prosper until the afflicted ones of the entire nation shall take Paine's celery compound and be revitalized."

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Rev. Dr. J. F. Hall of Mountville is one of the best known ministers in southeastern Ohio. Mrs. Hall, whose life was despaired of, was restored to health by Paine's celery compound. She writes:

"The grip made a wreck of my natural good health. I suffered from continual headache, which nothing relieved, and from nervousnees which prevented sleep and caused me to have palpitation of the heart when startled by any unexpected noise or sound. I had distressing pains in my back and side, was constipated, billous, and sallow-complexioned. My pulse was very changeable, sometimes quick and at others scarcely perceptible, appetite poor, with a feeling of languor and weakness at times almost overcoming me. It seemed as if every organ in my body was diseased, and I was in despair of ever being well again. At times the grave seemed very near. I can never describe my terrible sufferings, and it would have been a great relief to have exchanged worlds, but like every mother, I would look upon my baby boy and cling to life.

"Not having much faith in advertised medicines, it was with reluctance that I began to use Paine's celery compound, but after the first dose I slept well My improvement was rapid; I took six bottles and gained between 20 and 25 pounds in weight, and now I am fleshy, ruddy cheeked and clear complexioned, the wonder of all my friends. I do my own work and assist my husband in his labors as a minister of the gospel. I always tell the sick and suffering what this grand compound has done for me."

For All Sufferers.

Rev. Percy T. Fenn, rector of St. John's at Boonton, N. J., writes:

"It gives me great pleasure to commend the use of Paine's celery compound to all those who are suffering from nervous troubles. I had suffered for two years with nervous prostration brought on by overwork and excessive study, and during this time had tried almost everything in the way of medicine, besides being treated by an eminent specialist in nervous diseases, but nothing helped me until I used Paine's celery compound. This remedy has been of great benefit to me, and I shall recommend it to all sufferers."

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Comment Upon Her Approaching Marriage—Will She Live Abroad?

New York, Feb. 16.—Much has been said and written regarding the approaching marriage of Miss Anna Gould, daughter of the late wizard of Wall street, who is worth $15,000,000 in her own right, to the Count Castellane, a spendthrift young nobleman with the usual record. It is curious to hear the assertions made by members of the plutocracy, that this is purely a personal event, is nobody's business but of those immediately concerned. It is most emphatically the peoples' business. Miss Gould's $15,000,000 is money presented to her family by the people.

Her fortune would not be worth anything if public patronage were withdrawn from the "L" and the railroad and telegraph in which it is invested. Every poor washerwoman who must pay fare on these public franchises is contributing to the mammoth fortune of the count's bride to be. Miss Gould's millions are due to the laboring men and the impoverished classes generally. No doubt the count looks down upon such people and thinks they are hardly fit to black his boots, but they have made his bride what she is. The new countess will live abroad after her marriage in March, and the people's money must go abroad with her. The crowds who are packed like sardines into the foul Gould cars may derive such consolation as they can from the magnificence in which the count will live on their money.

SHOT DOWN IN THE STREET.

A Merchant Probably Fatally Injured by an Unknown Assassin.

Southington, Conn., Feb. 16.—Chas. Rugg, aged 65, a well known hardware merchant of this place, was shot and probably fatally injured last night while on his way home from his place of business. Mr. Rugg closed his store and started to walk to his home in Plantsville, the electric cars being out of order. While he was passing through Bristol street, an unknown man fired three shots at him. Then the assassin started on a run down the street, firing a fourth shot as he went. All four bullets took effect. Mr. Rugg was carried to a house near by and physicians summoned. The bullets could not be found. Mr. Rugg is very weak, and it is thought that he would not live many hours.

He does not know his assailant and cannot give even a faint description of him. The shooting caused the greatest possible excitement in the town, and parties were organized to make a search for the assassin, but nothing of him could be found. It is supposed that the motive for the shooting was robbery, as it was known that Mr. Rugg carried home with him every night the cash taken in at the store during the day.

200 CHILDREN IN PERIL.

The Heroic Action of Miss McDonnell Saves Them from Death.

New York, Feb. 16.—The Westchester Temporary Home for Indigent children, in North street, about a mile east of White Plains, was burned to the ground last night. The building contained 200 children ranging from 1 to 15 years old. Besides these there was a dozen teachers and nurses.

At about 10 o'clock a watchman discovered the cellar in a mass of flames. The little ones were asleep in their beds in the long dormitories on the second floor. Miss McDonald, the assistant superintendent, rushed from her room, sounding a large gong in the hall which called for help, warning them of danger.

She then turned on the electric lights in the halls and with the assistance of the teachers and nurses formed the children into a fire line and marched them in single file hurriedly from the burning building. So well had the children been drilled in the case of fire that not one life was lost nor a single person injured.

A Woman and a Gun.

Kent, O., Feb. 16.—At Suffield last night, Dora Wise picked up an old gun to remove it from the house. The trigger struck the door and the gun was discharged, the entire load entering the face of her sister, Augusta, aged 20. Both eyes, the nose, and much of the face was shot off, but the girl was living late last night.

15,000 To Resume Work.

Wilkesbarre, Pa., Feb. 16.—All the coal companies operating collieries in the Wyoming Valley issued orders yesterday that all collieries should go on full time after Monday until March 1. This is good news to miners in this vicinity and guarantees steady work for about 15,000 men and boys.

Sunken Chinese Ships.

Tokio, Feb. 16.—A commission of experts has been ordered to Wei-Hai-Wei to examine the sunken Chinese warships and report whether it will be feasible and profitable to raise and repair them. It is believed that the warship Ting-Yuen can be raised and refitted at moderate cost.

Death of the Living Doll.

New York, Feb. 16.—"Princess Paulina," the smallest of women, known as the "living doll," died yesterday of pneumonia. She weighed but eight and a half pounds and was only seventeen inches tall. She was to have celebrated her nineteenth birthday on the 26th of this month.

TRIAL OF THE EX-QUEEN

Hawaii's Deposed Ruler Declares Her Innocence.

Says That All Plots To Overthrow the Government Were Kept from Her Knowledge—Was Not Intimidated into Abdicating—She Followed the the Counsels of Her Friends.

San Francisco, Feb. 16.—The steamer Mariposa, which arrived here yesterday from Honolulu, brings news that the trial of the ex-queen for treason had just been concluded when the steamer left on Feb. 8, and that the prevailing opinion was that she would be found guilty and sentence would be pronounced against her.

The ex-queen gave brief oral testimony and caused to be read a written statement in which she said:

"The movement undertaken by the Hawaiians last month was absolutely commenced without my knowledge, sanction or assistance, directly or indirectly, and this fact is, in truth, well known to those who took part in it. I received no information from any one in regard to which men were or which were not to be procured, nor of any men who were induced or to be induced to join in any such uprising. I do not know why this information should have been withheld from me, unless it was with a view to my personal safety, or as a precautionary measure. It would not have received my sanction, and I can assure the gentlemen of the commission that had I known of any such intention I would have dissuaded the promoters from such a venture. But I will add that had I known their secrets they would have been mine and would have been invioably preserved.

Says She Had a Right.

"That I intended to change my cabinet and to appoint certain officers of the kingdom in the event of my restoration I will admit, but that I, or any one known to me, had in part or in whole established a new government is not true. Before the 24th of January, 1895, the day upon which I formally abdicated and called upon my people to recognize the republic of Hawaii as the only lawful government of these islands and to support that government, I claim that I had the right to select a cabinet in anticipation of a possibility, and the history of other governments support this right.

"I was not intimidated into abdicating, but followed the counsels of able and generous friends and well-wishers who advised me that such an act would restore peace and good will among my people, vitalize the progress and prosperity of the islands and induce the actual government to deal leniently, mercifully and charitably, impassionately with those who resorted to arms for the purpose of displacing a government in the formation of which they had no voice or control and which they themselves had seen established by force of arms.

A Prayer and a Wish.

"I acted of my own free will, and wish the world to know that I have asked no immunity or favor for myself, nor pleaded my abdication as a petition for mercy. My actions were dictated by the sole aim of doing good to my beloved country and alleviating the positions and pains of those who unhappily and unwisely resorted to arms to regain an independence which they thought had been unjustly wrested from them. As you deal with them, so I pray that the Almighty God may deal with you in your hours of trial.

"To my regret much has been said about the danger which has threatened foreign women and children and about the blood-thirstiness of Hawaiians and the outrages which would have been perpetrated by them if they had succeeded in their attempt to overthrow the republic government. Those who know the Hawaiian temper and disposition understand that there is no foundation for such fears. The behavior of the rebels to those foreigners whom they captured and held showed that there was no malignancy in the hearts of the Hawaiians at all. It would have been sad, indeed, if the doctrine of the Christian missionary fathers taught to my people by them and those who succeeded them should have fallen, like the seed in the parable, upon barren ground.

She Denies Their Right.

"I must deny your right to try me in this manner and by a court which you have called together for this purpose. In your actions you violate your own constitution and laws of the land. There may be in your consciences a warrant for your action, in what you may deem a necessity of the times, but you can not find any such warrant for any such action in any settled civilized or Christian land.

"All who uphold you in this unlawful proceeding may scorn and despise my word, but the offense of breaking and setting aside the specific purpose of the laws of your own nation and disregarding all justice and fairness may be to them and to you the source of an unhappy and much to be regretted legacy.

"I would ask you to consider that your government is on trial before the whole civilized world, and that in accordance with your actions and decisions will you yourselves be judged. The happiness and prosperity of Hawaii are henceforth in your hands alone as its rulers."

Thrown Out of Work by Fire.

Cambridge, O., Feb. 16.—The coal tipple and all the expensive machinery at the Forsythe mines, five miles east of this city, were burned yesterday. The miners had been notified that a reduction of five cents per ton would be made in their wages and had decided to accept the reduction. The loss of employment will cause much suffering. One hundred men are thrown out of work.

At the Last Moment.

Savannah Ga., Feb. 16.—The sentence of Eddie Davis, colored, to be hanged here for the murder of Willis Brown, has been commuted to life imprisonment by Gov. Atkinson. Davis was about to be hanged when he was reprieved and through efforts of his friends a commutation of his sentence was secured.

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For Woodbridge—1 43 a m daily except Monday, 6 44, 9 46, 10 59 a. m., 12 46, 3 20, 4 53, 5 44, 6 12, and 7 20 9 54 p. m., 12 27 night, week-days. Sundays, 1 43, 10 25, and 11 47 a. m., 10 14 p. m.

For Perth Amboy—1 43 a m daily except Monday, 6 44, 9 46, 10 59, 12 46 3 20, 4 53, 5 44, 6 12, 7 20 7 36 9 54 and 12 27. Sundays, 1 43 10 25, 11 47 a m 10 14 p m.

For East Millstone—7 10 a. m., 12 35, 2 48 and 5 40 p. m., week-days.

For Trenton—1 00, 5 57, 7 10, 7 59, 9 05, 9 36, 11 43 A. M.; 1 05, 1 37, 2 48, 5 06, 6 36, 7 46, 8 42, 9 39 P. M. Sundays at 1 00, 6 59, 9 05 9 36, 10 41 A. M.; 5 40, 6 37, 7 47 and 9 41 P. M.

For Lambertville, Phillipsburg and Belvidere via Trenton—7 59 A. M., 2.48 and 6.36 p. m., and 5.40 p. m. Sunday.

For Flemington—7 59 A. M.; 2 48 P. M.

For Freehold—7 59, 11 43 a. m, 4 38, 5 06 p.m., via. Monmouth Junction, week-days.

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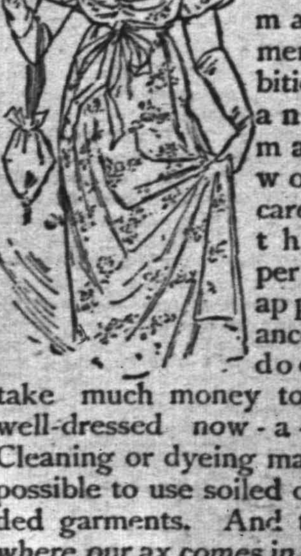

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Y. M. C. A. CONVENTION

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fact was exhibited that New Jersey was materially increasing along this line.

The following appointments for filling the city pulpits Sunday morning were announced:

First Baptist Church, J H Elliott; Crescent avenue, Robert E Speer; Congregational, S F Dudley; Grace M E, State Secretary Arthur Lucas; Warren Chapel, C S Cooper.

The report of the Committee on the State Committee's report was read by Delegate Harrington of Camden. They had found the year had been a prosperous one in all parts of the State. Six new Associations had been established, viz: Atlantic Highlands, Hackensack, Mendham, Pompton, Somerville, and Westfield.

Three new buildings had also been erected, and there was an increase of 87 in college associations. There was an apparent lack of study in Bible classes. It was recommended that more aggressive work be pursued on educational lines and also the employment of an assistant State secretary. The sum of $4,200 was needed to carry the State work through the year. The following were recommended to constitute the State executive committee for the term expiring May, 1898:

E. S. Cowles, Jersey City.
W. D. Murray, Plainfield.
F. M. Geer, Orange.
C. W. Alling, Newark.
Wilson Farrand, Newark.
S. F. Dudley, Orange.
J. H. McGray, Madison.
A. S. Bagley, Montclair.
E. J. Wessels, Westfield.
W. H. Bradshaw, Orange Valley.
F. W. Langstroth, Rahway.
E. J. Ross, Dover.

On motion the report was adopted, thus carrying into effect the recommendations and nominations.

This afternoon, from 2 to 3, the time of the convention was occupied with sectional conferences in various rooms of the building.

John T Swift of Tokio, Japan, who was to have furnished the principal address this afternoon was unable to be present, and in his stead Dr. A. T. Pierson of Philadelphia has been secured. The place of his address was arranged to be held in the First Baptist Church instead of the Assembly Hall, as announced on the programme. The meeting is now in progress.

A parlor conference for college delegates at the residence of Fred. H. Andrews on Central avenue will be held between 4:30 and 7.

The committees composed of young women from the various Christian Endeavor societies again served supper to the delegates in the upper meeting hall between 5 and 6 last evening.

TOMORROW'S SESSIONS.

The following is the programme for the Y. M. C. A. meetings on Sunday:

9 a. m. Preparation service. In Association Hall—for delegates and members of the Plainfield Association. Leader—Robert E. Speer.

2.30 p. m. Association Hall. Prayer for young men in foreign mission lands. Leader—

4.00 p. m. Men's meeting. Music Hall. Address—"An Old Love Story.' J. H. Elliott.

4 p. m. Boys' meeting. Upper Association Hall. Leader—Sumner F. Dudley.

7 30 p. m. Union services in Crescent Avenue Church and First Baptist Church. Addressed by delegates.

7 30 p. m. Meeting conducted by Railroad men in Methodist Church. In charge of J. B. George, of Dover.

9 p. m. Farewell meeting in First Baptist Church.

The Mission at Grace Church.

Tomorrow morning the Rev. Dr. Dr. Barrett who is conducting the mission will begin the following course of sermons:

Sunday morning—"The Soul and the Body."
Sunday evening—"The Soul and God."
Monday " —"The Soul's Immortality."
Tuesday " —"The Soul's Ideal—Christ."
Wednesd'y " —"The Soul's Union with God."
Thursday " —"The Soul's Alienation from God.
Friday " —"The Soul's Reinstatement."
Saturday " —"The Soul's Inspiration—The Holy Ghost."
Sunday morning—"The Soul's Relation to Other Souls."
Sunday evening—"The Soul's Text-book—The Bible."

The hours of the services will be as follows: Holy Communion, 7:30 a. m.; morning service and sermon, 11; children's service, 3:30; evening service, 7:45.

The public is cordially invited. All of the children in Plainfield are invited to the children's service tomorrow.

—The famous new monographs on Napoleon begin in this issue.

The experience of Geo. A. Apgar, of German Valley, N. J., is well worth remembering. He was troubled with chronic diarrhoea and doctored for five months and was treated by four different doctors without benefit. He then began using Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, of which one small bottle effected a complete cure. It is for sale at Reynolds's pharmacy, Park and North aves. T. S. Armstrong, manager

PARTICULAR MENTION

Miss Lee of Central avenue is visiting relatives in New York.

George A. Newman of Orange is visiting his brother, H. O. Newman.

A delightful party was given by Miss Florence Marsh of Plainfield avenue last night.

Mrs. George Thatcher of West Seventh street, has recovered from an attack of the grip.

Mrs. A. D. Phillips of Central avenue is entertaining her niece Miss Ella Phillips of Jersey City.

Robert Guttridge of Netherwood left this morning to sail for a visit to his old in the Fatherland.

Samuel Ayers, son of W. C. Ayers, and principal of one of the New York public schools, is in town today.

Mrs. Alexander Gilbert and Mrs. B. A. Hegeman gave royal entertainment at their homes yesterday to the Y. M. C. A. delegates attending the conferences in their parlors.

John W. Murray, accompanied by Mrr. Murray, who is at Rockledge, Fla., is reported as improved in health by the quiet rest he is having at that place. Fishing in the Indian river is his favorite pastime and he keeps the hotel table well supplied with fish.

Thomas Cochran, who speaks this evening in the Baptist Church, and tomorrow in the Methodist Church, is a leading business man of St. Paul. He is a fellow-university (New York) man of Dr. I. C. Pierson and Rev. C. R. Barnes. He is the guest of the latter.

Last evening was very enjoyably spent at the home of Mr. and Mrs. B. Wright, 309 Arlington avenue. Games were played, also a piano duet by Miss Mildred Tyrell and Mrs. A. Gordon. Refreshments were served at 10, and all returned home at an early hour, and happy.

A Servant's Carelessness.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. D. Snediker on Grove street, came near being destroyed by fire on Friday night of last week during the blizzard. A servant girl who only had five quilts on her bed, to keep her warm, thought a hot iron would be a nice bedfellow and heated one to a high heat and put it into her bed while the family were at their evening meal. The fumes of burning wool alarmed the family and a search was commenced at the furnace. The cellar and every room was searched for the cause.

When the servant's room was reached her bed was found to be in a blaze. Mr. Snediker and son George set to work in a practical manner and the fire was put out without the department or the neighborhood being alarmed, although the bedding was almost entirely destroyed.

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Beginning in the division line between the city of Plainfield and the Township of Fanwood where Midway avenue crosses said division line and running thence in an easterly direction along Midway avenue to its connection with North avenue; thence still easterly along North avenue to the division line between the Townships of Fanwood and Westfield.

Beginning at the intersection of Mountain avenue and Forrest avenue or road, in the village of Scotch Plains, in the twp of Fanwood and running thence southeasterly along Forrest avenue or road to its intersection with North avenue; thence southerly along said North avenue to Depot street; thence to a point at or near the Fanwood station of the Central Railroad of New Jersey.

The name of the corporation making the application is the New York and Philadelphia Traction Company.

The application was filed on the 15th day of February, eighteen hundred and ninety-five and will be considered by the Township Committee of the township of Fanwood, at a meeting to be held on the 7th day of March, eighteen hundred and ninety-five, at Excelsior Hall, at Scotch Plains, in the township of Fanwood aforesaid, county of Union, at 8 o'clock in the evening.

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Funeral servic s from her late residence 433 Orchard place, Sunday Feb. 17, at 2:30 p. m.

Relatives and friends are invited to attend. Interment in Methodist cemetery.

ADAMS—Miss Susan B. Adams, at the home of her sister, Mrs. Adelbert Vail, 314 East Second street, February 15, 1895, in the 49th year of her age

Funeral Sunday at 2:30 p. m., at late residence 314 East Second street.

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REMOVAL.

Dr. Lighthill begs leave to give notice that he has removed to

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(a few doors from his former location) where he can be consulted on all chronic diseases of whatever name and nature.

Dr. Lighthill refers with pardonable pride to the success of his practice in Plainfield and submits below a few of the many testimonials which he has received from grateful patients. A mass of similar ones can be seen at his office.

AN ALMOST MIRACULOUS CURE.

The Statement of Mr. Edward Teel, Jr., of Dunellen, N. J.

TO THE PUBLIC:

From a sense of duty I desire to call public attention to the almost miraculous cure which Dr. Lighthill effected in the case of my wife. For eleven years she had been afflicted with piles of an unusual severe and distressing character. She suffered every day of her life the most intense pain, attended with frequent and profuse hemorrhage. This state of things debilitated her entire system until she became a perfect wreck of her former self.

We made every effort to obtain a cure but they all resulted in bitter disappointment, although a number of physicians of excellent reputations for skill in that direction had treated her case. She grew worse and worse all the time, the pain became perfectly unbearable and I felt she could not bear the strain of her condition much longer. In this extremity, a friend of mine, Mr. W. E. Dilts, a resident of Roselle, N. J., a passenger conductor on the New Jersey Central told me that he had been similarly affected, and had been permanently cured by Dr. Lighthill, after other medical skill had failed. He assured me that the doctor would cure my wife, no matter how severe her case may be, and his prediction proved perfectly correct. In spite of her desperate condition, Dr. Lighthill, I am glad to say, has effected a complete and perfect cure in her case, and has given her new life.

Since the cure has been effected she has gained in health and strength and is so improved in appearance that her friends scarcely recognize her. They all consider her cure as almost miraculous, and Dr. Lighthill's praise is heard on every side. Our gratitude to Dr. Lighthill is unbounded and we only hope that other sufferers may be benefited by this publication.

EDWARD TEEL, JR.

A Flattering Testimonial from Colonel John Dietrich, One of Plainfield's Oldest and Best Known Residents.

16 ARLINGTON PLACE,
Plainfield, N. J., July 17, 1894.

I am profoundly grateful to Dr. Lighthill for his speedy and radical cure of a most painful malady of over ten years standing with which I was afflicted.

I deem it proper to say to all afflicted to place themselves under the care of this skilful physician and be permanently cured,

I will cheerfully impart any information I possess when called upon.

JOHN DIETRICH.

Mr. Thomas Callahan of No. 214 Richmond street Cured of a Very Distressing Trouble by Dr. Lighthill.

PLAINFIELD, N. J., June 1, 1894.

TO THE PUBLIC:

For some time past I have been greatly distressed with noises in the head. They were all over my head and troubled me constantly; they were loudest at night when everything was quiet and at such times would often keep me from sleep and disturb my rest. In fact they got to be so bad and distressing that they affected my whole nervous system as well as my health. I did not obtain the least relief until I placed myself under the care of Dr. Lighthill, of No. 132 Crescent avenue, who effected a complete cure in my case in a short time and made me a very happy man.

THOMAS CALLAHAN,
214 Richmond street.

A Card From Mr. T. R VanZandt,

of Nos. 304 and 306 Park ave.,

Plainfield, N. J

I certify with pleasure that Dr. Lighthill has effectually cured me of a most painful case of piles. For some time past I had been subject to its attacks, but the last attack was so exceedingly painful that it completely upset my whole system. The pain extended to my legs and in many other directions, and made me so nervous that I could neither sleep, sit down, lie down or move about without serious discomfort and distress. Such was my condition when I applied to Dr. Lighthill for relief, and I am glad to say that as soon as he took hold of my case, I began to improve, and in a short time found myself completely cured. Dr. Lighthill has also effected a radical and permanent cure in a most terrible case of piles on my cousin, Mr. J. V. S. Griggs, of Rocky Hill, N. J., whose flattering testimonial is in Dr. Lighthill's possession.

T. R. VAN ZANDT,
304 and 306 Park avenue.

Dr. Lighthill

can be consulted daily (except Thursdays) on all CHRONIC, OBSTINATE AND COMPLICATED diseases of the human system of whatever name and nature, at his office and residence,

No. 132 Crescent Avenue.

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140 West Front st.

SEBRING, CLOTHIER,

Will close the balance of $12 suits for $8.

$15 suits for $10.

$12 ulsters for $8.50.

$15 overcoats for $10.

Children's overcoats and school suits at cost.

Park Avenue, Packer's Block,

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Hallet & Davis Piano Co.,

Established nearly 60 years.

We sell only high-grade instruments and at as low prices as are charged by many dealers for comparatively worthless ones. Cash or installments.

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Tuning a Specialty.

Call and secure a copy of the Monthly Musical Guest. 1 23 tf

Commercial Palace, EDSALL'S Babcock Building,

Our Grocery Depatment

is a grand success and grows in popularity every day. This is sample of what customers say: Mrs. Blank who has been in the habit of buying her groceries at a New York department store, said after looking through our department that our prices are lower than she paid there, and in future she will buy of us.

This is only one of many similar cases. Our low prices and fine quality of goods draw the trade. Dollars and cents saved to the buyer means business for the merchant.

Grocery Department

All Day Saturday. Terms Cash.

Prices lowest, quality best. Money cheerfully refunded on all goods not satisfactory.

75 CASES MORE CANNED GOODS JUST RECEIVED.

At 6c Can: 25 cases Bedford Park tomatoes at.....6c; 25 cases string beans, tender at.....6c; 25 cases sweet corn.....6c. At 6c Can.

At 10c Bottle: 50 dozen Durkee's famous Challenge Sauce. This sauce is first class and just as good as the imported, both in flavor and quality; regular price 19, special at 10c bottle. Not more than 6 bottles to each customer. At 10c Bottle.

Chicken Soup special 19c reg. price 34c: 10 doz. cans of Curtice Bros. White Label Chicken Soup, warranted fresh and pure. Money refunded if not satisfactory. Chicken Soup special 19c reg. price 34c.

Babbitt's best laundry soap 6 cakes for 24c
2½ pound bag finest table salt at 3c bag
Very fine evaporated apricots at 24c pound
Holmes & Coutt's famous banquet wafers at 19c box
" " " afternoon tea wafers at 21c box
Extra quality Bahama pineapple free from cores, reg. price 30c, special 19c can; very good quality mixed tea reg. price 39c, special 24c pound, or 5 pound for $1.00.

Special in Dry Goods Department.

FOR SATURDAY.

15 doz fringed towels with colored borders, 22x50, as long as they last, only 7½c.
10 doz hair brushes and combs—11c for a comb and brush
10 pieces full width silesia only 7c; as long as they last.
Other bargains all through the store. Just received our first installment of

New Spring Dress Goods.

Something new and stylish in all-wool effects at 39c; regular 50c goods.
New silk and wool effects at 50c, 65c, 75c and $1.00. Very choice and exceedingly cheap.
New wash silks at 35c; advertised in New York worth 50c.

EDSALL'S

Cork Filled

During this month we will offer all of our Burt & Packard

Double Sole Cork Filled Men's

$5 Shoes for $3.98 per Pair.

Just the shoe for you to wear without rubbers up to the first of May. Sizes 5 to 11; widths B to E; styles, narrow, round and Common Sense toes.

See our window Saturday for specials.

DOANE & EDSALL.

BRADSTREET'S REPORT

The Weather Fails To Stimulate Orders for Goods.

General Trade Remains at Low Ebb. Bear Operatives Active—Markets Oversold—Greater Efforts Made for Collections Than To Sell Goods. Variation of Prices.

New York, Feb. 16.—Bradstreet in his report to-day will say: Milder and pleasanter weather, following the severe storms and extremely low temperature, have, with few exceptions, failed to stimulate orders for seasonable goods or the distributive movement generally. Exceptions include a revival of demand in a few lines at Boston and New York, and in drugs, leather and paper at Philadelphia, and in general merchandise at Savannah and Jacksonville, the only southern cities reporting trade better and mercantile collections good. At the west there are improved sales by Chicago jobbers in dry goods, clothing, furnishings, shoes and rubbers, and Kansas City announces a larger volume of spring business. Demand for staples has increased at Milwaukee, as at St. Paul, pointing to small stocks held by country dealers. Elsewhere general trade remains at a low ebb. Iron and steel industries find the week not up to expectations.

Created Disappointment.

Speculations in the New York stock market is irregular and narrow. About $7,500,000 gold has been sent to the assay office for account of the local members of the bond syndicate, and the treasury gold reserve has risen to $42,500,000. About $1,500,000 gold has been shipped from London to New York for the same interests, and it would seem to be the policy to protract the carrying out of the arrangement, and thus keep exchange low and avert gold exports. The defeat of the 3 per cent. gold bond in the house has created disappointment, but though bear operators are active, the market soon becomes oversold. Chicago & Northwestern, however, has declined on liquidating sales due to poor earnings, and the high-priced anthracite coal stocks are affected by the failure of efforts to effect an arrangement about production. Foreign exchange is 4.88¼ for demand sterling. The spring trade outlook at Baltimore is less favorable, there having been a falling off in receipts of orders from travelers. Mercantile collections south and west, with few exceptions, are slow and unsatisfactory.

Trade Fallen Off.

Southern merchants and manufacturers in some instances are making greater efforts to collect amounts due than to sell goods. As one consequence of the recent extreme weather, trade at Augusta has fallen off to a marked degree, as at Birmingham, Chattanooga, Atlanta and New Orleans, merchants at the latter point finding an unfavorable influence also in the stoppage of payments of sugar bounties. Word comes from Texas that snow throughout that state has checked the volume of trade in all directions.

January gross earnings of railways indicate bottom has been touched, but there are signs of improvement accompanying them. Returns from 133 American and Mexican railroad companies cover 102,000 miles of track and $36,465,000 of gross earnings in January, a falling off of three-tenths of 1 per cent. from January last year, in which month there was a decrease of 12 per cent. from the total in January, 1894. The decrease in January earnings of railroads in the United States alone is six-tenths of 1 per cent.

Railroad Gains.

The poorest showing is made by the granger lines, but decreases are reported from January earnings a year ago by eastern, southern and Pacific groups of roads. Central western roads, the coalers and southwesterns announce gains in January over last year. A significant feature is that more than one-half of the companies report gains for January this year over last year, but these are small, and are offset by a few heavy decreases. The effects on business of the storm and low temperature, together with the check to trade since January 1, are beginning to make themselves apparent in bank clearings, the total for the past six business days amounting to $824,000,000, or 16 per cent. less than last week, and only 5 per cent. more than in the second week of February one year ago. Compared with the extraordinary heavy weekly total of clearings in the corresponding week of 1893, the decrease this week is 26 per cent., and compared with the like week in 1892 the falling off is even more striking, 40 per cent.

Fluctuation of Prices.

Prices, on the whole, have maintained a position of relative steadiness, eastern manufacturers of shoes asking higher prices, in view of a late advance in leather, and spruce lumber for frames having been marked up about 20 per cent. Live cattle and hogs are higher, due to improvements in eastern demand and decline in receipts at western centres. The check in receipts of Indian corn is responsible for the advance in that cereal, and lead also is higher. Prices are unchanged for leather, oats, pork, cotton, iron and steel, but bleached cottons have sold lower, at some points the lowest on record.

What Would Mrs. Cleveland Say?

Washington, Feb. 16.—The truth of an extract from the diary of ex-Queen Lilioukalani, read at her trial and contained in Honolulu advices by the Mariposa stating that she had received a present from President Cleveland, was authoritatively denied at the white house yesterday. It is stated there that the president sent no present of any description to her and that she was imposed on if any gift was given her with the statement that it came from Mr. Cleveland.

Lottie's Troupe Arrested.

Savannah, Ga., Feb. 16.—Fourteen members of the Lottie Collins troubadours were arrested here yesterday on warrants charging them with riot in Macon after a performance in that city Wednesday night. The company arrived here from Jacksonville and was arrested on the train.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U.S. Gov't Report

Royal Baking Powder

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SUNDAY SERVICES.

Official Announcements for Worship in Plainfield Tomorrow.

[Matter intended for this department must be supplied fresh every week, not later than 10 a. m. Saturday to insure insertion.]

St. Joseph's Church—Masses at 8:30 and 10:30 a. m.; Sunday-school at 3, and Vespers at 8 p. m.

Do not fail to attend the farewell meeting at the First Baptist church at 9 p. m. All welcome.

St. Mary's Church—Masses at 7:30, 8:30, 9:30, and 10:30 a. m.; Sunday-school, 2:30 p. m.; Vespers, 8 p. m.

Mission Church of the Heavenly Rest—Morning prayer and sermon, 11; Sunday-school, 9:45 a. m.

Swedish Meeting—Grace Church, 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Scandinavians welcome. Rev. M. Ahlberg, pastor.

A meeting for women will be held at the the Trinity Reformed Church at 4 p. m. All women are welcome.

St. Peter's German Lutheran Church—Services, 10 a. m. and 7:45 p. m.; Sunday-school, 9 a. m. Rev. Ed Klouka, pastor.

First Presbyterian Church—Rev. Chas. B. Herring, pastor. Services 10:30 a. m. Subject, "God's Harvest". No evening service.

All Souls Church—Rev. Hobart Clark, pastor. Services at 10:45 a. m. with preaching by Rev. John W. Chadwick of Brooklyn. Sunday-school, 11:45 a. m.

Mt. Zion African Methodist Episcopal Church Fourth and Liberty streets.—Rev. T. A. V. Henry, pastor. Preaching, 11 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. Sunday-school, 3 p. m.

First Church of Christ—Meets at 204 West Front street. Preaching at 10:45 a. m. and 8 p. m.; Lord's Supper, 11:45 a. m.; Sunday-school, 2:45; Christian Endeavor, 7 p. m.

Monroe Avenue Chapel—Herbert B. Munson, pastor. Morning service, 11, address by Charles H. Huntington, Y. M. C. A. Secretary of Camden. Sunday-school, 3. No evening service.

First Baptist Church—Rev. Dr. D. J. Yerkes, pastor. Services at 10:30 a. m., an address by Rev. J. H. Elliott of Clifton Springs, N. Y. Evening, 7:30, union meeting. Sunday-school and Bible classes, 2:30 p. m.

Warren Chapel—Joseph Orr McKelvey, pastor. Services 10:30 a. m., an address by C. S. Cooper, a member of the International Committee of the Y. M. C. A. Sunday-school, 2:30 p. m. No evening service.

Trinity Reformed Church—Rev. Cornelius Schenck, pastor. Preaching by the pastor, 10:30 a. m. Subject, "Exceeding Great and Precious"; prayer-meeting at 10 a. m. Sunday-school, 2:30. No evening service.

Grace M. E. Church—Rev. Herbert F. Randolph, pastor. Services at 10:30 a. m., an address by Arthur Lucas, State Secretary of New Jersey Y. M. C. A. Sunday-school, 2:30; Epworth League, 7. No evening service.

St. Stephen's Church, Rev. S. P. Simpson, rector—Holy Communion, 7:30 a. m.; Sunday-school, 9:45; morning prayer, litany, and sermon, 11; evening prayer, 4:30. Free stages from station at 10:30 a. m. and 4 p. m.

Church of the Redeemer, Protestant Episcopal—Rev. Dr. Jocelyn Johnstone, rector. Celebration of the Holy Communion, 7:30 a. m. Morning service, 11:15; Sunday-school and childrens service, 3 p. m.; evening service, 4:30.

Park Avenue Baptist Church—Rev. J. W. Richardson, pastor. Preaching at 10:30 a. m. Morning theme will be, "The Chariot Wheels of Prayer and Providence". Sunday-school, 2:30 p. m. No evening service because of the Y. M. C. A. union meeting.

First M. E. Church—Rev. Dr. C. R. Barnes, pastor. 10:30 a. m., an address by Thomas Cochran of St. Paul, and member of the International Committee of the Y. M. C. A. 7:30 p. m., railroad meeting of the Y. M. C. A., conducted by Jerry R. George. 2:30 p. m., Sunday-school; 6:45 p. m., Epworth League prayer meeting.

Congregational Church—Rev. C. L. Goodrich, pastor. Morning service, 10:30, address upon Y. M. C. A. work by S. F. Dudley, one of the State secretaries of the Y. M. C. A. of New York. Sunday-school, 2:45 p. m. The pastor will begin with his Bible class and any others who wish to come in a series of talks on the testimony of ancient inscriptions to the Bible. No evening service.

—The commencement of "Settled Out of Court" is unavoidably deferred till Monday. Special important announcements of other features also will then be made.

Shiloh's cure is sold on a guarantee. It cures incipient consumption; it is the best cough cure, only 1c a dose; 25, 50c, $1. Sold by all druggists.

Karl's Clover Root, the great blood purifier, gives freshness and clearness to the complexion and cures constipation; 25c 50c, $1. Sold by all druggists.

Mrs. T. S. Hawkins, Chattanooga, Tenn., says: "Shiloh's Vitalizer saved my life; I consider it the best remedy for a debilitated system I ever used. For dyspepsia, liver or kidney trouble it excels; 75c. Sold by all druggists.

—The Great A & P Tea Co., is selling the finest Elgin Creamery butter at 25 cents, 137 and 139 West Front street,

And Lived God's Allotted Time.

Baltimore, Feb. 16.—Hon. James Hodges, one of Baltimores most distinguished citizens, died last night. He was 72 years old. For 50 years he had been the senior member of the firm of Hodges Bros., well known to merchants in the southern states.

A Sister's Error Killed Him.

Troy, N. Y., Feb. 16.—Alexander Ronald, of Wells, Hamilton county, died yesterday from the effects of a dose of strychnine, administered by his sister in mistake for quinine. He lived for only an hour after swallowing the poison.

A Priest a Vagrant.

Quebec, Feb. 16.—A Catholic priest named Paquet was yesterday sentenced to four months imprisonment for vagrancy and obtaining money under false pretences.

Brooklyn Trolley Magnates Indicted.

Brooklyn, N. Y., Feb. 16.—Norton and Quinn are in the hands of the law.

A Des Moines woman who has been troubled with frequent colds, concluded to try an old remedy in a new way, and accordingly took a tablespoonful (four times the usual dose) of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy just before going to bed. The next morning she found that her cold had almost entirely disappeared. During the day she took a few doses of the remedy (one teaspoonful at a time) and at night again took a tablespoonful before going to bed, and on the following morning awoke free from all symptoms of the cold. Since then she has, on several occasions, used this remedy in like manner with the same good results, and is much elated over her discovery of so quick a way of curing a cold. For sale at Reynolds's pharmacy, Park and North aves. T. S. Armstrong, manager.

—The Elizabeth postoffice was damaged $8 000 by fire at midnight. The mail was saved

—Special butter sale of the finest Elgin Creamery butter at 25 cents, Great A & P Tea Co., 137 and 139 West Front street.

Mrs. Emily Thorne, who resides at Toledo, Washington, says she has never been able to procure any medicine for rheumatism that relieves the pain so quickly and effectually as Chamberlain's Pain Balm and that she has also used it for lame back with great success. For sale at Reynolds's pharmacy, Park and North aves. T. S. Armstrong, manager.

ADMINISTRATOR'S SETTLEMENT.—Notice is hereby given, That the account of the subscriber, administrator of Adele Feytel deceased will be audited and stated by the Surrogate, and reported for settlement to the Orphan's Court of the County of Union, on Wednesday, the seventeenth day of April next.

CHARLES JOSEPH FEYTEL.

Dated February 11, 1895.

EXECUTOR'S SETTLEMENT—Notice is hereby given that the account of the subscriber, Executor of Robert Palmer, deceased, will be audited and stated by the Surrogate, and reported for settlement to the Orphan's Court of the County of Union, on Wednesday, the Seventeenth day of April next.

JOHN S. McLEAN.

Dated February 11, 1895.

WANTS AND OFFERS.

TABLE boarders wanted in private family. Apply 303 West Fourth st. 2 7 tf

WELL bred road horse for sale, out of dam that has a mark of 2:12½; not afraid of anything; safe for anybody to drive; will be sold right if bought in 2 or 3 days. Call on M. Quinn, East 4th st. 2 15 tf

WANTED—A practical man with $500 to $2,500, to organize stock company and manufacture bicycle sundries, and give personal attention to business. Will put in equal amount or double. Address Bicycle, care Press. 2 15 3

TO RENT—Small cottage containing 4 or 5 rooms, located on Front st. near Richmond st. Apply to Mr. C. P. Bull, 226 East 9th st. 2 14 3

WANTED.—Work harness in good condition; also corn sheller; state price. B. B., Lock Box, 72, Scotch Plains. 2 14 4

TO RENT—From April 1, two 10-room houses 119-127 East 5th street, all improvements. Rent reasonable. W. H. Brower, 432 Watchung avenue. 2 16 tf

WANTED—Man with family to occupy cottage and work on farm. Address box 322, Plainfield. 2 16 2

WANTED—Desk room, or small office. North avenue preferred Address A W., care Press.

FOR SALE or to exchange for carriage, Chestnut black horse 16 hands, broken by Brower. Called the most stylish horse in the county, in harness and to Saddle. Box 432, Westfield.

FOR SALE—House and lot in North Plainfield; 3 minutes walk from street railroad; 20 minutes from depot; house has 7 rooms; will sell on easy terms. Address for particulars, Bargain, care Press. 2 12 6

$5,000 TO LOAN on bond and mortgage in amounts to suit. C. L. Moffett, att'y, cor. Park and North avenues. 2 13 3-eod

TO LET—All or part of rooms formerly occupied by Young Men's Christian Association. A. J. Brunson, 68 Broad st., Elizabeth, N. J. 1 26 tf-t s

WANTED—House for small family; possession April 1; reasonable rent. Address, stating terms and where located, "House," care Press. 2 11 tf

FOUR desirable upper rooms to rent Call 159 Somerset st. 2 11 6

YOUNG woman wants office work. Address Capable, care Press. 2 4 tf

OFFICES and flats to rent in Babcock Building. Inquire of J. A. Hubbard or W. M. Stillman. 1 30 tf

CASH buyer can get first-class upright piano at bargain Address Starr, care Press. 2 2 tf

MONEY to loan Mulford, broker. 2 1 tf

5 CENTS buys at REYNOLDS'S a cake of good **Toilet Soap.** 5
perfumed and wrapped, made by the best and biggest soap house in America (whose stamp is a guarantee of excellence). We warrant this a sound, pure soap. 1 cake or 100 at 5c each.

8 CENTS buys at REYNOLDS'S a good **Baby's Bottle** 8
with pure black rubber nipple, complete and ready for use: Bottle has a wide base, rounded corners, graduated side.

75 CTS buys at REYNOLDS'S a two-quart **Hot water bag** 75
positively guaranteed against leakage from imperfection, for one year from date of sale.

Reynolds's Pharmacy,
Established 1868. Park and North avenues, only.

—Honeyman's famous private tours will conduct a trip from Plainfield to California April 10. Write to A. V. D. Honeyman, Plainfield, N. J. The European tour starts June 26.

MUSIC HALL.
Joseph Sohl, Proprietor.
R. C. Varian, Manager.
Telephone call 49B,

Monday Feb'y 18.
The Singing Comedian,
CHAUNCEY OLCOTT
In his new comedy drama
"The Irish Artist."
During the evening Mr. Olcott will sing all of his new and popular songs.
BOX OFFICE NOW OPEN.
Prices—25, 35, 50, 75, $1.00

EXTRAORDINARY.

Half value sale of new seasonable goods still continues. In addition to the many good values that we have offered for this week we add the following:

66 in. bleached damask in 2 and 2½ yd. lengths at 49c per yd. actual value 75c.

18 in. all linen crash, extra heavy 7c. yard.

20 in. all linen glass toweling 8½c.

Imported serges 45 in wide 45c yd. Actual value 65c.

54 in covert cloth 49c yd value 98c.

18 in fancy silks, 39c yd. value 75c.

30 in. China silks, 49c yd value 85c.

2¼x2½ sheets, made of Boston bleached sheeting 44c. each. Value 65c.

100 doz. men's black half hose Hermsdorf dye. Value 25c. Our price 12½c.

100 doz. ladies' full regular Hermsdorf dye hose 19c pair.

Ladies' 5 hook Foster kids 75c. pr.

The greatest bargain in draperies ever offered is what they all say Beautiful styles 40 and 45 in. wide. price 13c.

40 in. apron lawn, checks and stripes 10c.

Granite Ironware

2,3, and 4 qt Coffee pots 37,42,47c.
2,3, and 4 qt. Tea " 37,42,47c.
2,3, and 4 qt. Sauce " 30,32,35c.
Wash basins, 17c.
Tea kettles, 79c.
Oatmeal boilers, 37c.

Don't you find it satisfactory to trade at a store that will refund you your money for any article you buy and do not want?

That's our way of doing business.

WHITE, of Plainfield.

Fanwood Township

ORDINANCE.

Whereas two-thirds of the owners of real estate on streets known as Forest avenue, Forest Road North First street and Clinton avenue have petitioned the Township Committee of Fanwood Township to change the names of these streets to Forest avenue for the whole length of the road or a reel, from the intersection of said Clinton avenue with Mountain avenue, to the intersection of said Forest Road with North avenue, the same being a continuous street or road from the points named and being greatly to the advantage of the said petitioners;

It is hereby ordained by the Township Committee of Fanwood Township, that the street or road known by the names mentioned, Forest Road, Forest avenue, North First street and Clinton avenue be and are hereby changed and are to be hereafter known as Forest avenue from the intersection of the same with Mountain avenue to its intersection with North avenue.

EDWARD L. HAND, Township Clerk.

Dated February 11, 1895. 2 15 5

HOSIERY.

You should always buy your hose at a regular hosiery store. The

BEE HIVE

keeps a full line of ladie's, men's and children's hose. We will quote a few prices

Ladies fast black hose, seamless, 10 and 12½
Ladies' fast black Hermsdorf sold in town at 21c our price 15c.
Men's Hermsdorf black socks 2 pair for 25c.
We also received all numbers in Clark's crochet cotton on spools at 5c.

The "Cast-iron" shirt made of good muslin, heavy linen bosom, reinforced front and double back, at 38c.

LOUIS CALLMAN,
222 West Front st

Van's 2 Van's

Save your pennies, the dollars will take care of themselves.

Buy your Muslins now at the following prices:

Bleached Pillow Muslins.
1¼ yard wide.....8c yd
1¼ yard wide.....9c yd
1½ yard wide.....11c yd

Bleached Sheeting Muslins
2 yards wide.....14c yd
2¼ yards wide.....15c yd
2½ yards wide.....16c yd

One Yard Wide Bleached Muslins.

Fruit of Loom, Dwight Anchor, Hill, Lonsdale, Barker, Gold Medal, Arcade, extra heavy, all at...6½c yd

Van Emburgh,
Corner Store, Babcock Building.

LEGGETT'S TOILET SOAP,

for the toilet, bath and nursery. 15 cents a cake, 6 cakes 75 cents. Warranted absolutely pure.

The compounding of physicians' prescriptions a specialty.

Corner Park avenue and Front street.

106 East Front Street —— NEW STORE, NEW GOODS.
Grand Opening of the Plainfield Tea and Grocery Co., Saturday, Feb. 9.

"EVERY DAY PRICES."

Fine quality mixed tea	25c	Can tomatoes, solid packed	8c
" Oolong tea	30c	Can peas, early June	8c
" Young Hyson tea	40c	Can corn, fine goods	8c
" Japan tea	40c	Fine butter	24c
XX soda crackers	4½c	Ground coffee	17½c
Ginger snaps	5½c	Java and Mocha coffee	32c
Nic-nac crackers	6c	Extra fine Maricaibo coffee	30c
California peaches	17c can	" Rio coffee	24c
All goods warranted as represented.		Lard	8c

H. T. WILLIAMS, Manager.

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I.—ORIGIN.

The meridian of Discovery and the parallel of Conquest intersect at the birthplace of Bonaparte. The birthlines of Cæsar and Columbus, drawn—the one due west from Rome, and the other due south from Genoa,—cross each other within a few miles of Ajaccio! It is odd.

Corsica is shaped like a megatherium. The bony head is thrust into the strait of Bonifacio; the long back is bent towards Italy; the thick tail projects in the direction of the Upper Riviera. The destined town lies between the fore legs, and the space there is a small gulf. The island-

LETITIA BONAPARTE, MOTHER OF NAPOLEON.

beast, sketched flat on the sea, shows many black spots on the side: they are mountains. There are veins also, and these are swift streams; small circles in a few places—towns. The area of the broadside is 3,376 square miles. It is more than twice as big as Rhode Island—smaller somewhat than Connecticut. And the population exceeds a quarter of a million.

Of the towns here marked, we are concerned with only two; Corte and Ajaccio. The former is the old home of the Buonapartes; the latter, the place to which the family removed just at the time when, by the birth of a man-child clad with thunder, it was destined to emerge from mediæval obscurities, starlike, Sirius-like, into the open sky of fame. Otherwise not much need be said of the island, its emplacement in the sea, its general aspects and possibilities.

The genesis of Napoleon touches a remarkable ethnic condition. Nearly all of the West-Aryan races have contributed to the population of the island in which he was born. The substratum was perhaps that old Etruscan life which preceded the Italicans in Italy. The first foreign colonists were Greeks, out of Ionia. These gained supremacy in the island, but were overwhelmed at length by the Carthaginians. The Roman ascendency came next, and lasted for seven or eight centuries. Then followed the Vandals, and after them the Huns of Attila. Ethnic influences had meanwhile reached a second time out of Africa. Many Mauritanians came over and settled in Sardinia and Corsica; and then, in the Dark Ages, there was a Saracenic conquest.

More important than this was the establishment of Norman power in the island. The people and the architecture alike show traces of all these remote but potent influences in determining the final race-character of the Corsicans who, after the fifteenth century, became essentially Italian. The race is thus composite in its derivation to as great a degree as any people in the world. Besides the ethnic origin, the environment—the narrow confines of the island, its mountainous character, its pleasant situation in the pellucid waters of the Mediterranean, its easy distance from the long bending line of one of the most famous coasts of the world—has tended powerfully, by the reactions of nature on the human animal, to establish and confirm the small insular race whose one man was destined to give it a conspicuous place in human annals.

The Buonapartes were true Corsicans. The family reaches back obscurely into the Middle Ages. The name is Italian, and shows linguistically an origin as remote as the Renaissance. There were Italian as well as Corsican Buonapartes. A family of this name lived in the Tuscan city of Sarzana; another perhaps, in Genoa, and another at Florence. Examples are found in which the spelling is given thus—Buona Parte. They of Sarzana were ennobled in the sixteenth century, and continued to write their name with a di, or de, until the epoch when the Great One was born. The noblesse, however, became attenuated, both in Tuscany and in the island, whereto a branch of the family, at some unknown date, removed and established itself at Corte or Ajaccio.

It would appear that the Corsican Buonapartes kept an interest in Italy, whence they originated. They concerned themselves in the affairs of Tuscany, as well as with those of Genoa. Doubtless they regarded their importance and rank as having been derived from the mainland, and would fain share in the faded glories of the Italian cities.

At the middle of the eighteenth century the head of the Corsican Buonapartes was Joseph, grandfather of Napoleon. The family resided at Corte, in the center of the island. Joseph received a patent of nobility from the grand duke of Tuscany, making him a patrician; and this worthless distinction was carried down to his son, Carlo Buonaparte, whose rights were confirmed by the Archbishop of Pisa and the King of France.

The geographical position of Corsica made it a bone of contention among the Powers. From the sixteenth to the eighteenth century the island was under the suzerainty of Genoa. The people were partisans. Some favored the Genoese; some, the French; and some, other Italian States. At the middle of the eighteenth century, there was turbulence. Insurrection came, and rebellion, and attempted independence. The patriots rose against Genoa, and a certain General Von Neuhof was about to be made king, when a French army under General Marbœuf was sent into the island to bring it into subjection. The French had just lost their colonial empire in North America, and were anxious to make a gain in the Mediterranean to counterbalance the growing power of Great Britain.

After the episode of Von Neuhof, the patriot leader Pascal Paoli gained an ascendency in Corsica, and became dictator. He contended valiantly for the independence of his country, and for a while held his powerful enemies at bay. This, however, could not last. The French party among the Corsicans desired the breaking of all connection between their country and the petty state of Genoa, and a union with the powerful kingdom of France. The cause of Paoli fell before overwhelming odds, and in May of 1768, Corsica was formally delivered to the French. The patriots were scattered, and their leader found refuge in England.

It was in the midst of these agitations, civil and military, that the Buonaparte family emerged clearly to view. Carlo Maria Buonaparte was born in Ajaccio, March 29, 1746. At the time of the failure of the revolutionary movement and the loss of his country's independence, he was twenty-two years of age. Meanwhile, in his eighteenth year, he had fallen in love with Letitia Ramolino, daughter of a well-to-do Corsican peasant. With her, nature had been prodigal of all gifts. She was beautiful to a degree; strongly marked in feature and person with the excellencies of the Italian race.

Of the Ramolino family, not much is known. Suffice it that Carlo di Buonaparte—though a noble—recklessly took Letitia in marriage when she was but fifteen years of age. She brought him her beauty and a portion of properties, but no additional rank. She is said to have been a girl of heroic qualities, queenly in her bearing, rather silent in manner, healthy as to her bodily life, and ignorant of sentiment. Her face, preserved in a hundred forms of art, shows unmistakably the origin of that Napoleonic visage with which the whole world will be familiar to the end of human records.

The character of Carlo di Buonaparte, though discoverable only in fragments, shows a mixture of courage and adventure. He was a projector of many things—a visionary. His education was obtained in Italy. He had been a student at Rome, and afterwards at Pisa, where he prepared himself to be an advocate, and obtained a reputation for youthful eloquence. The University of Pisa conferred on him, about the time of the birth of Napoleon, the degree of Doctor of Laws.

The collapse of the patriot cause had induced Carlo Buonaparte, as a measure of prudence, to leave Ajaccio and retire to Corte. The latter, being an inland town and having a mountainous situation, was more deeply pervaded with the patriotic spirit than was the lowland region about Ajaccio. The coast country gave itself up freely to the French domination. During the first five years of the married life of Carlo, he oscillated with his young family back and forth between the two towns, finally—when safety came with peace—fixing himself at Ajaccio. This was in the early part of 1769.

Meanwhile, before this removal, three children had appeared, in rapid succession, at the hearthstone of Carlo Buonaparte. All of these were born at Corte. The first was a daughter, Elise, whose birth was in 1765. This child died in infancy, as did also the next, Marie Anne, who was born about two years later. Then, on January 7th, 1768, came the first son, and to him the parents gave the name of Joseph Nabulione, or, as a secondary spelling would have it, Joseph Napoleone, or, Napoleon. The latter name, though appearing in the birth-record of the family, was dropped in the case of the oldest son, Joseph only being retained. It was the custom of the age, in the case of the death of children, to repeat their names for those born afterward. Nor was there anything exact, as in the customs of the nineteenth century, in the spelling employed.

The surname, as well as the given names, in the family of Buonaparte fluctuated into many forms, and gave rise to some discussion and confusion afterwards. One story ran to the effect that Napoleon Bonaparte was born January 7th, 1768, and Joseph about nineteen months afterwards, that is, August 15th, 1769. It was believed at one time that the father interchanged the dates of the birth of his two eldest sons, in order to get Napoleon into the military academy before his tenth year—a thing necessary under the law. But it is now known that no such thing occurred. The only ground for the invention of the fiction was the fact that Joseph's middle name was originally Nabulione, and that this name, in a modified form, was afterwards conferred on the younger son. True, the Corsican Jacob was destined from birth to clutch the heel of Esau, and to supplant him in history. The elder was to serve the younger; but this was to be effected, not by a trick of the father, but by the eternal law of the strongest!

The estate of Carlo di Buonaparte, though augmented by his intermarriage with the Ramolino family, was unequal to his tastes and desires. He possessed a property at Corte, and another in Ajaccio. To the latter he came back in the early part of 1769, and established himself in the house where Napoleon was born. The homestead di Buonaparte was favorably situated. The house is still in excellent preservation. It is four stories in height. From the upper windows one may see the ocean. The building is stuccoed, is rectangular, and has a flat roof, with a small cupola, from which the flag of France was flying at the time when the first emperor of the French came into the world.

About the birth of great men cycles of fiction grow. Friends and enemies alike invent significant circumstances. The traducers of Napoleon have said that he was illegitimate—that his father was the French marshal Marbœuf. They also say, on better grounds, that the marriage of Letitia Ramolino to Carlo Buonaparte was not solemnized until 1767—that the first two children were therefore born out of wedlock. On the other hand, the idol worshipers would fain have Napoleon born as a god or Titan. Premature pangs seize the mother at church. She hurries home, barely reaching her apartment when the heroic babe is delivered, without an accoucher, on a piece of tapestry inwrought with an effigy of Achilles! This probably occurred. It was the 15th of August, 1769. As a matter of fact, there was no omen in heaven or earth—no sign that a beautiful peasant had been delivered of a conqueror!

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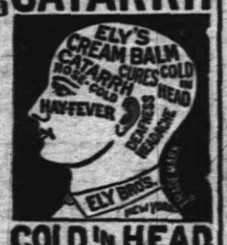

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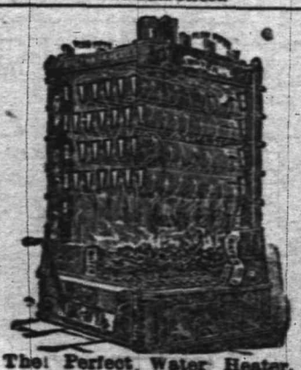

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8 21 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

6 45 A. M. Sunday for Easton, Bethlehem Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Wilkesbarre and Scranton. 8 26 a.m. Sundays for Easton, 2 05 p. m. Sundays for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Reading and Harrisburg, 6,55 p.m. Sundays for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, &c. and at Junction for D. L. & W. R. R.

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R. C. Pease, Dictator.
H. A. Thorne, Reporter. 2 6 tf

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T. A. Rogers, Secretary.

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Chas. Yeager, Secretary.
Dr. D. C. Adams, W. M.

Plainfield Council, No. 711, Royal Arcanum.—The regular meetings of this Council are held on the Second and Fourth Monday evenings of each month in Exempt Firemen's Hall, Coward's Building, Park avenue, at 8 P. M.

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THIRTEEN DAYS MORE

Congressional Work Drawing to a Close.

Discussion on the Naval Appropriation Bill—Battle Ships and Torpedo Boats Wanted—Cost of Postal Cars and General Expenses Considered. Indebtedness of Pacific Railroads.

Washington, Feb. 16.—After the passage of a few private bills at the opening of the session, which occurred at 11 o'clock a. m., yesterday, the house proceeded to consider the naval appropriation bill for the year ending June 30, 1896. By agreement general debate was ordered to be closed at 2 o'clock to-day. The discussion was devoted to the paragraph providing for the increase of the navy by the construction of three battle ships and nine torpedo boats. This was advocated by Messrs. Pendleton (dem., W. Va.), Dolliver (rep., Ia.), Money (dem., Miss.), Wendock (dem., Mich.), and Meyer (dem., La.); and opposed by Messrs. Simpson (pop., Kan.), and Everett (dem., Mass.). A conference was ordered on the senate amendments to the house joint resolution, extending for this year only from March 1 to April 15, the time within which income tax returns may be made. At 5 o'clock, under the rule, the house took a recess until 8 p. m., the evening session to be for the consideration of private pension bills.

Cut Down the Appropriation.

The last steps were taken by the senate in the disposition of the post-office appropriation bill which has been under consideration every day since Monday. A final effort was made on the part of the committee on appropriations to reduce the compensation of the railroad companies for the use of postal cars, in the shape of an amendment offered by Mr. Blackburn (dem., Ky.) to cut down the appropriation of $3,205,000 to the extent of 10 per cent.; and the senate decided against it—yeas, 19; nays 36. It had negatived previously a similar proposition, which had come over from Thursday and which applied only to the fast mail service from Springfield, Mass., to Atlanta, and New Orleans—the vote on that proposition being yeas 18, nays 31.

Then an effort was made by Mr. Brice (dem., O.) to have the $196,000, which is appropriated for this latter service, divided with a similar fast line in the west, from Ohio to Florida. But this met with no more favor than the others and was laid on the table by a vote of 33 to 23. And then the bill was passed. The aggricultural appropriation bill followed, and had not been finally acted on when the senate adjourned. There was considerable discussion over an amendment reported from the committee on appropriations, for a modification of the law relating to the inspection of cattle and meats for exportation; and Mr. Platt (rep., Conn.) opposed any change in the law that looked to the propitiation of Germany. This amendment and others relating to irrigation, plants and seeds, etc., went over to be further discussed and acted on to-day.

Abolish the Duty on Sugar.

The house bill to abolish the differential duties on sugar was reported favorably, and without amendment from the finance committee and was placed on the calendar, with a resolution offered by Mr. Aldrich (rep., R. I.) to recommit it with instructions looking to the re-enactment of the reciprocity and sugar bounty provisions of the McKinley act, and to the re-imposition of a duty on wool.

Mr. Butler (dem., S. C.) made a speech in advocacy of the pooling bill, but made no effort to have the bill brought before the senate.

Including to-day and Monday March 4, the day on which this congress expires by law there remain but thirteen legislative days.

Other Measures Considered.

The house has still two appropriation bills, the naval and general deficiency, to dispose of. After these are out of the way the house can devote its time to any measures that may be called up. The committee on rules allots time for the consideration of all matters of importance and is constantly swamped with requests from members for recognition and from chairman of committee for days in which to dispose of measures reported by their committees.

Committees have not had a great deal of time this session owing to the pressure of appropriation bills and financial matters; so that the demand is greater now than at any time during this congress.

Chairman Reilly of the Pacific railroads committee is anxious to have the house consider the bill reported by his committee looking to the settlement of the indebtedness of the Pacific railroads. Mr. Fithian of Illinois, chairman of the merchant marine and fisheries, has been trying for the past two months to have his "free ship" bill considered. The committee on interstate and foreign commerce have a large number of bridge, lighthouse and other bills on the calendar which it wishes to pass; also the Nicaragua canal bill.

Died with Their Mother.

New Castle, Ky., Feb. 16.—Mrs. Frank Jones and her two children were burned to death last night while sleeping in their house near Drennon Springs and Jones was so badly burned that he will die.

NEW YORK MARKETS.

WHEAT—Dull. No. red, 59c.

CORN—Quiet. No. 2, 50⅝c.; steamer, 49⅜c.

OATS—Quiet. No. 2 white, 36½@37¼c.; No. 2 mixed, 34c.

PORK—Steady. Extra prime, 13.00@15.50; mess, 11.25@12.25.

LARD—Dull. May, 6.95.

BUTTER—Quiet. Creamery, state, fall made, 13@19c.; creamery, western extras, 25c.

CHEESE—Firm. State, full cream, fancy, 11½c.; common to fair, 9@9¾c.

EGGS—Weak. Western, 26c.

BEEVES—Steady. Inferior to choice, 4.00@5.20; dressed native sides, 7½@9c.

SHEEP—Steady. Medium to good, 3.00@4.50; dressed mutton, 7@8c.

LAMBS—Firm. Common to prime, 4.65@6.00; dressed lambs, 8½@10c.

HEAVY SNOW IN THE SOUTH.

Business Suspended—Merchants Employ Their Time in Snowballing.

Savannah, Ga., Feb. 16.—Two inches of snow fell last night. It is the second snow storm experienced here in many years and the city gave itself up to hilarity. Business practically suspended during the forenoon and the business men spent the day snowballing.

Jacksonville, Fla., Feb. 16.—Snow was general throughout western and northern Florida last night. In Washington county, the ground is covered to a depth of six inches, a situation unprecedented in Florida's weather records.

Columbus, Ga., Feb. 16.—This city had the heaviest snowstorm in over half a century before daybreak yesterday morning. The city is clothed in a mantle of white and it was an unusual sight that greeted the early risers. A heavy sleet fell throughout the morning and snowballing was indulged in by old and young.

Birmingham, Ala., Feb. 16.—The severe weather has culminated in a severe snowstorm. Snow has been falling here since daybreak. It measures five inches on the level and is still coming down.

THE MINERS' CONVENTION.

Investigating Charges Against McBride—Guilty, But Not Proven.

Columbus, O., Feb. 16.—The first order of business to come before the miners' convention when it convened was the election of officers, but it was postponed. The report of the committee appointed to investigate the charges of Mark Wild against John McBride was submitted by T. L. Lewis of Ohio. It was as follows:

"Your committee appointed to investigate the charges of bribery preferred by Mark Wild against John McBride held a meeting and after hearing all the evidence that had any bearing on the case, we beg leave to report that there is not sufficient evidence to prove bribery." The report is signed by all the members of the committee. T. T. O'Malle, of Ohio, opposed the adoption of the committee's report. He said it was the same old Scotch verdict "not proven."

BALTIMOREANS SHIPWRECKED.

Took Lifeboats and Reached Roanoke Island in Safety.

Baltimore, Feb. 16—A private telegram was received here yesterday announcing that a party of Baltimoreans had been shipwrecked on Roanoke island, off the coast of North Carolina. Mr. S. G. Waters, of this city, was one of the party and the sender of the telegram.

The steamer in which the party was traveling was caught in one of the recent severe storms and wrecked a short distance from the island. The passengers took to the lifeboats and reached land in safety. They are still upon the island. It is probable that the secretary of the navy will be asked to send a revenue cutter to their relief.

WILL MILL AND MINE GOLD.

Ex-Editor of the Newark Times One of the Incorporators.

Newark, N. J., Feb. 16.—The Newark Consolidated Milling & Mining company filed papers of incorporation with the county clerk yesterday. Its purpose is to mill and mine gold, silver, iron, copper and other precious metals in Clipin county, Col.

The offices of the company are to be in this city and Central City, Col. Its capital stock is placed at $150,000, and that amount will be used to begin business with. These are the incorporators: James Weaver and Frank Holt, of this city, and Thomas C. Barr, of East Orange.

Found the Boy Hanging.

Troy, N. Y., Feb. 16.—Ernest Winters, 10 years old, attempted suicide yesterday in the Parsons public school, Hoosick Falls. The boy was reprimanded by his teacher for disobedience, and shut up in the cloak room. Some time after, the teacher found the pupil suspended from a hook and unconscious. Winters had buckled a skate strap round his neck, and tucked a mitten between the strap and his neck to make the noose tight. Mr. Dillon, the teacher, released the boy, and succeeded in reviving him.

Want an Advance in Wages.

Niantic, Conn., Feb. 16.—The granite cutters of this section and from Stony Creek will hold a meeting in Westerly, R. I., next week to arrange a new schedule of wages for the Manufacturers' association. It is proposed by the granite cutters here to ask for an advance of 4 per cent. in wages. It is not believed that the demand will precipitate a strike, since the men say that the manufacturers have practically agreed to the new wage schedule.

Legislature Has Adjourned.

Indianapolis, Feb. 16.—Pierre Gray, son of the dead minister to Mexico, says that his father's body will be brought here at once for burial. The funeral will be a large and notable one, many organizations from over the state having already signified their intention to attend. The body will probably lie in state at the capitol building. The legislature has adjourned out of respect to the memory of the ex-governor.

The Way of the Editor Is Hard.

City of Mexico, Feb. 16.—A sensation has been created in newspaper circles by the arrest and solitary confinement in Belem prison of Jose Candera de Velasca, managing editor of La Raza Latina. The warrant was issued by Judge Velazquez and the charge is abuse of public officials through the columns of his newspaper. Velasco is one of the most prominent newspaper men in Mexico.

Two Killed; One Injured.

Towanda, Pa., Feb. 16.—By the explosion of a boiler in the Cobb sawmill near this city, Fireman Theodore Pencil and a teamster named John Mack were instantly killed. Frank Myers, a mill hand, was fatally injured. The explosion nearly demolished the building and the noise could be heard for miles.

Gloversville Indebtedness.

Albany, Feb. 16.—Gov. Morton has signed chapter 20, authorizing Gloversville to issue $23,000 in bonds to pay certain indebtedness and chapter 21, amending generally the charter of Gloversville.

THE PRESIDENT'S PLEA

Miss Willard's Account of the Monster Petition.

Houses of Shame, Dens of Vice and Opium Joints Included in the Campaign—An Appeal to the Government—A Protest of Sorrow and Not of Anger.

Washington, Feb. 16.—Miss Frances E. Willard, president of the National and of the World's W. C. T. U., in speaking on "The Origin of the Petition" at the convention in session here, said:

Home protection is the key word of woman's work. Manufacturers seek the tariff for the purpose of protection to industries, adult and infant; trades unions are founded to protect the wage worker from the aggressions of capital, and corporations and monopolies to protect capital from the encroachments of competition, but the white ribbon movement, local, state, national and international, seeks protection for the home, and is the shining forth of the "hearthfire's ruddy glow" and a "light in the window for thee."

This polyglot petition is but our prayer that "tells out" a purpose of our hearts, and has been wrought into a plea before the nations of the world. The petition is the protest of the world's wifehood and motherhood, its sisterhood and daughterhood—a protest "in sorrow, not in anger." We expect to present this petition to representatives of every civilized government. This cannot be done in the usual form, because when once received this magna charta of the home would become the property of the various legislatures and parliaments, and our plan requires that it be conveyed from one to another.

Those Houses of Shame.

We are also aware that in a legal and technical sense no government accepts the signatures of those outside its own barriers. We have therefore preferred to make our petition a great popular testimonial against the enemies of the home, but we expect that its presentation will give an added impetus to progressive legislation against the liquor traffic, the opium trade, the gambling den, the house of shame. For, while the last two are not specifically named, they are so closely interwoven with the traffic in alcohol and opium that the spirit of the petition necessarily includes them all.

Because we are patriots we have come to the capital of our native land to present this petition first of all in the country in which it originated, and which has sent out all the white ribbon missionaries who have secured its circulation in foreign countries. We present it to members of the United States senate and house of representatives, and we expect to secure a hearing, with the petition for its basis, before committees of those two bodies. We have sent a copy of the petition to every officer connected with our national legislature, and as a matter of courtesy to every member of the United States government.

With Clear Brain.

The following is the form of the petition of the World's Woman's Christian Temperance union for the protection of the home, addressed to the governments of the world:

"Honored Rulers, Representatives and Brothers:

"We, your petitioners, although belonging to the physically weaker sex, are strong of heart to love our homes, our native land and the world's family of nation.

"We know that clear brains and pure hearts make honest lives and happy homes, and that by these the nations prosper, and the time is brought nearer when the world shall be at peace.

"We know that indulgence in alcohol and opium, and in vices that disgrace our social life makes misery for all the world, and most of all for us and our children.

"We know that stimulants and opiates are sold under legal guarantees which make the government partners in the traffic, by accepting as revenue a portion of the profits, and we know, with shame, that they are often forced by treaty upon populations, either ignorant or unwilling.

"We know that the law might do much now left undone to raise the moral tone of society and render vice difficult.

"We have no power to prevent these great iniquities, beneath which the whole world groans, but you have the power to redeem the honor of the nations from an indefensible complicity.

"We, therefore, come to you with united voices of representative women of every land, beseeching you to raise the standard of the law to that of Christian morals, to strip away the safeguards and sanctions of the state from the drink traffic and the opium trade, and to protect our homes by the total prohibition of these curses of civilization throughout all the territory over which your government extends."

They All Sign It.

Though this is a woman's petition, it should be noted that it is endorsed by perhaps 1,000,000 men—some of personal signatures, but most by the attestation of the officers of societies to which they belong. Thus the Salvation Army has indorsed it with its 300,000 members; the Good Templars have put their 570,000 names upon it by attestation; the Universal Peace union has signed it in this way, and innumerable societies and conventions have swelled the list; the United Society of Christian Endeavor has alone added 2,000,000 names, while innumerable churches and church societies will swell the total by 1,000,000 more. Even from far off Ceylon, which we are accustomed to think of as a small island of dusky savages, come the signatures of 27,000 men; who call for the cessation of the liquor and opium traffic.

"I Forgive All; May God Forgive Me."

St. Louis, Feb. 16.—The corpse of an unknown man, supposed to be C. J. Grosse, of Kansas City, was found in a passenger car closet yesterday. The train arrived from Kansas City. In an account book found on the body the following was written: "I forgive all. May God forgive me." The train crew recognized the corpse as that of a passenger from Kansas City.

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Beginning at the intersection of Park avenue and Mountain avenue in the township of Fanwood, and running thence southeasterly along Park avenue to its intersection with Midway avenue.

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And for that purpose prays that the permission of your honorable body may be granted to it, to construct, operate and maintain such railway, to be operated by electricity or other motive power, except steam, upon and along the above named streets, avenues, lanes, roads, highways and public places within the said township of Fanwood.

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EPWORTH LEAGUE.

Lesson For the Week Beginning Feb. 17. Comment by Rev. Walter J. Yates, A. M. Topic, The Showbread.

BIBLE READINGS.—Ex. xxv, 23-30; Heb. ix, 2.

Nearly every religion of antiquity recognized in some manner the fact that the fertility of the earth, yielding harvests and sustaining man by food, was due to a divine power above man. In many lands the thought took form as an image of the nourishing mother. Such was Diana of the Ephesians. The Hebrew mode of teaching this fact was peculiar and conveyed a deeper spiritual meaning than the other religions. In the tabernacle, and afterward in the temple, a table overlaid with gold was placed in the holy place half way down the north side and opposite the golden candelabrum. On this were laid 12 loaves of bread. They were made of oblong shape ten hand breadths long and five wide and seven fingers thick. They were placed in two piles of six each, the loaves being separated from each other by rods of wood covered with gold. A gold cup was placed on top of each pile of bread to receive frankincense. This is the traditional account. The bread was replaced each Sabbath with fresh loaves. The frankincense was burned on the altar, and the bread eaten by the priests.

The probable intention of this observance was to keep ever in the mind of the people the truth that God is the nourisher both of body and soul. It was not a sacrificial offering of the people to the Deity, but an object of the Divine sustenance of all things physical and spiritual. The true spirit is best expressed in the reply of Jesus to the tempter in the wilderness, "Man shall not live by bread alone, but by every word which proceeds out of the mouth of God." The type was fulfilled in Christ himself, who is the real bread of life. The New Testament idea is that all God's true followers are priests and are to feed, not occasionally on consecrated things, but continually in heart and outer life, "Whether ye eat or drink, or whatsoever ye do, do all to the glory of God." Every meal should be a true sacrament received with devout thankfulness, so that as physical power is recuperated the inner life is also renewed by Divine grace.

Temperance Work.

The cause of total abstinence and saloon suppression has made wonderful advance in recent years. No more efficient aid for this great reform can be found than that offered in the hosts of the young people of the different denominational societies. The Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor has been active in many places, both in pledge work and efforts to secure public municipal action. The Epworth League gives this cause a prominent place under one of the departments and has firm basis for all her work in the resolutions of the general conference regarding the liquor traffic, "it can never be legalized without sin." "It is the duty of every Christian to wage ceaseless warfare against it."

Christian Temperance League.

The need that all the separate forces of temperance workers be combined is apparent. How to accomplish that result is not so clear. That such an end will be reached eventually seems probable. Looking toward this, the last general conference of the Methodist Episcopal church appointed a permanent committee of 15 to have oversight of the formation of a Christian Temperance league, with branches in every charge, and to unite with similar organizations in other denominations. The membership of the society is to include all members of the congregation willing to unite for practical effort in suppressing the liquor traffic. This may not be the final form of society under which victory will be won, but it is a step forward and marks distinct advance in method and spirit.

Slow, but Sure.

The teaching of a few children Sunday after Sunday the simple, commonplace truths of the Bible and Christian living may not seem attractive as an occupation or valuable in result. Reform work among adults; revivals, with many conversions and apparent progress, seem much more attractive, but in the long spaces of time work with the children will be found to yield returns inferior to no other effort in Christ's cause. Growth may be slow, but it is sure. Secure the children of this generation, and the next generation of adults will need no reform and conversion, since they will have been rightly formed and turned in early years and will not depart from that right way. Look out for the children!

Chattanooga In June.

There are few more delightful place in the country than eastern Tennessee in the latter part of spring and early in summer. The selection of Chattanooga for holding the international Epworth League convention, June 27-30, 1895, was a wise decision. Arrangements for the grandest gathering ever held by young Methodism are well in hand. Excursions from all parts of the land are already planned. That will be a grand time of "lifting up" in all respects. "Let every one look up" to the Master for his special guidance. Who can forecast the momentous issues which may lie hidden in that gathering! What possibilities for the future of our beloved Methodism and the kingdom of God at large! May many who attend the convention climb a Lookout mount in spirit and get extended views of the beautiful landscape of a God given heritage. Old battlefields are good places for fraternal gatherings.

Jews In Palestine.

Bishop Blyth of Jerusalem says that about 100,000 Jews have entered Palestine during the last seven years, and the arrival of a vaster host is imminent. No one can forecast the extent of Jewish immigration to that land during the next seven years.

CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR—COMMENT BY REV. S. H. DOYLE.

TOPIC.—Lessons from the parable of the good Samaritan.—Luke x, 25-37. (A missionary topic.)

The parallel of the good Samaritan is recorded by Luke alone. We do not know either the time when or the place where it was spoken. It is probable that it was during one of Christ's public discourses, when He was interrupted by the lawyer who asked Him what He should do to inherit eternal life. In answer Christ asked him what the law said, and he replied, "Thou shalt love the Lord thy God, * * * and thy neighbor as thyself." Probably to vindicate himself the lawyer further inquires, "Who is my neighbor?" to which question Christ replies with the parable of the good Samaritan, to the lessons of which our topic directs us.

1. We learn from this parable the brotherhood of man. This was the great lesson it was to teach. The lawyer was a Jew. He had been taught that the word neighbor was limited by nationality and religion; that people of a different nationality and religion had no just claims upon him, and therefore in fulfilling all his obligations to his own people he obeyed the command to love his neighbors as himself. But Christ wished to teach him differently and did so by making him admit that a Samaritan, between whom and the Jews there was no affiliation or association, had proved himself neighbor to an unfortunate Jew who had been waylaid by thieves when he had compassion on him and helped him rather than men of his own race who had looked upon him and had passed by without assisting him. This is the one great lesson taught by this parable—that all men are our brothers, our neighbors; that nationality and religion do not separate men so that the one has no obligations toward the other. As God is our common Father, so all men are our brothers, and we are each our brother's keeper.

2. We may learn also the estimation which the world places upon pharisaism. Christ may not have intended particularly to hold up the priest and Levite to the scorn and ridicule of the world. He may have used them simply to emphasize the character of the Samaritan, and yet the result has been the same. The world ever since has held them up but to heap scorn and ridicule and abuse upon them, and in so doing it has without qualification condemned pharisaism in any form.

3. We may learn the beauty of sympathy and self sacrince. The Samaritan saw before him a fellow creature in need of his help. He sympathized with him, and sacrificing his race and religious prejudices he helped him. His action has always been praised and lauded. The church and the world never tire of singing his praises. "Go and do thou likewise." On the highway of life many have been robbed and plundered of things more dear than physical life and earthly possessions. They need your help. They need you to carry or send the gospel to them. Be a good Samaritan and do it.

Bible Readings.—Gen. iv, 8-12; Lev. xix, 18; Ps. xxxv, 11-14; Prov. xix, 17; Math. v, 43, 44; xxviii, 19, 20; Luke vi, 31; John xiii, 34; Acts i, 8, xvi, 9-12; Gal. vi, 2; I John iii, 17; iv, 20, 21.

Christian Endeavor Churches.

A recent speaker before the Christian Endeavor union of Manchester repeated the old charge against Christian Endeavor—that it was founding a separate denomination, giving as proof the fact that already several Christian Endeavor churches had been built. American editors, I am glad to say, have learned that these "Christian Endeavor churches" have all been built by the regular denominational boards of home missions of the various denominations, with money furnished at their invitation by the Christian Endeavorers of those denominations. That is all there is to that charge.—John Willis Baer.

The Best Commandment.

The fourth commandment is the test commandment of the ten, the very keystone of the arch. Again and again it has been made the starting point, the entering wedge of great moral changes. It is the strategic point. It sounds the keynote. That man who has little or no regard for the Lord's day has within him the moral tone of an idolater, a thief, a liar, a murderer. That government which fails to observe the command, "Remember the Sabbath day to keep it holy," sets a premium on every sin of the decalogue.—M. D. Kneeland, D. D.

How to Reduce the Number of Heathen.

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NEVER SAW HIS BOSS.

Set Russ the Business So Well that His Employer Is Rich and Happy.

George E. Vanderhoef, the popular manager of the Great A and P Tea Co. of 137 and 139 West Front street, informs The Press that he entered the employ of George F. Gilman, the owner and proprietor of the West Front street store who is also the owner of some two hundred other stores in all parts of the United States, in the year 1879, some sixteen years ago, and that he did not at that time nor has he ever since seen Mr. Gilman, his principal and employer, and would not know him on the street if he should meet him; and if Mr. Gilman should come to the Front street store he would seriously object to his going behind the counter until he first introduced himself, and to Vanderhoef's knowledge he does not believe he has ever been to any of the stores which he Vanderhoef has been connected with. The whole business of two hundred stores is conducted through a superintendent and an assistant, with their main office in New York city. Mr. Gilman resides in Hartford, Conn.

Mr. Vanderhoef says that the business is conducted under such a perfect system that although he carries a large and very valuable stock, and has in his charge in the store and under his control an immense assortment of banquet lamps, crockery ware, and other goods to be given away, he can, if it becomes necessary, take an account of stock inside of two hours, showing exactly the stock on hand and the stock sold, and make out a full and complete inventory of the business.

Mr. Vanderhoef before coming to Plainfield was connected with one of Mr. Gilman's stores in Newark, where a very large and lucrative business was built up. Mr. Vanderhoof has a good personality, is very much of a gentleman, has cordiality of address with a warm greeting, and a pleasant smile and a kind word for all; and he informs The Press he takes great pleasure in showing anyone through the store, and explaining to them the workings of the beautiful little electric motor which is connected with the coffee mill, which is quite a curiosity in itself, and also to exhibit to them the very large collection of presents, and explain the system of tickets given for each pound of tea and coffee, and for each can of condensed milk, sold.

He is always willing to do this, whether they intend to purchase or not, and he extends to the public a cordial invitation to come into the beautiful store and look around.

Mr. Vanderhoef will no doubt build up a large and lucrative business in Plainfield, as he has marked ability.

Wigwam Jollity.

After the regular tribal session of Miantonomoh Tribe, Friday night, during which very interesting remarks were made by District Deputy John H. Carney, P. S., who has done so much in years past for this tribe that they never fail to honor him whenever opportunity affords, visiting President of the State Haymakers Association E. J. Lake of Jersey City, spoke most earnestly of the great benefit which will accrue to Redmen by universally adopting the new insurance feature which is now being agitated. Following President Lake were several brothers from Paugh-Caugh-Naugh-Sinque Tribe No. 193, all of whom made felicitous and interesting remarks. The resuscitation of the defunct loft of Haymakers, Miantonomah 118½ was begun immediately after the tribe session. Deputy President John H. Carney P. C. H. took charge of the ceremonies, modestly giving way in honor of President Lake during the conferring of the obligations. Deputy Carney was assisted by the degree team of the old established Hayloft, Paugh-Caugh-Naugh-Sinque 193½. Twenty-two tramps passed through the solemn and touching ordeal. It was after midnight when the party adjourned to the Crescent Hotel where a collation was served and the companions (those who did not already know him) had an opportunity to become better acquainted with genial State President Lake who is so popular with the members of 193½, as in fact, he is in every hayloft where he is known throughout the great farm of New Jersey.

The following officers were elected.
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K. of B.—Geo. Voehl,
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A GOLDEN ANNIVERSARY.

James Clark of Plainfield Signally Honored by St. Louis Odd Fellows.

From the Shoe and Leather Gazette of Feb. 14, which publishes a portrait of Mr. Clark in connection therewith, the following concerning a prominent Plainfielder is taken:

Few men live to celebrate the fiftieth anniversary of anything later than their birth. A half century is a good, long time, and the golden wedding period seldom finds husband and wife alive. More rare than this by far is the celebration of the fiftieth anniversary of membership in a fraternal organization.

This is an unique distinction which has fallen to the lot of James Clark, of James Clark & Co., the Nestor of the St. Louis leather trade.

On Saturday last Mr. Clark was notified that a new special degree would be conferred upon him that evening by St. Louis Lodge No. 5, I. O. O. F., at its hall. No. 5 is one of the oldest lodges in the city and is composed principally of old-time, solid merchants who have worked shoulder to shoulder with him these many years to build up and broaden the trade of St. Louis. The hall was filled with these old friends, with Grand Secretary E. M. Sloan in the chair, when Mr. Clark was called out to receive the new degree. The regular routine business of the evening had been completed and a choir had sung several selections when suddenly, in response to a call for a speech, Past Grand Master Edw. Wilkerson arose and with well-chosen words presented the astonished celebrant with a token of the esteem and high regard of his lodge friends.

As unusual as was the occasion, even more unusual was the token—a handsome album beautifully inscribed in gold with suitable sentiments. Every page contained a greeting or an historical reminiscence written in his own hand by each individual member, elaborately ornamented throughout with pen-work by members of the lodge, the whole comprising a beautiful souvenir of a striking nature and priceless to its recipient from the pleasant memories it awakens and the devoted friendship to which it bears testimony.

Mr. Clark has always taken a great interest in Odd Fellowship, and as long ago as 1849 had filled the chairs and was Noble Grand of his lodge. During that trying year the cholera scourge was prevalent in St. Louis, and the fraternal bonds were welded strong and firm by the affliction that beset the city.

Unfortunately, the precise date of Mr. Clark's first connection with St. Louis Lodge No. 5 is not known, the early records having been destroyed by fire a quarter of a century ago, but it was known that his initiation occurred between October, '44, and April, '45, and with this knowledge the event was planned and carried out so adroitly that Mr. Clark had not the faintest impression of what was to take place until amidst music and flowers the testimonial of his old friends was tendered him.

This is undoubtedly the first anniversary of its kind ever known in Missouri, and yet Mr. Clark is not an old man by any means. His strong, healthy body and firm, active tread are the envy of many a man half his years. Vigorous and hale, he bids fair to round out a full three-quarters of a century in Odd Fellowship. That he may do so is the sincere wish of his hundreds of friends.

And It Is Aggravating.

As a rule most people are intensely exasperated when, after wading through some exciting story in the newspaper which they have devoured with breathless interest, to find at the finish it is only a trap to advertise some wonderful soap or patent medicine. Of course its disappointing, but just consider how cleverly it's done, and, by the way, what a wonderful industry has been developed in this mode of advertising. Some of the great medicine firms pay their advertising agent as high as ten thousand dollars a year, and a certain manufacturer of soap pays his advertiser twenty-five thousand. Just think of it, and while you are thinking just remember that "She Couldn't Marry Three" is the best show on the road.

Did Their Work Well.

The work of taking the stenographic notes of the addresses of the Y. M. C. A. State Convention was done by George Strassuer and Edwin J. Handley, of the New York Stenographic Reporting Corps. They are both experts in this class of work, the former having officiated as stenographer at many of the noted murder trials in the metropolis—notably the Carlyle Harris and Maggie Fuller cases. Mr. Handley is only 20 years of age but is as fast and correct as many having extensive experience.

—Ground was broken this morning for George B. Naylor's new house, corner of Berkman street and La Grandk avenue.

O. W. O. Hardman, sheriff of Tyler Co., W. Va., appreciates a good thing and does not hesitate to say so. He was almost prostrated with a cold when he procured a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. He says: "It gave me prompt relief. I find it to be an invaluable remedy for coughs and colds." For sale at Reynolds's pharmacy, Park and North aves. T. S. Armstrong, manager.

END OF CONVENTION.

State Y. M. C. A. Delegates Say Goodbye to Plainfield.

ROUSING MEETINGS ALL SUNDAY.

Boys, Women and Men Have Special Sessions—Powerful Addresses by Leading Men—Impressive Farewell Service Crowds the First Baptist Church.

The twenty-sixth annual Y. M. C. A. State Convention came to an end with most impressive services yesterday.

Saturday afternoon from 2 to 3 the time of the convention was taken up with sectional conferences in the different rooms of the Association building.

Educational work was expounded by A. B. Clemens of this city, and George B. Hodge of New York, to a number of young people interested in that line of work, the subject being "What to do, and how to do it".

William D. Murray conducted a Bible study in Association Hall for those who are seeking knowledge in this direction. "The study of the Bible as literature" was considered.

"How to conduct men's meetings" was the theme on which H. A. Cozzens of Newark made observations to a circle of delegates who look after this important work in their home associations.

Sumner F. Dudley of Orange, with whom all the younger element have sought advice and instruction, was in Room 4 with the juveniles, and disseminated practical ideas among them.

William E. Drake of Jersey City led the discussion on district work, and offered many practical propositions as to successfully coping with it, and to make work effective.

The railroad work conference was led by W. C. Fenno of New York with a paper on "Best results in railroad work: in what direction are they to be secured"?

At the conclusion of the conferences, the convention was adjourned to the First Baptist Church, where a large audience was present to hear the address of Dr. A. T. Pierson of Philadelphia, in place of J. T. Swift of Tokyo, Japan, who was unable to be present. The speaker possesses a deliberate delivery. He spoke of the Holy Spirit.

The Holy Spirit—he said—is to every living believer the same inspiration that the personality of Christ was when He was here in life. Whatever Christ would have been to the disciples had He remained here on earth the Holy Spirit is to be and will be to the followers of Him today. The Holy Spirit is one of the most stupendous mysteries which theologists have to grasp. No man understands the sin of not believing in Christ until the Spirit prompts him to realize it; other sins he realizes by his own intuition. The Spirit strengthens and quickens the mentality of man. In his own case he never committed or used notes for the line of thought on which he desired to talk, but instead depended on the Spirit to prompt and quicken his intellect, and he knew it to be a demonstration of an indisputable fact. You cannot contemplate good things without becoming better yourself; and thus it is concerning the work of God—become engrossed of Him, and you will become more godlike.

A parlor conference for the college delegates was held between 4:30 and 7 at the home of Fred H. Andrews on Central avenue. The occasion was a pleasant one, and papers were read imparting considerable practical knowledge to those in attendance. At the close of the conference a dinner was served.

The evening session, continued in the First Baptist Church, was addressed by Thomas Cochran of St. Paul, Minn., and Robert E. Speer of New York. Mr. Cochran opened his talk first, and spoke of the difference of the college student from other classes of young men. How, to a certain extent, they were isolated from the home training and influence, when away at school, and their need of some directing spirit to pursue the path of virtue and right. The capacities of the college men were greater than most others, but only a small percentage ever engaged in religious work or even professed Christianity. Therefore, there was a field open for laborers in this direction.

Mr. Speer followed, and though a young man discussed the subject of "A working creed for a college man", with a logic and conception that evinced a thorough study of the problem. He said that some thought Christianity was a dogma, while others thought it life. He considered that it was a mixture of both. There were some people who were all-wise and discussed and tried to solve all the momentous problems of the day. Following out this plan their efforts were all wasted. Each should centre his mind on some one special subject, and then results were most liable to accrue. A creed could be defined as a great principle, supplemented with well defined opinion.

A creed, he considered, acted as a barrier to keep out of your circle those with whom you don't agree, and to keep in those with whom you do. He believed in ambition and passion. When a person confesses Christ he did not want to see those characteristics eliminated from his life, but instead used with renewed energy in the cause of God. He believed in identification with great issues for the sake of the cause—not for the sake of self. Men looking for their own glorification were the greatest barrier encountered in the consummation of great movements.

At the close of the address the business committee announced that they were ready to receive applications from delegates for the designation of the next place of holding the convention. As no applications were made, on motion the matter was referred to the executive committee for decision.

Yesterday afternoon the meeting held in Music Hall was attended by a large concourse of men—both young and old. The service was conducted by Rev. J. H. Elliott, who in this line of work was in his element. He told "An Old Love Story" and eloquently and convincingly told the Gospel news. He has an entertaining and persuasive manner of talk in receiving converts to the religious life, and at this meeting a number in the audience proffered a desire to start anew in life's way.

The meeting was opened by a song service, conducted by B. Frank Butts, and the audience made the hall resound with their melodies of the Gospel hymns which acted as a tonic in warming up their souls to a proper appreciation of the splendid talk which followed by the leader. As a Scripture lesson he read a few verses from the first chapter of John. His text was from John 3-16: "For God so loved the world that He gave His only begotten son that whosoever believeth in Him should not perish, but have everlasting life". This verse, he said, was the very essence of the teachings of the Bible. It meant more than any other portion of the teachings, and one who could fully realize this great sacrifice made by God, enjoyed to a greater extent the fruition of His words.

The infidel told you that God was a hard taskmaster, but He is a God of love in all its meaning. The man who loved Deity alone through nature, generally took along a beer keg to assist him in that direction. A good many told you that they were doing the best they could, but when it came down to a fact they were not doing anything of the kind.

If God did the best he could in giving Jesus Christ to save the world, the best you can do is to accept the gift. A number of the delegates furnished testimony of their experience, and through cards over 50 men and boys expressed a wish to live better lives.

Announcement was also made that meetings will be held in the Y. M. C. A. Assembly Hall every night this week, with F. B. Hoagland as leader. The Parks sisters, cornetists, will assist in furnishing the music at the meetings.

An after-meeting was held in the hall at the close of the regular meeting, in which testimony was offered to encourage those who had professed a desire to live a new life. Much enthusiasm was manifested by those who remained.

Prayer for young men in foreign mission lands was the topic treated in Assembly Hall at 2:30 Sunday afternoon.

Mr. Swift was to lead, but was called away by the death of his father. In his place was H. J. Scudder, returned from four years in Madras. Mr. Walter led the singing. There were ready responses, and much spirituality was manifested.

The boys meeting at 4 Sunday afternoon in Association Hall was one of those which will long be remembered. The youthful congregation was large. The meeting was led by Sumner F. Dudley, and began with a service of song. A piano and clarionet aided the strong manly voices and the service was very impressive. After prayer and an autoharp solo by Mr. Blackwell, Mr. Dudley made a few remarks on the story of Jesus and Nicodemus, and applied it to modern life, telling in a straightforward, earnest way how to inherit eternal life. Silent prayer followed, and he asked all who would now start in the new life to raise their hands. Then came the most effective part of the service, over thirty boys expressing a desire to become followers of Jesus and enter into the happy estate of a Christian. An after-meeting was held, in which the new converts were counseled in their change of life, and encouraged to continue in the straight and narrow path.

A preparation meeting was held in Association Hall yesterday morning. Robert E. Speer was the leader, and made it a very helpful meeting for all.

After a short talk on why we should pray, by Mr. Speer, a number of short earnest prayers were offered. The room was well filled.

The women's meeting, held in the Trinity Reformed Church Sunday afternoon at 4, was largely attended. The meeting commenced with a song service, led by Horace J. Martin. Scripture reading and prayer by the leader, Mr. Cooper of the International Committee, followed, after which he made a short address. After a few introductory remarks, he told of the different kinds of Y. M. C. A. work: the city work, divided into the spiritual, educational, social and physical branches; the college associations and the great amount of good that is being done by them; the Railroad Y. M. C. A., and the splendid results it has accomplished; and the work among the Germans, colored people and Indians. He urged everyone to put themselves more in the place of the homeless young men and seek to aid them in their endeavor to lead a Christian life.

For the Railroad Department of the Y. M. C. A. service was held in the First M. E. Church Sunday evening. Rev. Dr. C. R. Barnes opened the meeting with the usual exercises, after which it was put in the hands of Jerry R. George as leader. After a few words of introduction, Mr. George called on each of the railroad men present to testify for three minutes.

Mr. Baker, a United States Expressman, was the first to speak. He testified of the great goodness of God and how He had aided the good work.

Mr. Lewis, an engineer on the D L & W was the next speaker, and told how the Railroad Y M C A had helped him and how many it was helping every day.

F W Weisenflue, a fireman on the D L & W, compared the Christian and his life to the fireman and his duties.

Mr. Burns, a brakeman on the same road, compared the dangers of life to a runaway train, and spoke of the great amount of work yet to be done.

Mr. Raritan, a machinist, gave some of his experiences in the Christian life and among the railroad men.

H. G. Peabody, the sweet singer of the railroad men, sang the testimony of the men on the railroad.

Tom Conan ended the testimonies with one straight from his honest heart. He told of the condition of the railroad men many years ago and of their improvement, and then added the story of his conversion.

H. A. Lesse of Elmira was introduced by Mr. George, and told of how he had been lifted up from the depths of sin and how he had become a "man". Then, in his plain and simple way, he counseled all his hearers to follow his example.

After a hymn Rev Dr C R Barnes closed the meeting with the benediction.

The union services at the Crescent Avenue Church last evening opened with a selection by the Young Men's Christian Association double male quartette. After this J. H. Elliott read as a Scripture lesson part of the sixteenth chapter of St. John. Dr. Richards then led in prayer, and spoke a few words.

J. H. Elliott, the first speaker of the evening, took his text from the last chapter of first Chronicles, "And who is willing to consecrate his services this day to the Lord?" In his discourse he dwelt on the words consecration and service. He said there were more people dying from being rusty in church work than there were from overwork, and gave many illustrating incidents, some of which were taken from his own experience.

People could not do more real service for the Lord than in inviting people to the church and in speaking a few kind words to them when inside. Much of the church work was simply dress parade, as it were, and not real service, and if one used the same energy in bringing people to Christ as he does in social life or business, much more would be accomplished. He closed his talk with these words "Service for Christ brings blessing untold".

After the choir had sang "Nearer My God to Thee", Thomas Cochran of St. Paul was introduced.

He said that the Y. M. C. A. had the effect of bringing young men into more active service in the work of the different churches. He asked this question, "What shall the convention in this city accomplish?" One never knows what real love is until some severe trial has come, and the trial in this case is with the souls of men. He offered in closing this motto for Christians: "More, Lord Jesus, More."

The meeting was closed to permit those who wished, to attend the farewell meeting in the First Baptist Church.

The union meeting in the First Baptist Church at 7:30 p. m. was presided over by Pastor Yerkes, who opened with prayer. The first speaker was Jas. E. Swain, secretary of the college associations. He said that the blood of Jesus Christ tells of the great sacrifice God made for us, and we must realize the preciousness of the sacrifice to appreciate the redemption price that was paid that the world might be saved. Take away sin and you take away sorrow and distress. The blood of Christ secures forgiveness, peace, sanctification, and justification, and cleanses all who accept it as a saving power, for it was shed to save sinners.

Robert E. Speer of New York next spoke of the lack of aggressiveness on the part of those who profess Christianity to use their endeavors to secure more converts. There were too many, he said, who were afraid to use their powers of perseverance on their friends and acquaintances. There were various reasons to be assigned for their half-heartedness. A great many were high in social standing, and they feared if they prosecuted missionary work it might not be admired in their set. During political campaigns men were not averse to going among strangers and importuning them to support their particular cause and candidates, and there was no reason why they should not speak of God's cause to strangers with equal avidity and earnestness. Oftentimes one had the impulse to speak out, but their courage failed them and they kept putting it off. What was needed was more confidence, more pluck and a better understanding of the teachings of the Bible.

At 9, when the time came to call the farewell meeting of the convention to order, the church was packed with those anxious to hear the closing exercises. With the delegates grouped together in the front pews and the State Executive Committee seated on the platform, President Murray called the session to order.

The report of the Committee on Resolutions was first presented, and the substance of the preamble presented was that they rejoiced in the reports of increased membership, regretted the falling off in Bible and educational training departments; commended the diligent and efficient work of the State officers for the past year, and that an assistant be employed for State Secretary Arthur Lucas; they were encouraged by the good reports from nearly all departments, and especially congratulated the Plainfield Association on the handsome new building in which they were now located. They extended the most sincere thanks and were under great obligations to Plainfield citizens for the hospitality extended during the convention, and especially to the Christian Endeavor and Epworth League societies, churches and pastors for the interest displayed and courtesies extended to make the convention a success.

The Committee on Credentials reported that 215 delegates had been registered, as follows: International Committee, 5; State officers, 9; local delegates, 148; college delegates, 32; railroad delegates, 7; corresponding delegates, 6; visitors, 7.

President Murray announced that the State conventions of Iowa, Wisconsin and South Carolina, had sent greetings to them. And he was particularly pleased to state that the crowning work of the convention for Plainfield, was in the fact that in the boys meeting in the afternoon 33 had professed a desire to lead better lives, as had over 50 in the men's meeting in Music Hall. He said that now that the time had come for these to depart, he trusted that they might carry home some of the fire that had enthused them during the convention. The people of Plainfield had been glad to have them here for increasing the prospects of leading New Jersey to Jesus Christ.

As a parting message he wanted to read Mark x: 49, and from this secure encouragement to continue the work with vigor. Inasmuch as great blessings had been received, he thought that a short season of prayer would be proper. The suggestion was followed and a number of short prayers were invoked by delegates.

D. A. MacPhie followed next and said that some cried that the young men monopolized too much time and interest. This was an age for young men, and everything possible was being done to strengthen him morally, mentally, physically and spiritually. There were 900,000 young men in this country outside of the church, and when filled with true manliness, they would wield a great power. Their habits of life and thought were fixed early in life and the Y M C A was endeavoring to lead them into the proper channels.

L. C. Drake of Newark, president of the State Executive Committee, wanted the delegates to show their appreciation of the good they had received by pledging themselves that they would try and convert at least one sinner during the year.

Rev. J. F. Elliott said that the great audience present expresses the belief and confidence that Plainfield has in these young men and their work, and he, himself, had never mingled with a class of workers who had the spirit of God any more than these delegates had. He trusted that every one of them would go home carrying the good influence into every home they came in contact with. The meetings were like the good weather, the longer they lasted the better they were liked.

The closing talk of the convention was made by Robert E Speer. The convention might prove good and again dangerous to the delegates. Conventions are not a normal condition of Christian life—they are an excitement and urgency. Life is an even, unbroken devotion to Christ, and when you go out to do active work and run up against sinners you are liable to receive a chill. Though you may change but Christ will not, it is a splendid thing to realize what it means to have Him at our head. The trouble is that too many rest on their love towards God, rather than on God's love towards them. The way to steady your life throug the year is to follow implicitly theu nchangeable love of God.

The last act of the convention was for the delegates to join hands and sing "Blest be the tie that binds", which was rendered with much feeling. It was a most impressive and affecting scene.

President Murray then declared the 25th annual State Convention of the New Jersey Y. M. C. A. adjourned sine die.

Dr. Richards pronounced the benediction, after which the delegates had a general handshaking and departed greatly benefited by their attendance.

The Gospel in Hope.

After the regular Sunday-school session of Hope Chapel was over yesterday afternoon, the superintendent, H. C. Squires, had the pleasure of introducing to the scholars Robert E. Speer of Princeton College, who made a short address on the lesson which the scholars had just studied. He took for his subject the life of Christ. His remarks were very interesting, and he showed very plainly to his hearers the reward to be won if they would cross the line and come to Christ. During his remarks he related many incidents about people he had known who had come to grief by putting off this free and costless salvation. Mr. Speer is a very fine talker, and during his fifteen-minutes discourse he held his hearers' close attention. Short addresses were made by Mr. Swain, a delegate to the Y. M. C. A. Convention, and Rev. G. K. Newell, pastor of the chapel.

TWELVE DAYS OVERDUE.

The steamship City of St. Augustine, from Jacksonville for New York, is now twelve days overdue.

She has not been seen since Feb. 5.

A Cranford Suit.

The case of Lent against Rogers was tried before Justice Newcorn this morning. The plaintiff sued to recover a two per cent. commission agreed to be paid for furnishing architectural plans for building a house for the defendant at Cranford. The commissions amounted to $167.70, of which $82 had been paid, leaving $80.70 to be collected. The defense alleged that several of the bills were incorrect, and also placed in evidence counter-claims. Reed & Coddington were the attorneys for the plaintiff, the former trying the case, while George H. Bruce of New York was counsel for the defendant. Decision was reserved until tomorrow morning at 10. The summing up was made in an aggressive manner by both attorneys.

Sarcastic.

"Railroad Canal; look out for the Draw" was found hanging on the fence opposite the North Plainfield Public School this morning, at the point where the trolley tracks are submerged by water.

Settled Out of Court.

The new love story by Mrs. Alexander, "Settled Out of Court", begins on Page 2 of this issue, and is continued on Page 8. It will run through the week, and will be succeeded by "The Hollow Ruby" by Julian Hawthorne and "Between Scylla and Charybdis" by Mrs. E. Lynn Linton. All of these serials are brand-new and copyrighted to Daily Press use.

Sentence Suspended.

In the City Court this morning three young men were arraigned for disorderly conduct and making general nuisances of themselves at the North Avenue station late Saturday night. Judge Coddington warned them to keep away from the station hereafter, unless called there on business, and sentence was suspended.

Christian Poetry.

Dr. Donahue of Brooklyn will lecture next Thursday evening at 8:30, in the hall of the Catholic Young Men's Lyceum, on "Christian Poetry".

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The light of a fine evening in April was fading as the Dover boat rushed into Charing Cross station, and an army of porters boarded the luggage vans and opened the carriage doors.

From a first-class compartment stepped a young man of perhaps twenty-eight or thirty, above middle height and well set up. He wore a brown tweed suit and brown boots. He had also a bronzed complexion, handsome, good-humored, bold, brown eyes; brown, wavy hair and long mustaches, a shade or two lighter; in short, he was brown all over. He turned to the carriage and assisted a lady to alight, a small, slight girl, who looked little more than seventeen when she smiled or spoke. Her cheeks were pale, but her lips were ripe and rosy, while her dark, delicate eyebrows and lashes contrasted with her fair, reddish hair and deep blue, nearly black, eyes, big and lustrous.

She was dressed in black—very well dressed in the sense of freshness and becomingness—but not richly.

"Are your friends here to meet you?" asked the gentleman, taking a neat leather bag from the carriage and holding it for her, while he directed the porter to carry his valise and heavy overcoat.

"I expect a lady to meet me, but I have never seen her," returned the girl with a smile. "So I feel a little puzzled," her accent was foreign but her English was fluent.

"Oh, I can get you a cab, when you have cleared your baggage—only you'll feel rather blue, being all alone in this wilderness on your first visit, too! I can see you to your destination if you like. I am quite disengaged!"

"You are very, very good, but I am not at all timid—"

Here a tall woman, in a fur-lined cloak and black velvet bonnet adorned with red feathers and a veil drawn tightly over an exceedingly aquiline nose, came up at a quick pace. 'Oh! are you Miss Cavallo?" she exclaimed breathlessly.

"I am!" was the quick reply.

"Thank God. I was so afraid I should be late! The buses are so full just about this time of day—

"NO! AU REVOIR," HE RETURNED.

people going to theaters and concerts and what not! And I kept worrying and worrying about you—poor dear! to be left by yourself all alone in this great stony station! come along—and see to your luggage—you'll be glad to get to the end of your journey and to rest."

The lady spoke with great volubility—and with the true London twang.

"This is your bag? I'll take charge of it, sir," she continued, with a suspicious glance at her young friend's traveling companion.

"Good evening," said Miss Cavallo, holding out her hand, with some slight hesitation. "I shall always remember your courtesy with pleasure." There was a quiet, natural dignity in her voice and manner.

"I hope to see you again!" exclaimed the brown gentleman, eagerly.

"You are very good, but for the present it is adieu."

"No! Au revoir!" he returned, lifting his hat, with an air of great deference. He followed them into the room where the custom house officers examine the baggage, and there exchanged a few more words with his fellow-traveler, whose box was looked at before his. Again they said good-by and she walked away.

"Anyhow I know her address," he said to himself, as he unlocked his portmanteau for inspection—this was soon accomplished. As he turned to leave, he trod on something soft, and, looking down, saw a black lace scarf which he recognized as one which his fellow traveler had unfastened from her neck and hung on her arm while in the train. He picked it up. "She's off by this time. I must send it—or *take* it to her"—he thought with a smile as he folded it up and thrust it into his pocket, then he jumped into a cab and drove to his hotel.

Here he was evidently expected. He asked if dinner had been ordered, and if Mr. Dixon was waiting for him. Hearing he had not come yet, he retired to his room, from which he issued half an hour later, spick and span, freshened and brushed up, a soldierly, good-looking fellow, though not what could be called a handsome man. Dinner was laid in a private room, where before the fire stood a gentleman—a short, slight, light-colored man, clean-shaven, with slate gray eyes and an interrogative mouth. As the traveler entered he exclaimed: "Ha! Forrester. I am heartily glad to see you!" and they shook hands with great cordiality.

"How long is it since we met?" asked Forrester.

"Nearly seven years, I think! and you have been roasting—for most of them—in some of the worst parts of India! Yet you scarcely look a day older, while Soudan has written itself in wrinkles and crowsfeet on my prematurely aged countenance and dimmed the fire of my eyes!"

"They look dev'lish good still, my dear fellow, and you seem in excellent case, while I suppose you have been heaping up riches—"

"But cannot tell who shall gather them," interrupted Dixon, with a laugh. "For I begin to fear I am a confirmed bachelor."

"Oh, pooh! you are too young to talk like that. You are not so much older than I am."

"Five years in time, ten in nature."

Here the waiter brought in dinner, and during their repast the two friends only spoke of mutual acquaintances and general topics.

At length it was over. The waiter put a bottle of special claret on the table, and by Forrester's orders a log of wood on the fire. "We don't want it," he said; but one of the joys of home life is to see a fire all the year round."

They drew their chairs nearer, and Dixon with a kindly expression filled his glass and said:

"Your health, Forrester, and success! No one is happier than I am that your luck has turned at last—only don't throw away your money—when you get it."

"Why, Dixon, I have it! There can be no doubt I'm old Selwyn's heir."

"Oh! we'll go into business matters presently! I never was more surprised in my life than to find that your grand-uncle died intestate. He was such a methodical, money loving man. Certainly *we* never drew up any will for him, though we managed all his other business, and he was most confidential with my poor father."

They continued to talk on this subject, their conversation showing that Forrester was captain in a regiment of Bengal lancers, and not troubled with too much of this world's goods; that his grand-uncle, brother of his maternal grandmother, was a miserly personage who had amassed a large fortune. He had few relatives, and Cecil Forrester was his nearest of kin. Dixon, his guest, and man of business, was one of his earliest friends. They had been to school together. Dixon's father had been trustee and confidential adviser to Forrester's mother, and the management of the family affairs seemed to belong of right to the firm of Dixon & Phelps, Lincoln's inn.

"I could hardly believe my eyes," said Forrester, pushing the bottle towards his guest. "When Tready's letter came giving me the news of old Selwyn's death without a will, I did not know whether I was on my head or my heels. By Jove! I didn't lose much time in getting leave and telling the other fellows there would be a move in the regiment, for, of course, I'll send in my papers. Then I explained matters to the money lenders that had their claws in me."

"I earnestly hope you are not heavily incumbered," said Dixon.

"A mere featherweight now, my dear fellow, but a crushing load that was forcing me down to ruin three months ago. I've been an awful fool, Dixon, but I shall be a rock of sense in future. Lord! how easy it is to be wise and prudent and high-minded when your pocket is well lined. By the way, you must let me have some money, Dick, and settle with my creditors, as soon as possible!"

Dixon paused before replying.

"You shall have some, of course!" he said, "but I must warn you to be prudent, for a claimant has sprung up to dispute your inheritance. I fancy it is a mere attempt to extort money, but, it will cost you something to defend yourself, so you had better hold your hand till all preliminaries are settled."

"Why! who can dispute my claim!" cried Forrester, impatiently.

"It was a great surprise to me, I assure you, to receive a letter from Welford & Son—they are solicitors in Parliament street—stating that they were instructed to enforce the claim of their client, the daughter of the late George Selwyn, younger brother of our client deceased, who was his nearest of kin."

"But George Selwyn never married!" cried Forrester.

"No one knew if he did! and I do not believe it," returned Dixon. "He was a Bohemian, and rather a bad lot. He was years younger than your grand-uncle, who used to send him money from time to time. He died some years ago."

"Then you do not think there is much to fear from this claim."

"No; but it may give us trouble! However, it is a warning not to be too secure, nor too lavish in your expenditure."

"Why? What the devil do you mean, Dixon? At the worst, this strange claimant would only divide the spoils with me, and the plum old Selwyn has left behind him will stand two bites. eh!"

"Well, no! If George Selwyn's daughter is legitimate she would take the whole, she is the niece, you are only the grand-nephew."

"What an infernal shame! How disgracefully unjust the law is," cried Forrester, with an angry light in his eyes.

"It generally seems so, to those it does not favor," returned Dixon dryly. "But I think it may puzzle Wilford & Son to make out a case. We'll see."

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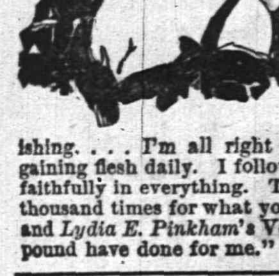

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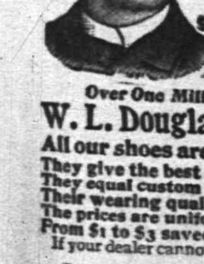

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TIME GETTING SHORT

Two Weeks More To Pass Appropriation Bills.

An Extra Session May Be Called for. Financial Discussion Blocks the Road—A Project for a Dam Across Minnesota Rivers—Crisp To Speak on Several Measures.

Washington, Feb. 18.—With five appropriation bills still unacted upon and but two weeks more of this session before it, the senate will not be inclined to discuss matters other than appropriation bills this week. There is always the possibility of a financial discussion springing up under the very lax rules of the senate and more or less of the time of the morning hour may be consumed in this way. The hope of getting a vote in the senate on the various financial propositions has not been altogether abandoned. It is believed that some agreement may be reached after the sundry civil bill is out of the way. The coming week will be required to pass the Indian bill and the sundry civil bill, which will be reported to the senate to-day.

To-day is suspension day in the house, and arrangements have been made by which gentlemen in charge of several measures that have hitherto attracted more or less attention and occupied a greater or less amount of time, will be recognized to ask that they be passed under suspension of the rules. Among these are the following: The bill to increase the efficiency of the revenue marine service by establishing a retired list in connection therewith. This bill is earnestly advocated by the treasury department and is believed to have the support of a large majority of the house, but hitherto Mr. Clark (dem., Mo.) has been successful in talking out of place and preventing a vote.

The bill to equalize the pensions of veterans of the Mexican war, making them $12 under the general law. The bill to equalize the duties and pay of the steamboat inspection service. The bill to authorize the construction of dams across the St. Louis and Cloquet rivers, Minn., by the Altamonte Water company.

This proposition involves the largest project ever undertaken in the west—the construction of a dam 100 feet high, 700 feet in thickness at the base and 100 feet wide at the top. Primarily it is undertaken to supply the city of Duluth with water, incidentally, a power estimated at 600,000 horse will be developed that may be used for manufacturing and commercial purposes. Between the city and source of supply is a range of low hills about 100 feet high and the dam is necessary to carry the water over that. The passage of the bill has been recommended by the committee on Indian affairs (which has jurisdiction because the building of the dam would flood the Fon du Lac reservation), but a minority of the committee interpose a vigorous dissent, because, for one reason, they are not satisfied with the financial ability of the water company to carry out the project; that it has "many of the unstable features of a boom, which, if carried out, would end in destroying confidence in the resources of that section of the country and would materially retard its progress." Speaker Crisp has notified the gentlemen in charge of these several measures that they must have a quorum on hand to promptly dispose of them, or they will be required to give way to other business. The consideration of the naval appropriation bill, and of the general deficiency bill, which Mr. Breckinridge has given notice he will call up as soon as the former is out of the way, will probably occupy the rest of the week, save Saturday, which has been set apart for the delivery of eulogies upon the late Senator Z. B. Vance of North Carolina.

May Teach Him Another Lesson.

London, Feb. 18.—The Times correspondent in Cairo says: "The khedive is determined to get rid of the present ministry and render impossible the existence of any ministry working loyally with England. The khedive is deaf to all advice from men of position and experience, but he is ready to listen to every idle tale from flatterers. He gives alarming proofs of his unfitness to discharge the duties as a ruler of Egypt. He is largely influenced by the Journal Egyptian, which openly promises him the armed support of the whole French nation in case of need. The interests of England require that the khedive's desperate course should be arrested with a firm hand. This can only be done by a sterner lesson than any yet received."

Killed the Innocent.

Huntingdon, Pa., Feb. 18.—The body of a new born male child was found yesterday by Coroner Greenberg on the premises of Mrs. Mary Stinson, of Marklesburg. The baby's mouth was stuffed with paper and its throat was cut from ear to ear. A piece of bloody glass, probably the instrument used, was found near by. Officers brought Elsie Hicks the reputed mother of the babe and its supposed murderess, and Mrs. Mary Stinson, her aunt, to the county jail.

Their Labor in Vain.

Detroit, Feb. 18.—Daring thieves stole a United States express safe from one of the company's wagons last night, but failed to secure the contents. A search by several detectives and policemen finally disclosed the safe under a box car. It had been dragged 400 feet. Express officials decline to state the value of the safe's contents.

La Gascogne Will Sail Wednesday.

New York, Feb. 18.—The new piston has been placed in the French line steamer La Gascogne and Chief Engineer Martin states that everything is ready for the steamer resuming her regular trip on Wednesday.

They Walk Across.

Dobbs Ferry, N. Y., Feb. 18.—The Hudson river is frozen solidly across at this point, and hundreds of people walked to the Jersey shore yesterday.

ONE KILLED; MANY INJURED.

A Misunderstanding of Orders the Cause of This Wreck.

Guthrie, O. T., Feb. 18.—Through a misunderstanding of orders the southbound Galveston express, on the Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe railroad, heavily loaded with day excursionists and a north-bound livestock extra collided at 11:45 o'clock last night while rounding a curve five miles south of this city. One man was instantly killed, two fatally injured and eighteen received serious wounds.

Engineer Uppleby of the stock train, who lost his life, had orders to stop at Seward, three miles south of the wreck, to allow the passenger to pass, but it probably will never be known why the orders were not obeyed.

The trains met on a sharp curve, in a deep cut in a bend of the Cottonwood river.

Passenger Engineer Frey saw a shower of sparks thrown into the air across the bluff near the end of the curve. He realized in an instant the sparks were from another engine, and reversing his machine, he leaped into the darkness against the side of the cut, calling to his fireman to jump also, but before the latter could comply the extra came around the curve at the rate of forty miles an hour and the two engines came together in a terrible crash, and were buried into each other one third of their lengths; a dozen freight cars piled into a great heap and the baggage, express and mails of the passenger train completely telescoped and demolished all in an instant. Added to the terrific noise was the escaping steam and the bellowing and plunging of hundreds of cattle injured or maddened by the smell of blood, completely drowning the groans of the injured and the cries of the badly frightened passengers. The passenger coaches remained on the track, but many of the gigantic Texas steers breaking loose from the wreckage, plunged into the darkness making it dangerous for anyone to venture out to assist the injured.

Buried beneath the engines and crushed to death was Freight Engineer Charles Uppleby. Lying beside his engine, terribly burned and scalded, was Passenger Fireman Patrick Coldron, who was picked up for dead, but after several hours revived and now lies suffering terribly but with no chance to live.

Many passengers were badly bruised and cut by broken glass, but none fatally.

The injured were brought to this city and are receiving the best of treatment. Seventy head of cattle were killed. The loss to the railroad company willl exceed $50,000.

GHOULS AT WORK.

Under the Cover of Darkness Many Graves Are Opened.

Indianapolis, Feb. 18.—Yesterday morning Sexton Kelley, of the Hebrew cemetery, discovered that ghouls had invaded his charge during the night and a hasty examination revealed the fact that several graves had been opened and the bodies carried away. Friends of the deceased were notified and a further examination showed that three bodies had been taken.

A warrant was sworn out on an affidavit charging that the body of Benjamin Fallender had been stolen and on this authority the police made the round of the colleges but could not find Fullender's body or that of any one else whom the Hebrews recognized. It is now believed that the other graves were robbed several days ago and that the names are being withheld to keep friends in ignorance of the affair.

WRECK ON THE SANTA FE ROAD.

Caused by Mistaken Signals—Many Passengers Injured.

Kansas City, Mo., Feb. 18.—A passenger train on the Santa Fe road was wrecked near Pittsburg, Kan., last night and eight passengers injured. They are:

Sheriff Hiram Adsit, of Pittsburg, both legs broken and badly bruised; George Davis, leg crushed; Joseph Ennis, leg broken and injured internally; Miss Bertha Garver, side lacerated; Fred G. Ramsey, conductor, injured internally; Mrs. Dr. Johnson and son, badly bruised; Miss Laura James, leg and both arms broken.

The wreck occurred at the crossing of the Missouri Pacific and was caused by a mistake in signals. Every passenger on the Santa Fe train was more or less injured.

To Protect Life from Trolley Cars.

Brooklyn, N. Y., Feb. 18.—The Homan Manufacturing company of New Jersey has an appliance called the Homan wheel fender and safety attachment for street cars, which covers all the requirements necessary for the preservation of life and limb to those coming in contact with the dangerous trolley cars. The appliance, besides having a take-up device in front, has a netting which extends entirely around the bottom of the car, covering the wheels, making it impossible for anything to come in contact with them. The inventor is Frank H. Homan of 140 Madison street.

This Brute Must Hang.

Cleveland, Feb. 18.—Lafayette Prince, the wife murderer, has been sentenced by Judge Noble to be hanged on May 29. Prince's crime was one of the most brutal on record. His wife had left him because of his ill-treatment and upon her refusal to return to him Prince secured an axe and after decoying his wife to the street literally chopped her to pieces.

Must Not Collect Evidence.

Constantinople, Feb. 18.—The commission sent to investigate the Armenian outrages is still at Moosh. The Europeans wished to visit the villages in the neighborhood, but the authorities decline to let them, saying that the foreign delegates were entitled to watch the proceedings but not to collect evidence.

Killed While Coasting.

New Brighton, Pa., Feb. 18.—A bobsled coming down Ninth street hill collided with a dairy wagon. David Prezenger, aged 17, was so badly hurt that he died in a few hours. The other six people on the sled were injured, but none seriously.

Not a Newspaper Man.

Gorham, Me., Feb. 18.—Captain Saul C. Higgins died yesterday of old age. He was 101 years old and was in good health until his death.

ROMAN CATHOLIC IRE

The German Emperor the Cause of Anger.

Held Conversation with Count Hoensbroech, Who Deserted the Jesuit Faith—Royal Patronage at the Charity Ball—Mr. and Mrs. Runyon Guests—Tariff Discussion.

Berlin, Feb. 18.—The money aristocracy of this city, who hold sway in society just outside the nobility and court, had their annual carnival, the subscription ball, at the Royal opera house. As usual the affair was under the personal patronage of the emperor and empress.

This is the great opportunity of the season for those Berliners who are sufficiently rich to help public charities and are debarred from the capital's high life and the charmed circle of the Old Castle. It is in fact their only chance to see among them the imperial family and the attendant noblemen. The emperor is the attraction. He goes to draw the big bankers and shopkeepers and their families and thus swell the charity fund, and the ladies and gentlemen of his household go because he does.

Stood Shoulder to Shoulder.

The subscription ball is noteworthy also as marking the end of the social season, which this year has been remarkible for the strain put upon the social leaders. To call it a ball, however, is hardly correct. The parquet of the big opera house had been built over with an even dancing floor. The space seemed ample until the guests began to arrive, but as early as 5 o'clock it was evident that dancing would be hardly possible. The guests were then densely packed, standing shoulder to shoulder without even room enough to shift positions without risking torn clothes and frowns of remonstrance.

Americans Favored.

The emperor and the empress stayed until 11 o'clock. The emperor was in good spirits. He greeted all his acquaintances warmly and visited freely the occupants of the diplomatic boxes. After a few minutes with M. Herbette, the French ambassador, and Mme. Herbette, he stopped for some time with Mr. and Mrs. Runyon. He and the American ambassador exchanged stories with such success that the parquet rang with their laughter. During the rest of the evening the Runyons got a good share of public attention as they were supposed to have been especially favored by the emperor.

With supper over and the court gone, the crowd on the floor began to decrease rapidly before midnight. By half past twelve it was possible to dance and between 1 and 2, when the ball closed, there were many couples on the floor.

Was Denounced Bitterly.

The emperor roused the ire of the Roman Catholics by singling out Count Hoensbroech for a long conversation at last week's court ball. Hoensbroech deserted the Jesuit order, published pamphlets against it, joined the Evangelical church, and ever since has been denounced bitterly by the whole Catholic press. That Emperor William should treat him with any special favor, has been resented by Catholics as disrepect of their faith. The matter was regarded as of small importance until the agitation of the clerical editors seemed to threaten the maturing friendship between the chancellor and the Catholic deputies. Prince Hohenlohe felt that his plan of a clerical-conservative alliance was in danger and is understood to have mentioned his fears to the emperor. At all events, word has come from the court circle that his majesty did not intend to distinguish Hoensbroech in any manner, but was merely curious to learn what changed his religious convictions and when he decided to declare his conversion. The Reichsbote and Kreuzzeitung protest that as the head of the Prussian Evangelical church, the emperor had the best right in the world to question a new member as to his reasons for becoming a Protestant, especially when that member is being persecuted for his new faith by former friends of his family. Most of the newspapers, outside the clerical party organs, say merely that it is the emperor's duty and privilege to speak with everybody received at court and that nobody has the right to criticize him for his courtesy.

Our Ambassador "At Home."

Ambassador Runyon and Mrs. Runyon will be at home from 3 to 5 o'clock on Washington's birthday. The embassy has received recently numerous applications from American visitors for presentation at court. Mr. Runyon has answered that it is quite impossible to grant these requests. He is anxious to have this understood so as to prevent the disappointment of persons coming to Berlin to be introduced to the emperor. American visitors, he hopes, will give up the idea of being presented by their ambassador.

The customs tariff committee of the reichstag has approved the proposal to increase the duty on cottonseed oil from 4 to 10 marks.

It has been made known officially that the federal council will reject the reichstag's resolution to repeal the dictatorship laws in Alsace-Lorraine. The committee in charge of the anti-socialist law will not end the discussion of the measure before the middle of March and the vote in the reichstag can hardly be taken before Easter.

The emperor has almost recovered from the attack of influenza, which kept him in his room yesterday, and has received the official reports as usual. He is greatly concerned for the condition of Archduke Albrecht of Austria, and has ordered that bulletins be sent to him hourly from the archduke's bedside.

Killed on a Crossing.

Stamford, Conn., Feb. 18.—Joseph Paight, aged 72 years, a veteran of the Mexican war and the rebellion, was struck by the Washington express yesterday morning while crossing the railroad track. One arm and a leg were cut off. He has since died.

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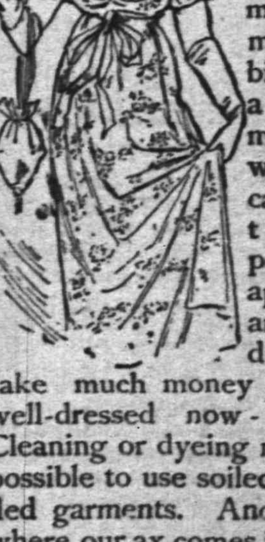

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Decatur at Tripoli.

Feb. 16, 1804, was the date of Decatur's gallant act in the harbor of Tripoli, the destruction of the American naval frigate Philadelphia, at that time a prize of war in the hands of the enemy. The captive was lying, fully manned and armed by the Tripolitans, under the guns of the pasha's castle, the neighboring forts and a flotilla of galleys. Decatur volunteered to board her from the decks of the Intrepid, a ship modeled after the Tripolitan vessels. Lawrence, McDonough and Charles Morris, a boy of 19, were of the party. Sailing up in the afternoon, with her men, disguised as Maltese, showing themselves on deck, the Intrepid reached the outer batteries about dark without alarming the enemy. Decatur stood beside the Maltese pilot, and the men lay in the shadow of the bulwarks. The first battery was passed in silence, but a little farther on came a hail demanding the name and purpose of the stranger. The pilot answered in the language of the country that the ship had lost her anchors in a gale, and her captain wished to run a hawser to the frigate Philadelphia and lie by her for the night. The captain of the Philadelphia consented and sent off a boat with a hawser. Decatur quickly did the same, and the boats met midway between the vessels, joined the ends of their hawsers and separated. Then the crew of the Intrepid noiselessly drew their vessel close up to the captive. As she grated alongside the watchman on the Philadelphia cried out, "Americanos!" Decatur was ready and sang out, "Board!" With Morris he sprang to the hostile deck, followed by his crew. The Tripolitans fled in a panic to the forward deck, and Decatur formed his men to charge. With one dash the enemy was scattered, some cut down while resisting, some captured and others driven over the rail. Details from the ranks of the captors then passed around the ship, and at signals from Decatur she was set on fire fore and aft.

DECATUR.

A Modern "David."

On Feb. 17, 1864, the United States sloop-of-war Housatonic was sunk in Charleston harbor by a spar torpedo thrust against her side at the water line. The deed was performed by Lieutenant George E. Dixon of the Thirty-first Alabama. It proved that the dreams of inventors from Fulton's time to the present are not wholly wild, and that torpedo boats may play a part in warfare. Dixon's craft was built of boiler iron in the shape of a cigar. Her length was 30 feet, breadth 4 and depth 6. Originally designed for submarine use, some 35 lives were sacrificed in experiments. Dixon rigged the boat to skim the top of the water and strike with a percussion torpedo.

The Housatonic was one of the finest of the wooden fleet and lay in the north channel, completely blocking that entrance to Charleston harbor. Dixon and Captain J. F. Carlsen of the artillery and Seamen Becker, Wicks, Collins, Ridgway and Simpkins of the navy volunteered to destroy her. Their little boat sneaked along the beach at night and lay hidden all day near their victim. At 9 o'clock in the evening the outlook on the Housatonic saw a speck on the water moving toward the ship. On approaching nearer the speck looked like a plank moving swiftly over the water. He sounded the cry, and all hands rushed on deck, but only in time to save their lives. The ship sank instantly up to her tops. Five men below went down in her. The plank disappeared, and the mystery was not solved until after the war, when divers cleared the channel of wrecks. They found the Housatonic, with a hole at the water line, and 100 feet away the David, which had destroyed her. The daring crew lay securely coffined in the iron machine they had so skillfully guided to strike the blow.

GEORGE L. KILMER.

Mr. Sohl's Benefit.

The thrilling and successful drama of railroad life, entitled "The Danger Signal", by the late H. C. DeMille, will be presented in Music Hall, Monday evening, March 4, by a competent company, with special scenery and properties for every act.

The event is made especially prominent by the fact that the friends of Joseph Sohl will give him a benefit that night.

Tickets may be obtained from any of the employes of Music Hall, Hotel Grenada, and at the box office.

"The Danger Signal" was played over 100 nights at the Lyceum Theatre, New York city, and has met with great success throughout the country.

Popular prices of admission will prevail, namely, 25, 35, 50 and 75 cents, and $1.

The experience of Geo. A. Apgar, of German Valley, N. J., is well worth remembering. He was troubled with chronic diarrhoea and doctored for five months and was treated by four different doctors without benefit. He then began using Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, of which one small bottle effected a complete cure. It is for sale at Reynolds's pharmacy, Park and North aves. T. S. Armstrong, manager

EARLY INTELLIGENCE.

—The regular business meeting of the Hope Chapel Young Men's League will be held this evening at 8.

—The case of Blimm against Gulick was adjourned in Justice Newcorn's Court this morning for two weeks.

—Religious meetings will be held every evening this week in the Assembly Hall of the Y. M. C. A. Building.

—The Christian Endeavor society of Hope Chapel will hold their regular weekly meeting Wednesday evening.

—Contractor Allen has a force of men digging the cellar of Wm. H. Bohl's new house on Jackson street, Netherwood.

—The Young Men's Era, published in Chicago, was represented at the Y. M. C. A. Convention by General Secretary Honeyman of Rahway.

—A meeting of the Young Ladies Missionary Society of the First Baptist Church will be held Tuesday afternoon at 2, in one of the Bible class rooms of the church.

—The women of the Monroe Avenue M. E. Chapel will hold their annual supper Feb. 19, and in connection with it will have for sale all kinds of bags for household purposes.

—F. B. Hosgland of Paterson will speak, and the celebrated Park Sisters of New York will render beautiful cornet solos and duets, at the Y. M. C. A. meeting this evening at 8.

—Negligence in removing the snow from the gutters caused Somerset street to be flooded in several places yesterday, especially in front of the schoolhouse, making it impossible to use that crossing.

—Jerusalem Lodge, No. 26, F. and A. M., will hold their regular communication tomorrow evening, when the Master Mason Degree will be conferred. A large attendance of members is requested, and visiting brethren are cordially invited.

—While Michael Wolf, a coachman, was being shaved in a Front street barber shop, Saturday evening, his hat was exchanged by mistake. As the hat left in place of his is not becoming to him, he would be thankful to have his own headgear back.

—A horse driven by Photographer G. Thorn fell on East Second street, near Park avenue, at noon today. A blanket was placed underneath the animal's fore feet, and with the assistance of a few interested spectators he was raised to all fours and proceeded again on his journey.

—George A. Hummer, contractor, of Stone street, who has been engaged for the past four weeks in erecting a dwelling house for Wm. Kelly at Oak Tree, has returned to this city, the house being so far completed that it is now in the masons' hands. Mr. Hummer will return to Oak Tree in two weeks to complete the house, which is to be finished April 1.

Socialism Progressing.

The regular weekly meeting of the Socialist Labor Party was held in their hall corner of Grant avenue and South Second street, Friday evening.

The meeting was called to order by J. W. James. The time was spent in discussing the furnishing of the hall. Short addresses were made by W. G. Gray and J. Bell. Three new members joined the ranks of Socialism. It was decided to hold a meeting every week, and Friday was the day voted on.

At the next regular meeting a debate will be held, and the subject will be: "Has the working class been benefited by the improvement of machinery?"

This meeting will be open to the public, and all are invited to attend.

The quarterly meeting will be held the latter part of March. A hall large enough to accommodate the public will be secured, and the most prominent Socialist leader will have charge of the meeting.

"Immortality of the Soul."

Dr Barrett preached to large congregations at Grace P E Church yesterday. He preached the first two sermons in his course of sermons on "The Essentials of Christian Belief". The morning sermon was on the "Soul". The questions answered were "Have I a Soul?" "Is my soul my brain?" "Is my soul free?"

At night the sermon was on "God". Beginning with the doctrine of the correlation of forces be built up a scientific argument for a personal and righteous God. Tonight the subject is one which everybody is interested in, "The Immortality of the Soul". Service at 8. Everybody is cordially invited.

Bit His Thumb.

James Welsh of Lee place, while in conversation with a friend yesterday, was bitten by a dog which the friend was carrying under his arm. Mr. Welsh was petting the dog when it made a snap at his hand and caught him by the thumb, badly lacerating it. He immediately went to a drugstore and had the wound cauterized.

Forty-Hours Devotion.

The observance of forty-hours devotion was commenced in St. Joseph's Church on Manning avenue at the 10:30 mass yesterday morning. Father Miller was assisted in conducting the services by Fathers Shannon of Stony Hill and Devine of Woodbridge. Services will be held tonight at 5:30, 7:30 and 8:30.

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Mr. Olcott has beome very popular with the public. His fine stage presence, his delightful singing, and his majestic acting, make him a leading Irish comedian.

"Laid at Rest."

How refreshing and how commonplace these words, and yet withal how full of meaning, especially when used in connection with the name of Susan B. Adams, the subject of this short memorial. During her fifteen years residence here, she was "about her Father's business", for having an intimate acquaintance herself with Him, it was the joy of her heart to lead others to Him.

Yesterday afternoon at her late home, 314 East Second street, the funeral services were held. Appropriate and feeling remarks were made by Aaron M. Powell and Rev. W. E. Honeyman of this city, and James C. Adams of Newark. There was a large attendance of relatives and friends, including many members of the W. C. T. U.

Miss Adams was a typical Christian worker in the temperance cause, and her best and most earnest efforts were for suffering humanity held in the fetters of the drink curse. The cause of temperance loses a patriot, and a bright light, and her nearest and dearest friends deeply and keenly deplore her departure. Miss Adams was at one time press correspondent for the W. C. T. U., and has contributed many valuable articles to this paper. Consecration to the service of the Master seemed to be the governing principle of her life. "To be followers of Jesus we must surrender all to God; our will, affections, body and soul"; these words were her meaning of true consecration and the life of self-denial which she practically lived.

Interment was made in the Friends' burying-ground on Peace street.

Railroad Men Happy.

The employes of the Jersey Central were this morning made happy by the arrival of the pay car, bound west, in charge of Paymaster Hess and Chief clerk Timson, who distributed the welcome little envelopes to the efficient servants of the road.

—A large number of Y. M. C. A. delegates were guests of Hotel Albion during the Conference, and speak in high terms of that leading hotel.

Compound Rhyming Words.

In the south they have a very expressive phrase for one indifferently well—"frobly-mobly"—and to be in "mubble-fubble" signifies low spirits. In Leeds, when a person is overpowered with astonishment, he is said to be "much struck," a phrase forcible but scarcely polite. "Huck-muck" is an expression of like character, meaning foul, miry, and in Devonshire a bedraggled, besmirched person is said to be "muckson up to the huckson."

In Gloucestershire a wavering, unstable or worthless man is called a "meckle-keckle fellow," and it is worthy of remark that in Derbyshire poor ore is called "keckle meckle." An awkward simpleton is called "hauvey-gauvey" in the neighborhood of Leeds. In Warwickshire they style such a one as "hobgoblin," or else it is from "hob," a lout, and "bog," a lump. "Gobbinshire" is the abode—"that never was writ in the traveler's chart"—of uncouth folk. They say of a slovenly loafer in south Cheshire:

Gobbinshire, Gobbinshire of Gobbinshire Green,
The ronkest owd beggor as ever was seen.

DEATHS.

AYERS—In this city Feb. 17, 1895, Frederick W. Ayers, aged 2 years, 6 months and 12 days. Funeral from his parents residence, 437 West 3d st., Tuesday afternoon, Feb. 19, at 2:30. Friends and relatives are respectfully invited to attend.

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From a sense of duty I desire to call public attention to the almost miraculous cure which Dr. Lighthill effected in the case of my wife. For eleven years she had been afflicted with piles of an unusual severe and distressing character. She suffered every day of her life the most intense pain, attended with frequent and profuse hemorrhage. This state of things debilitated her entire system until she became a perfect wreck of her former self.

We made every effort to obtain a cure but they all resulted in bitter disappointment, although a number of physicians of excellent reputations for skill in that direction had treated her case. She grew worse and worse all the time, the pain became perfectly unbearable and I felt she could not bear the strain of her condition much longer. In this extremity, a friend of mine, Mr. W. E. Dilts, a resident of Roselle, N. J., a passenger conductor on the New Jersey Central told me that he had been similarly affected, and had been permanently cured by Dr. Lighthill, after other medical skill had failed. He assured me that the doctor would cure my wife, no matter how severe her case may be, and his prediction proved perfectly correct. In spite of her desperate condition, Dr. Lighthill, I am glad to say, has effected a complete and perfect cure in her case, and has given her new life.

Since the cure has been effected she has gained in health and strength and is so improved in appearance that her friends scarcely recognise her. They all consider her cure as almost miraculous, and Dr. Lighthill's praise is heard on every side. Our gratitude to Dr. Lighthill is unbounded and we only hope that other sufferers may be benefited by this publication.

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JOHN DIETRICH.

Mr. Thomas Callahan of No. 214 Richmond street Cured of a Very Distressing Trouble by Dr. Lighthill.

PLAINFIELD, N. J., June 1, 1894.

TO THE PUBLIC:

For some time past I have been greatly distressed with noises in the head. They were all over my head and troubled me constantly; they were loudest at night when everything was quiet and at such times would often keep me from sleep and disturb my rest. In fact they got to be so bad and distressing that they affected my whole nervous system as well as my health. I did not obtain the least relief until I placed myself under the care of Dr. Lighthill, of No. 132 Crescent avenue, who effected a complete cure in my case in a short time and made me a very happy man.

THOMAS CALLAHAN,
214 Richmond street.

A Card From Mr. T. R VanZandt,

of Nos. 304 and 306 Park ave.,

Plainfield, N. J

I certify with pleasure that Dr. Lighthill has effectually cured me of a most painful case of piles. For some time past I had been subject to its attacks, but the last attack was so exceedingly painful that it completely upset my whole system. The pain extended to my legs and in many other directions, and made me so nervous that I could neither sleep, sit down, lie down or move about without serious discomfort and distress. Such was my condition when I applied to Dr. Lighthill for relief, and I am glad to say that as soon as he took hold of my case, I began to improve, and in a short time found myself completely cured. Dr. Lighthill has also effected a radical and permanent cure in a most terrible case of piles on my cousin, Mr. J. V. E. Griggs, of Rocky Hill, N. J., whose flattering testimonial is in Dr. Lighthill's possession.

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PARTICULAR MENTION.

Mrs. S. R Hope is still very ill.

Mrs. John Chandler of East Third street is ill.

Hiram Hornish is welcomed out again after his long illness.

William H. Brower is contemplating a southern trip for his health.

Randolph Marsh of Plainfield avenue is visiting relatives in Hartford.

Mrs. Potter has moved from 429 West Fifth street to 432 West Sixth street.

Gustave A. Sutterlin of Green brook road is confined to his home with the grip.

Mrs Peter Seader is dangerously ill at her home on Harmony street, North Plainfield.

Horace D. Pangborn of Scotch Plains spent yesterday with his parents on Linden avenue.

John E. Beerbower of the City Hotel is entertaining his father and father-in-law at his hostelry.

Letter-Carrier F. E. Hann, who was taken ill Saturday with the grip, is slightly improved today.

Conductor Brokaw, who has been ill for some time, went through this morning in charge of Train 504.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. McMillen of Jersey City are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. A. Lord of Belvidere avenue.

Dr. Yerkes of the First Baptist Church will exchange pulpits next Sunday with Rev. Dr. Studdiford of Trenton.

Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Dobbins of Elmwood place celebrated their thirty-sixth wedding anniversary Saturday.

J. H. Gale of New London, Conn., was in Plainfield yesterday, regaling his friends with entertaining stories.

Miss Ella Serrell returned Saturday after a month spent at the home of her brother, Wallace Serrell of Chicago.

Chief Consul Robert Gentle of the New Jersey Division, L. A. W., has appointed F. L. C. Martin local consul for Plainfield.

Miss Annie Smith of Johnston avenue, who is confined to her home with a light attack of pneumonia, is slowly improving.

Anthony Armstong of South ave., who badly lacerated his right ankle with an axe four weeks ago, has entirely recovered.

Mrs. Phoebe Foster of Somerset street spent Saturday and Sunday in Newark with her daughter, Mrs. W. H. Bachman.

Nathan Sloan and George Brokaw of Elizabeth were guests of James McCabe, clerk at the City Hotel, Saturday evening.

Wm. H. Stevens, receiving teller of the Union Trust Company, with his wife and daughter is a sojourner at Hotel Albion.

Edward O. Clark of Manning avenue is able to return to his studies at the High School after suffering from a severe attack of the grip.

George Randolph, formerly of this city, and now of New York, was the guest yesterday of N. B. Smalley of Mountain avenue.

Miss Jacynthia Judson of Washington, D. C., and her aunt, Mrs. Lemon, are guests at the home of ex-Mayor J. H VanWinkle, Duer street.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank A. Horne and Miss Ethel Maxson of Brooklyn have returned to their home after a short visit at the home of Charles E Horne of Willow avenue.

Rev. Dr. R. S. Holmes of Pittsburg has issued in pamphlet form the sermon on "Regeneration" he preached in the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian Church, Sept. 6, 1891.

H. C. M. Johnston of Passaic has leased from Agent William D. Thickstun a house on Central avenue, near the corner of Fourth street. Mr. Johnston will take possession March 1.

Fred Brown has resigned his position as Engineer of the North Plainfield Electric Light Company. Patrick Keliher will fill Mr. Brown's position, and Jule Stephany will be his fireman.

Jas. R. Swain, who was delegate to the Y. M. C. A. Convention from Princeton College, is a nephew of Philip Swain of Craig place. He was one of the brightest delegates who were in attendance.

Friends in Plainfield today received a letter from Mrs. Otto Arens, who is at Weisebaden, Germany, for her health, in which she says she is anxious for the day to come for her return to beautiful Plainfield.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Ayers of 437 West Third street are mourning the loss of their little boy Fred. W., two and a-half years old, who died yesterday. Funeral services will be held tomorrow afternoon at 2:30.

William E. Brock of Mountain avenue, who left with his family for Troy two weeks ago, returned to this city Saturday to pack and ship some furniture, as Mr. Brock's business will necessitate his remaining in Troy several months.

A delightful card party was given among the guests of Hotel Albion Saturday night. After a season of excellent play, prize-winners were announced as follows: First—Miss Florence Keefe and F. E. Knight. Second—Miss Florence Conover and William H. Stevens.

Shiloh's Cure, the great cough and croup cure, is in great demand. Pocket size contains 25 doses, only 25c. Children love it. Sold by all druggists.

Captain Sweeney, U. S. A., San Diego, Cal., says: "Shiloh's Catarrh Remedy is the first medicine I have ever found that would do me any good." Price 50c Sold by all druggists.

Karl's Clover Root will purify your blood, clear your complexion, regulate your bowels and make your head clear as a bell; 25c., 50c. and $1. Sold by all druggists.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report

Royal Baking Powder

ABSOLUTELY PURE

PARTICULAR MENTION.

Mrs John E. Beerbower, wife of the proprietor of the City Hotel, is slightly ill.

Miss Lucie P. Davis of East Fifth street is entertaining her friend, Miss Grace Mulford.

Deputy Sheriff John Oakey of Somerset County was in the borough today on official business.

David Adelman of 215 Grant avenue is able to be around the house after his recent severe illness.

Mrs. Annie Holmes of Philadelphia is visiting her sister, Mrs. Frank Hollenbeck of North avenue.

George Frech of Annandale, secretary of the Hunterdon County Peach Exchange at that place, was in town today.

John H. Cuthbert, formerly of this city, will leave next week for Savannah on a business trip for the Tidewater Oil Company.

Arthur Lee of Ponce, Porto Rico, and Julio Andraca of Matauzas, Cuba, were entertained over Sunday by their friends Messrs. George W. Squier of the borough, and Fred. E. Stover of this city.

At the meeting for women in Trinity Church yesterday afternoon, the singing was led by H. J. Martin, and the ushers were Miss L. Dunn, Miss E. Gillem, Miss M. Wilson and Mrs. A. J Moore.

Variety the Spice of Life.

There is nothing benefits mankind so much as a change, even if it's only a change of linen. But what we mean to convey is that too much of any one thing becomes monotonous. The clerk, tied for hours at his desk, seeks relaxation on his flying wheel; the policeman, on his feet for hours (?), finds relaxation in an easy chair by his, or any other friend's fireside; a man badgered by a shrew of a wife seeks relaxation by tilting a can over his head, and as the beer disappears, he gazes with consolation at his reflected countenance at the bottom of the growler Even at the theatre how many plays are monotonous when all on the one theme; how a bit of sentiment is relieved by a hearty laugh, a merry dance or comic song. And if "variety is the spice of life," it reaches perfection in the great comedy, "She Could n't Marry Three."

—Queen City Lodge, No. 226, I. O. O. F., will exemplify the first degree on two candidates this evening.

—The Loyal Addition Benefit Association of the Royal Arcanum hold a meeting in their rooms on Park avenue this evening.

—Justice of the Peace Mosher this morning issued a summons, returnable February 25 in the case of The New York Press Company against F. M. Hulett, on contract.

—Messrs. Woolston and Buckle have purchased a lot on Martine avenue, and will construct at once a very artistic dwelling in this choice locality. The house is said to be already sold to a very desirable occupant.

—18 patients are now under treatment in Muhlenberg Hospital.

A Des Moines woman who has been troubled with frequent colds, concluded to try an old remedy in a new way, and accordingly took a tablespoonful (four times the usual dose) of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy just before going to bed. The next morning she found that her cold had almost entirely disappeared. During the day she took a few doses of the remedy (one teaspoonful at a time) and at night again took a tablespoonful before going to bed, and on the following morning awoke free from all symptoms of the cold. Since then she has, on several occasions, used this remedy in like manner with the same good results, and is much elated over her discovery of so quick a way of curing a cold. For sale at Reynolds's pharmacy, Park and North aves. T. S. Armstrong, manager.

Spring,

Housecleaning,

WALL PAPER!

Do you know spring is near? Well you'll need Wall Paper for that room and Paint, Oil and Brushes to make your home sweet and clean after the long cold winter.

Fine lot of Paper for 1895 that will please the most fastidious.

Of course there is only one place to get these things if you want the

Best and Cheapest,

and that place is on the corner of

North and Watchung Aves.

LOVE'S?

Yes!

—Rev. A. C. Gaebeleim, of the Jewish Mission Work of New York city, will speak in the Park avenue Baptist church, Tuesday afternoon at 3, on the subject, "Israel and the second coming of the Lord".

Mrs. Emily Thorne, who resides at Toledo, Washington, says she has never been able to procure any medicine for rheumatism that relieves the pain so quickly and effectually as Chamberlain's Pain Balm and that she has also used it for lame back with great success. For sale at Reynolds's pharmacy, Park and North aves. T. S. Armstrong, manager.

MUSIC HALL,

Jos. Sohl, Prop. R. C. Varian, Man.

Telephone 49B.

Special matinee and night.

Washington's Birthday, Feb. 22

"The Kings of Celtic Humor"—N.Y. Herald

Conroy and Fox,

with their surpassing show, in

HOT TAMALES.

Recipe—Wit, Humor, Mirth and Music.

16 A company of singing and dancing comedians, including several 16 European specialty artists. FUN for old ones, for the fair ones, for young ones, for everyone. Matinee prices 25, 35, 50, 75c. Evening prices 25, 35, 50, 75c, $1.

Muhlenberg Hospital

BENEFIT!

IN THE CASINO,

Amateur Minstrels and Theatricals,

Thursday Evening,

FEB. 21.

Curtain rises at 8:15. Tickets, $1, for sale at Reynolds's, Randolph's, Moy's and Hebard's pharmacies. 2 14 6 t s m t w t

WANTS AND OFFERS.

Advertisements under this heading, 1 ct. a word, each insertion. (Less than ten words, ten cents.) Cash must accompany ads.

TABLE boarders wanted in private family. Apply 303 West Fourth st 2 7 tf

LOST.—Canary. Finder will oblige owner by returning to 133 East 5th.

LOST—Friday evening in Y. M. C. A. building, large silver hair-pin. Reward for return to Y. M. C. A.

WELL bred road horse for sale, out of dam that has a mark of 2:12½; not afraid of anything; safe for anybody to drive; will be sold right if bought in 2 or 3 days. Call on M. Quinn, East 4th st. 2 15 tf

WANTED—Protestant young girl as chambermaid and waitress. Apply 830 Central avenue. 1 18 2

HOUSES for sale or to let. Apply 62 Duer street, North Plainfield. 2 18 2

WANTED—A second-hand incubator with capacity 150 to 250 in good condition. Address 138 East Front street.

WANTED—A white cook with references at Mrs. Waring's, 900 Park avenue. 1 18 tf

FOR SALE—Two collie shepherd dog pups. and two English bull terriers I quire J. H. Frisbie, 122 East 5th street.

LOST—On Friday, a pair of tortoise shell frame eye glasses. Please return to 301 West 4th street and receive reward.

WANTED—A practical man with $500 to $2,500, to organize stock company and manufacture bicycle sundries, and give personal attention to business. Will put in equal amount or double. Address Bicycle, care Press. 2 15 3

WANTED.—Work harness in good condition; also corn sheller; state price. B. B., Lock Box, 72, Scotch Plains. 2 14 4

TO RENT—From April 1, two 10-room houses 119-127 East 5th street, all improvements. Rent reasonable. W. H. Brower, 432 Watchung avenue. 2 16 tf

WANTED—Man with family to occupy cottage and work on farm. Adderss box 322, Plainfield. 2 16 2

FOR SALE—House and lot in North Plainfield; 3 minutes walk from street railroad; 20 minutes from depot; house has 7 rooms; will sell on easy terms. Address for particulars, Bargain, care Press. 2 12 6

FOR SALE or to let, a house and barn with about one acre of ground, situated on Grove street, Dunellen, adjoining residence of C. Schepflin; house contains 11 rooms and attic and all modern improvements, including gas. Address or call on Eugene Runyon, Dunellen, N. J. 1 29 4 oaw

WANTED—House for small family; possession April 1; reasonable rent. Address, stating terms and where located, "House," care Press. 2 11 tf

YOUNG woman wants office work. Address Capable, care Press. 2 4 tf

OFFICES and flats to rent in Babcock Building. Inquire of J. A. Hubbard or W. M. Stillman. 1 30 tf

CASH buyer can get first-class upright piano at bargain. Address Starr, care Press. 2 2 tf

MONEY to loan, Mulford, broker. 2 1 tf

Central Employment Office

218 Liberty st. Gibson & Cable, agents.

All kind of help furnished on short notice. We have first-class help always on hand or can be had on 3 days notice. Satisfaction guaranteed. 1 19 2m

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5 CENTS buys at REYNOLDS'S a cake of good **Toilet Soap**, perfumed and wrapped; made by the best and biggest soap house in America (whose stamp is a guarantee of excellence). We warrant this a sound, pure soap. 1 cake or 100 at 5c each. **5**

8 CENTS buys at REYNOLDS'S a good **Baby's Bottle** with pure black rubber nipple, complete and ready for use: Bottle has a wide base, rounded corners, graduated side. **8**

75 CTS buys at REYNOLDS'S a two-quart **Hot water bag**, positively guaranteed against leakage from imperfection, for one year from date of sale. **75**

Reynolds's Pharmacy,

Established 1868. Park and North avenues, only.

—Honeyman's famous private tours will conduct a trip from Plainfield to California April 10. Write to A. V. D. Honeyman, Plainfield, N. J. The European tour starts June 28.

MUSIC HALL.

Joseph Sohl, Proprietor.
R. C. Varian, Manager.
Telephone call 49B.

TONIGHT

The Singing Comedian,

CHAUNCEY OLCOTT

In his new comedy drama

"The Irish Artist."

During the evening Mr. Olcott will sing all of his new and popular songs.
BOX OFFICE NOW OPEN.
Prices—25, 35, 50, 75, $1.00

EXTRAORDINARY.

Half value sale of new seasonable goods still continues. In addition to the many good values that we have offered for this week we add the following:

66 in. bleached damask in 2 and 2½ yd. lengths at 49c per yd. actual value 75c.

18 in all linen crash, extra heavy 7c. yard.

20 in. all linen glass toweling 8½c.

Imported serges 45 in wide 45c yd. Actual value 65c.

54 in covert cloth 49c yd value 98c.

18 in fancy silks, 39c. yd. value 75c.

30 in. China silks, 49c yd. value 85c.

2¼x2½ sheets, made of Boston bleached sheeting 44c. each. Value 65c.

100 doz. men's black half hose Hermsdorf dye. Value 25c. Our price 12½c.

100 doz. ladies' full regular Hermsdorf dye hose 19c pair.

Ladies' 5 hook Foster kids 75c. pr.

The greatest bargain in draperies ever offered is what they all say. Beautiful styles 40 and 45 in. wide. price 13c.

40 in. apron lawn, checks and stripes 10c.

Granite Ironware

2,3, and 4 qt Coffee pots		37,42,47c.
2,3, and 4 qt. Tea	"	37,42,47c.
2,3, and 4 qt. Sauce	"	30,32,35c.

Wash basins, 17c.

Tea kettles, 79c.

Oatmeal boilers, 37c.

Don't you find it satisfactory to trade at a store that will refund you your money for any article you buy and do not want?

That's our way of doing business.

WHITE, of Plainfield.

Fanwood Township

ORDINANCE.

Whereas two-thirds of the owners of real estate on streets known as Forest avenue, Forest Road. North First street and Clinton avenue have petitioned the Township Committee of Fanwood Township to change the names of these streets to Forest avenue for the whole length of the road or street, from the intersection of said Clinton avenue with Mountain avenue, to the intersection of said Forest Road with North avenue, the same being a continuous street or road from the points named and being greatly to the advantage of the said petitioners:

It is hereby ordained by the Township Committee of Fanwood Township, that the street or road known by the names mentioned, Forest Road, Forest avenue, North First street and Clinton avenue be and are hereby changed and are to be hereafter known as Forest avenue from the intersection of the same with Mountain avenue to its intersection with North avenue.

EDWARD L. HAND, Township Clerk.

Dated February 11, 1895. 2 15 5

Van's 2 Van's

Save your pennies, the dollars will take care of themselves.

Buy your Muslins now at the following prices:

Bleached Pillow Muslins.

1⅛ yard wide.................8c yd
1¼ yard wide.................9c yd
1½ yard wide.................11c yd

Bleached Sheeting Muslins

2 yards wide.................14c yd
2¼ yards wide.................15c yd
2½ yards wide.................16c yd

One Yard Wide Bleached Muslins.

Fruit of Loom, Dwight Anchor, Hill, Lonsdale, Barker, Gold Medal, Arcade, extra heavy, all at...6½c yd

Van Emburgh,

Corner Store, Babcock Building.

LEGGETT'S TOILET SOAP,

for the toilet, bath and nursery. 15 cents a cake, 6 cakes 75 cents. Warranted absolutely pure.

The compounding of physicians' prescriptions a specialty.

Corner Park avenue and Front street.

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106 East Front Street—NEW STORE, NEW GOODS.

Grand Opening of the Plainfield Tea and Grocery Co., Saturday, Feb. 9.

"EVERY DAY PRICES."

Fine quality mixed tea	25c	Can tomatoes, solid packed	8c
" Oolong tea	30c	Can peas, early June	8c
" Young Hyson tea	40c	Can corn, fine goods	8c
" Japan tea	40c	Fine butter	24c
XX soda crackers	4½c	Ground coffee	17½c
Ginger snaps	5½c	Java and Mocha coffee	32c
Nic-nac crackers	6c	Extra fine Maricaibo coffee	30c
California peaches	17c can	" Rio coffee	24c
		Lard	8c

All goods warranted as represented. H. T. WILLIAMS, Manager.

SHAD!

Rogers

232 W. 2d. St.

Special Bargains for February.

SHIRTS at 39c; regular price 50c.

Special buckskin gloves 98c, regular $1.50.

Saw you our Reindeer Glove for dress or driving $1.50.

HALLOCK,

109 West Front st.

Special Friday and Saturday.

Best Creamery Butter	23c
Fine Table "	21c
5 cans extra sweet corn for	25c
Best can Tomatoes	5½c can
Condensed Milk	7½c can
California canned goods extra fine quality	15½c can
2 lbs. good ground combination coffee	25c
1 lb. Tea	19c
½ lb box Cocoa	19c

At Fulper's.

Fine China, Cut Glass,

Miller Lamps, Oil Heater Stoves

Gavett's,

Next to Post-office.

EDWARD C. MULFORD,

(Armstrong Mulford, Assistant.)

Real Estate Broker and Fire Insurance,

Office 169 North ave., (opp. Railroad station.) Money to loan. 1 19 tf

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BOICE, RUNYON & CO.,

DEALERS IN

Lumber. Coal. Mason's Material. &c.

Our stock is under cover and we can always deliver dry stock. Agents for Adamant Wall Plaster. Orders solicited.

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"Settled Out of Court" is a good story, and another good thing is

PUTNAM & DeGRAW'S

new and elegant line of

STAMPED GOODS

210 West Front Street.

Ready, There

Yes! All ready at Randolph's for your patronage—A first-class pharmacy to anchor by.

Reasonable prices, courteous clerks, pure drugs and chemicals await you.

L. W. Randolph,

Prescription Druggist,

143 West Front st., Plainfield, N. J.

COL. HUSE'S STORY.

"Will you forgive me, general?"

Gen. John W. Turner was seated in his office a few days ago when these words, more in the nature of a salutation than a plea, were addressed to him. Looking up, he saw before him a man of military bearing, with snowy hair and whiskers—a man who would be noticed in a crowd. It had been many years since Gen. Turner had seen that face, but his recognition of his visitor was almost instantaneous.

"Why, Col. Huse, how glad I am to see you! Forgive you? Of course. The war is over, and I have no feeling of enmity toward those who fought on the other side."

Then followed an interchange of antebellum reminiscences that would have filled a volume.

Gen. Turner's visitor, who introduced himself in this curious fashion, was Col. Caleb Huse, of Newark, N. J. Before the war he was an instructor in chemistry at West Point, and Gen. Turner was one of his pupils. Gen. Turner shared in the trials and triumphs of the civil war as an officer of the Union army; Col. Huse, although a New England man, took a more important if less trying position in the service of the Confederacy. During those four years of which the struggle lasted Col. Huse represented the interests of the South in Europe. He was the financial agent of the Confederate government; he purchased all the supplies and arranged every detail in connection with the payment therefor.

Here is the story as told by Col. Huse to a representative of the Globe-Democrat:

"In the year 1860 I received leave of absence, it being then just ten years since I had graduated. I went to Europe and spent considerable time there. On my return, in 1861, Col. Delafield, who was superintendent of West Point, informed me that the University of Alabama desired an instructor to place the cadets of the school on a military basis. He said he had recommended me for the position, and asked me if I would like to accept it. I replied that I would, and, after some slight preliminary arrangements, I went to Alabama, and at once entered upon my new duties. In February, 1861, while there was yet no talk of war, I resigned my position as a Union officer. In the meantime, just prior to my resignation, my leave of absence had been revoked, and I had been ordered to Washington. There was nothing further from my thoughts than that of taking any part in the conflict, since I had resigned my commission. In April, however, I received a letter to go to Montgomery from Stephen R. Mallory, Secretary of the Navy, who had known me for many years. I was then just 30 years old. On the very day on which the first shot was fired on Fort Sumter I received my orders to go to Europe to purchase such ordnances as might be required during the contest which had just begun. I started out accordingly without delay. I was the sole financial agent of the government of the Confederacy in Europe. At one time I had 100,000 stands of arms waiting my order in the Imperial Arsenal at Vienna, and ten batteries of artillery at the same place. The Government of the United States tried to prevent our purchasing these, but the governments of Europe took the ground that they were ordinary manufactured products of their countries, and as such they must sell to all who desired to purchase. England, of course, had recognized the South as a belligerent, though not as a power. In any event, there were nations which were anxious to see the war continued. It was the first real attempt to conduct the affairs of a great nation on democratic principles; the prediction had been made that it was bound to go to pieces, and, the wish being father to the thought, there was a strong desire to see the prophecy verified. Then the cotton manufacturers of England were amassing fortunes. Cotton had been lying on their hands; now the supply was scarce, prices went up, and the cause of the increase in prices being the war, a continuance of the war was not in any way considered a disaster. But I am talking philosophy rather than facts. Let me come to the latter.

"As I have told you, I received my orders on the day that the first shot was fired on Fort Sumter. I arrived in Charleston on the evening of the day on which I started out. I went from there to Baltimore, by the Bay line. The navy yard at Norfolk had just been destroyed. The passengers who came on board the boat upon which I took passage made its destruction their one topic of conversation. When I arrived in Baltimore preparations were being made for the burial of the four soldiers belonging to the Massachusetts regiment who had been shot on the previous day. Needless to say the excitement was intense. Men walked through the streets muttering vengeance. One man did not know what side his neighbor espoused, so that there was a great deal of bitter discussion; there was war in the atmosphere; there was something in every look and gesture that told of the intensity of feeling which had been aroused; the talk was of war, of the treachery of the South, or the justice of the cause, as the case might be. I saw the guns being handed out from the stores of the dealers in such supplies. The point which I wished to reach was New York, but no trains were running; it was said that the bridges had all been destroyed. I therefore took a carriage for York, Pa., but got no further than Philadelphia. This city was reached on Tuesday, and from there I started for New York after a night's rest. While on the train I observed a passenger sitting behind me, whom I discovered to be Caleb Cushing, who had been a townsman of mine. I paid no attention to him, supposing that he did not know me, as I had not seen him since I was a boy. However, having left the train and taken the boat, which was necessary in those days, I again met Cushing, and raised my hat to him. He returned my salute, saying:

"'Good morning, Mr. Huse. You're on the Southern side now?'

"This was rather startling, remembering as I did that Mr. Cushing was the chairman of the Charleston convention that nominated Breckinridge for President.

"I replied: 'Yes, Mr. Cushing. What chance do you think the South has?'

"He replied in these words: 'What possible chance can it have? The manufactories of the country are all in the North; the armories and arsenals are all in the North; the arsenals of Europe are within ten days of New York, and will all be open to the United States government, while they will be closed to the South. Whole ports will be blockaded.'

"'Good morning, Mr. Cushing,' I replied, and the subject dropped.

"Now, I have arrived in New York. Here, too, the excitement was at its height. I had been warned by a friend that I would have to be careful, and the warning was scarcely necessary.

"On the morning of my reaching the city the first sight to which my attention was drawn was that of Anderson's command marching up Broadway. I had no letters of introduction; nothing which the man under such circumstances usually carries. My mission was such that letters of introduction might have proved dangerous. I knew that if my movements were to be traced it would probably be through my baggage. So this I had ordered removed to the express office, to be kept there till further instructions were received with regard to it. Subsequently I got a young friend to carry it to Liverpool, England.

"I called on the cashier of a certain New York bank and asked the question: 'Are there any letters from Montgomery?' He was greatly startled and answered me by inviting me into the bank parlor. He immediately locked the door, pulled down the shades, and then said:

"'Now, what is it?'

"I said: 'I perceive, sir, you are agitated by my calling on you; I will not embarrass you by telling you my name. If you have any letters from Montgomery, please send them round to the office of Trenholm Bros., of Pine street, to which firm's place of business I immediately proceed.' Mr. William Trenholm was one of the members of the firm. His father had been Secretary of State in the Confederacy, and his son, also, William, occupied an important position in the treasury under Cleveland's first administration. I found at the office a member of the firm, to whom I explained the object of my visit to New York. I told him that I was without money and required at least $500 with which to start for Europe. He handed me $500, I think it was. I know I received the sum which I mentioned would be necessary. The senior member of this firm of Trenholm Bros. was at Charleston; another member was at New York, and a third at Liverpool, England, in partnership with a gentleman named Frazer, both doing business under the title of Frazer & Trenholm. This explanation becomes necessary in order to enable you to understand how our financiering was done, a point upon which I will subsequently touch.

"I now went over to Canada and took a boat, the North Briton, from Hamilton, for Liverpool. But we had again to run into American waters at Portland, and here was taken on board a portion of a Maine regiment of troops, who were being moved to the front. In connection with the sea voyage there is nothing special to narrate, except one little incident which impressed itself forcibly on my mind at the time. I was silent, as you can understand, as to the object of my journey. Even to a Southern sympathizer on board I never opened my lips with reference to it. But one day at dinner the war was in some manner brought up. Sitting beside me was a young naval officer, who startled me by this remark:

"'I should not be surprised if you were sent over by Jeff Davis to buy arms for the Confederate army.'

"The matter had left such a strong impression on my mind that I can recall what I had on my dinner plate—beef and brown potatoes. I took a potato on my fork and put it into my mouth in order to gain a little time to think. When I had swallowed the potato I answered:

"'I should think if Jeff Davis wanted to send a man to Europe for any such purpose he would send some one who knew something about arms.'

"'Well,' said the young officer, 'as a rule those fellows who say least know most.'

"There the subject was allowed to drop, much to my satisfaction.

"I arrived in Europe in due time, and while there received full authority from the Confederate government to carry out my work without consultation with any one. These instructions were necessary, because of the danger of written documents being seized by the enemy. And how do you think I received this one document to which I refer? Well, it was sewed up in the sole of an old boot and carried to me one day by a young man who had come to start a paper in London to arouse sympathy for those who were fighting for the lost cause.

"How were our financial matters arranged, you ask? The plan adopted was one of the simplest in the world. Cotton was bought in the South, being paid for in paper money. It was then shipped in fast steamers to Nassau and Bermuda. From there it was consigned to Fraser, Trenholm & Co., of Liverpool, England. The proceeds of the sale of this cotton were placed to my credit, and, with the money so obtained, I purchased the supplies necessary for the Confederate army. Everything was paid for in cash, and thus the lowest prices were obtained. The confidence of the people of England in the South was unlimited. As an instance of this, let me tell you a little story of how the government of the Southern States made a profit of over $1,000,000 in 1863. There were two vessels lying in the Victoria docks, London. They had been built as opium smugglers and were for sale. They were offered to me, but I had no money with which to buy them and declined the offer. They were some time afterward purchased by some London speculators and sent to Bermuda loaded with arms, ammunition, etc., for the South. But their owners were afraid they could not run the blockade. Under these conditions I made arrangements with the new owners to buy one ship, giving in exchange for it some cotton warrants. These warrants entitled the bearer of them to a certain number of pounds at sixty days after the date of drawing. The gentleman who sold me the ship was afraid to risk sending his warrants to have them met, so he came to me and asked me for duplicates, so that, if the warrants were destroyed, he could still have the written evidence of the indebtedness. I could not give the duplicates. The ship was named the Merrimac, and a very short time afterward she was sailing from Wilmington with a load of cotton. The night was dark and stormy, and she came in collision with another vessel, her sister vessel, curiously enough. It was with difficulty she got back into port. A meeting of the board of survey was held, and it was decided that the vessel could not be repaired at Wilmington for the government. It was sold at public auction by the Confederacy, and brought no less than $1,100,000, although it had not cost $1. The next day she was sent out by her purchaser and was captured by the blockading squadron.

"I remained in Europe during the four years of the war. All that time I acted as financial agent for my government. No one had any power to purchase anything for the use of the Confederate troops but myself. Mason spent his time in England as representative of the Confederacy in a sense, and, by the way, once when he showed a disposition to interfere with me we had rather a sharp tilt.

"'I want you, major,' said he, 'to inspect some supplies which have been purchased through me under contract.'

"'I want to inspect the contract first,' I replied.

"'Young man,' said he, 'do you know to whom you are talking?' He was one of those very pompous men. 'Whom do you acknowledge as your superior?'

"'No one on this side of the water,' said I. 'The only superior I recognize is the secretary of war and the officers between him and myself.' And then I pulled out the instructions I had received and showed him the old shoe in which they had been sewed up.

"The war, like this story, came to an end. I traveled over Europe for a time, listened to some of her representative men on public affairs, and finally returned to the South. I was never in politics. My first vote was given for Tilden. Naturally, I took to business. Since then I have been engaged in it. I have forgotten the war and the cause which I represented for so long, and I have given you a history of some events connected therewith which never yet found a place in print."

Peffer Is Careful of Those Whiskers.

One of the pleasant sights occasionally met with at the Capitol is the display of harmony that exists in private among seemingly the most incompatible elements of both branches of Congress. Early during the present Congress it was almost a daily occurrence for ex-Speaker Reed and Representative Bourke Cockran of New York to sit down together by themselves in the House restaurant and eat lunch.

In the Senate restaurant the other day, a quartet sat down at a table together that created some interest. It consisted of Senators Sherman, Chandler, Cullom and Peffer. Mr. Sherman was sitting at the head of the table, Senator Peffer at his left, Mr. Chandler at his right, and Mr. Cullom next to Mr. Peffer.

The latter had tied a napkin under his chin and over his whiskers, and wore a profound look of wisdom. It lent a rich, picturesque effect to the group, and incidentally illustrated the tender care the Populist Senator from Kansas bestows upon his luxurious hirsute adornment. When out in the open air, Mr. Peffer hangs his banner on the outer wall, allowing the blasts of Boreas to dally with unrestrained freedom with his pride and joy; but no designing oyster may seek seclusion and refuge within that tropical growth of hair; no stray spatter of clam broth may tarnish the gloss of those silken strands.

While the group was thus engaged, Senator Stewart's stalwart form passed in at the door. There were a number of vacant seats at the table; but the Nevada statesman only cast a glance at his hereditary enemy, Senator Sherman, and crossed the room with serene disregard of the quartet.—Washington Post.

Holding His Congregation.

To succeed in this is one of the tests of the modern preacher. There is so much preaching, so many churches and such a multitude of lecturers and other speakers, that people leave the preacher who is dry and uninteresting. It is often a sore trial to a worthy man who is doing his very best. Sometimes congregations are heedless and blameworthy in that they desert a man they ought to stand by. A Scotch preacher was fortunate in this matter in his congregation according to the following story:

A prison chaplain was recently appointed in a certain town. He was a man who greatly magnified his office, and, entering one of the cells on his first round of inspection, he with much pomposity thus addressed the prisoner who occupied it:

"Well, sir, do you know who I am?"

"No, nor I dinna care," was the curt reply.

"Well, I am your prison chaplain."

"Oh! ye are; weel, I hae heard o' ye before."

"And what did ye hear?" returned the chaplain, his curiosity getting the better of his dignity.

"Weel," replied the prisoner, "I heerd the last two kirks ye were in ye preached them both empty, but I'll be hanged if ye'll find it sic' an easy matter tae dae the same wi' this ane."

Pool and Billiards in a Church.

The Adams, Mass., Congregational church recently dedicated a congregation house and parsonage containing some radical modern features. The house, besides containing more completely the features found in parish houses, has a bowling alley, a well equipped gymnasium, and a billiard and pool room, the most radical feature of all. The auditorium has a platform with footlights, as near an approach to a stage as could well be built in connection with a church, even in the midst of liberal Adams folk. The church has a well fitted kitchen, many tables, lots of table linen, silverware, and dishes. It has reading rooms, class rooms, and a study for the pastor.

The bowling alley is in the basement, and is always full of merry youths at accessible hours. The gymnasium in the attic is constantly patronized. Last week a class of young men were organized and Professor Seely of Williams College was engaged for instructor. The young women have become jealous, and it has been decided to prohibit the use of the gymnasium by the boys for several hours each day and turn it over to the girls, who are determined to form an athletic association, too.

The church is not selfish. It has thrown open the doors of its fine congregation house to the whole community, believing that a bettering of social conditions is a step toward purification.

There are one or two of the old conservative element who look unfavorably upon the congregation house, and its well patronized pool and billiard tables. One says:

"By and by there will be a saloon connected with every church. If you put in billiard tables, bowling alleys, and gymnasiums, and say as long as the boys will play they had better play at church, why not put in a bar, for as long as men will drink, why not let them drink at church?"—Boston Journal.

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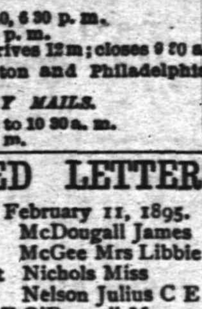

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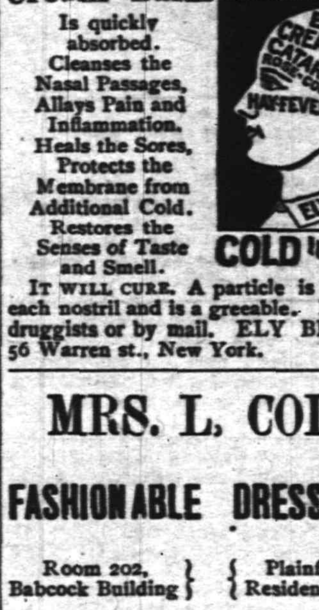

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Leave New York from foot of Liberty street 4 30, 6 00, 7 15, 8, 8 40, 9 10, 10, 11 45, A. M., 1 10, 1 30, 2 30, 3 30, 3 45, 4, 4 30, 5, 5 15, except Saturday, 5 30, 5 45, 6, 6 15, 6 30, 7, 7 30, 8, 8 30, 9 15, 10 15, 11 30 P. M. 12 15, 1, night. Sunday—4 30, 7 15, 8 30, 9 15, A. M., 12 M., 1, 2 15, 4, 5 30, 7, 9 00, 10 00 P. M., 12 15 night. 1 A. M.

PLAINFIELD AND NEWARK.

Leave Plainfield 5 38, 6 29, 6 59, 7 26, 7 59, 8, 8 40, 9 32, 10 04, 10 27, A. M., 12 06, 1 18, 2 07, 2 30, 3 12, 3 51, 4 50, 5 54, 6 54, 7 08, 8 30, 10 17, 11 29 P. M. Sunday—8 01, 8 52, 10 06, 11 28, A. M. 12 59, 1 45, 3 30, 5 36, 7 11, 8 28, 8 33, 10 17 P. M.

Leave Newark 6 10, 7 18, 7 55, 8 39, 9 08, 10 08, 11 35 A. M. 1 15, 1 35, 2 20 Saturday only, 3 50, 3 55, 4 05, 4 40, 5 04, 5 34, 5 50, 6 30, 7 15, 7 35, 8 45, 10 05, 11 35 P. M. Sunday—7 30, 8 45, 9 35, 11 35, A. M., 1 10, 2 35, 4 10, 5 40, 7 20, 9 25, 10 30 P. M.

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Leave Plainfield 5 45, 7 10, 8 16, 9 54, 11 a.m. 12 46, 2 08, 2 32, 3 45, 4 36, 5 05, 5 14, 5 34, 6 04, 6 19, 6 38, 7 12, 7 34, 8 21, 10 26, 11 23, P. M. 12 38 night Sunday—5 45, 8 28, 9 34, A. M., 2 08, 3 28, 5 14, 6 35, 10 15, 11 14 P. M.

Leave Somerville, 6, 6 30, 7 00, 7 26, 7 35, 7 45, 8 20, 9 05, 9 48, 11 40 A. M., 12 50, 1 48, 2 05, 3 25, 4 25, 5 28, 6 35, 8 07, 8 45, 11 05, P. M. Sunday 8 25, 9 45, 10 55 A. M., 12 08, 1 20 5 05, 6 45, 8 03, 8 50, 9 40 P. M.

PLAINFIELD AND EASTON.

Leave Plainfield 5 45, 8 16, 9 54, A. M., 12 46, 2 08, 5 05, 5 14, 6 38, 8 21 P. M. Sunday—5 45, 8 28 A. M. 2 08, 6 35, P. M.

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5 45 A. M. for Flemington, Easton, Allentown Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Mauch Chunk Williamsport and Tamaqua.

7 10 a. m. for stations to High Bridge, connecting for stations on High Bridge Branch.

8 16 A. M. for Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R. Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9 54 A. M. for Flemington, High Bridge branch D L & W R R, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Pottsville, Nanticoke, Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c. Through coach to Williamsport.

12 46 p. m. way for Easton, connecting at Junction for stations on D. L. & W. R. R.

2 08 P. M. for Flemington, Easton Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Sunbury and Williamsport, Wilkes-Barre and Scranton. Buffet parlor car to Mauch Chunk.

5 05 p. m., way for Easton, connecting at High Bridge for stations on High Bridge branch

5 14 P. M. for Flemington, Easton, Bethlehem, Bangor Allentown, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, Mauch Chunk Shamokin and Tamaqua, Buffet parlor car to Scranton.

6 19 P. M. for Flemington.

6 38 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading and Harrisburg.

8 21 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

5 45 A. M. Sunday for Easton, Bethlehem Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Wilkesbarre and Scranton. 8 28 a.m. Sundays for Easton, 2 08 p. m. Sundays for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Reading and Harrisburg, 6 35 p. m. Sundays for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, &c. and at Junction for D. L. & W. R. R.

For Atlantic City, 3 37 a. m. 1 18 p. m.

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For Perth Amboy, 3 37, 5 38, 8 10 27 a. m. 1 18, 3 51, 4 50, 5.54, 7 08 p.m. Sunday—8 52 a. m., 3 30 p. m.

For Freehold, 3 37, 8, 10 27 a.m., 1 18, 3 51, 4 50, p.m.

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For Trenton 5 45, 8 44, 9 40*, 10 45, a. m., 12 46, 2 08*, 5 34*, 6 38*, 8 21, 9 37* p.m., 1 12 night. Sunday—5 45, 9 34, a. m., 2 08*, 5 14* 6 35 p. m., 1 12 night.

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Leave Trenton, Warren and Tucker sts., 1 [illegible] 4 58, 9 06, 10 25, a.m. 12 15*, 2 10, 4 28*, 5 54, 9 00 p.m. Sundays—1 00, 4 58, 9 06, 10 27 a. m. 1 16*, 4 [illegible] 6 48*, 9 08 p. m.

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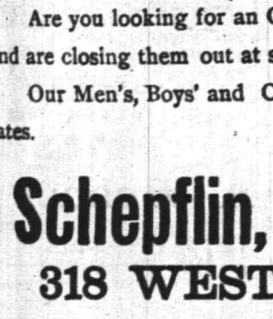

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New York, Feb. 18.—Otto Blady, a painter, 28 years old, while insane, late yesterday afternoon, cut his throat from ear to ear with a razor, then wrecked three flats at 1,712 Second avenue, and kept the police at bay for almost an hour in a fight on the roof of a five story house.

Until about a month ago, Blady was in business with his brother, Adolph, at 492 Amsterdam avenue.

They failed, and Otto accused Adolph of having cheated him out of the money he put into the business. He went to board with a former employer named Richard Palintee, who lives with his wife on the second floor of the Second avenue house.

Worried Over Losses.

He was unable to get work, and, although he seemed to have money enough for all his needs, Blady grieved constantly about the loss of his money in the painting business, and at times appeared to be losing his mind.

Yesterday afternoon Blady started out to see a man about a job. He returned shortly after 5 o'clock.

He looked wild, and acted so strangely that Mrs. Palintee, who was alone, became frightened, but tried to soothe him by kind words.

Otto sat in the dining room and Mrs. Palintee went into the kitchen to get him something to eat.

Mrs. Palintee had scarcely turned her back upon her eccentric boarder when she heard a groan, and running back into the dining room saw Blady sitting where she had left him beside the table, with blood running down his clothes from a great gash in his throat. In his hand, he still held the razor with which he had cut himself.

Three Flats Wrecked.

Mrs. Palintee uttered a shriek, and ran into the hallway to call for help.

Her cries seemed to arouse Blady to frenzy, and seizing a hatchet, he rushed about the flat, wrecking everything in it. He smashed windows and doors, broke everything breakable, and turned the place upside down.

Then he climbed into the airshaft through a small window in the bed room, and mounted by means of the cross beams to the flat on the third floor.

Into this he gained entrance by kicking out the window, and surprised John Shea, a truckman, and his bride of three weeks at dinner.

Fight with a Bloody Intruder.

The appearance of the man, covered with blood and his throat gaping, threw Mrs. Shea into hysterics, but the husband grappled with his ghastly intruder. For ten minutes they fought in a small room used as the family larder, and after the fray the Shea family produce was unfit for use.

Blady then broke away from Shea and again made for the air shaft. He climbed to the fourth floor, and played havoc in the flat occupied by Mrs. Vieth.

Again Blady climbed up the air shaft, with his head broke the skylight covering it and climbed out on the roof.

Here he stood on the coping at the front of the building and amused himself by pelting the crowd in the street with snow that he first saturated with the blood running from his throat.

The whole house and the neighborhood were in a state of panic by this time, and Policemen Reilly and McManus, of the East Eighty-eighth street station, were attracted to the scene.

Police Held at Bay

The policemen made their way to the roof, but Blady declared he would kill the first man that came near him, and he waived his hatchet in a way that made Reilly and McManus recoil from their attack.

The crazed man ran along the coping of the houses for half a block, pursued by the policemen, one of whom had drawn his revolver, but neither relished tackling their man.

By a misstep Blady stumbled and fell, the hatchet flying from his grasp. In a moment the two policemen were upon him, but it took fifteen minutes of hard fighting to overpower the maniac, although he had lost a great amount of blood.

Bound hand and foot, he was taken to the Presbyterian hospital, where the doctors do not think he can live.

It was more than an hour between the time Blady cut his throat and the time he was overpowered and taken to the hospital.

Japan Orders Battleships.

Washington, Feb. 18.—The navy department has information that Japan has ordered two first-class battleships in England to be built on the Thames, one at Blackwall and the other at London. They are to be of 12,250 tons displacement, length 370 feet, breadth 73 feet; to have armor for 226 feet of their length of from 10 to 18 inches thickness, and an indicated horse power of 4,000. Their armament will be two 12-inch breechloading rifles behind 14-inches of armor and ten 6-inch rapid fire guns. The armor plates are to be harveyized, 6,000 tons having been ordered.

Cattle Die from Exposure.

Houston, Tex., Feb. 18.—The cold's effect on cattle is said by stockmen to be disastrous. Texas live stockmen estimate the loss above 25 per cent. One member of the Texas Live Stock association says that the loss is greater to-day than it would have been ten or fifteen years ago, because the wire fencing has cut the cattle off from the bottoms.

Death on a Bob-sled.

New Brighton, S. I., Feb. 18.—Fourteen year old Thomas Burke was steering a big bob-sled, on which were about a dozen of his friends, down the Monroe avenue hill, when the sled struck a truck and Burke's head hit a wheel with force enough to fracture the skull. The boy died within a few minutes. None of the others was hurt.

REPUBLICANS IN CONFERENCE.

Mr. Platt Meets Friends—Did They Condemn Strong's Appointments?

New York, Feb. 18.—Ex-Senator Thomas C. Platt held a conference at the Fifth avenue hotel yesterday afternoon with Chairman of the State Committee Charles W. Hackett, Benjamin J. Odell, W. L. Proctor, Senators Lexow, Parsons, Kilbourne, Speaker Hamilton Fish, Edward Lauterbach, Assemblymen Hamilton, Halpin, Hoops, and other prominent republicans.

What the subject of discussion was can only be surmised as all those who attended refused to say what transpired. It is reported, however, that the gathering was for the purpose of acting on Mayor Strong's recent appointments. After it was over Mr. Platt said that no resolution condemning the mayor or mentioning him was passed. He refused to state what occurred at the conference. The only thing that he would say was that politics in general had been talked over.

On some sides it was stated that the conference had not been prolific of results, and that owing to lack of unanimity of opinion certain proposed measures of retaliation against the mayor fell through. This belief was not generally entertained, however, as it was thought the leaders had come to an understanding even though it involved no startling attack on the enemy.

PORTRAITS BY WIRE.

Successful Test of a Rapid Automatic Telegraphic Transmitter.

Chicago, Feb. 18.—W. W. Lowd, train dispatcher of the Northern Pacific railway gave a successful exhibition of his invention for transmitting pictures by telegraph. The test was made in the presence of a number of railroad officials. One of the pictures sent over the wire was that of a boy and the reproduction was exact. Later developments showed the faintest details can be transmitted even to the shading of the features of a person, a smile or a scowl. A cut was sent over the wire showing a collision between the Elbe and the Crathie. Mr. Lowd now has his device in the patent office and until the patent is secured he does not intend to explain the methods of his invention. There may be a possible question as to the right of Mr. Lowd, as this invention has been already patented by a man named Stumitz, who calls it the orograph.

TOO MUCH WHISKEY.

A Pitched Battle in a Saloon in Which a Safe Is Robbed of $1,600.

Wilkesbarre, Pa., Feb. 18.—The mining village of Midvale was the scene of a riot last night. Saturday was pay day at the mines, and the Huns, Slavs and Polanders drank freely. The Slaves and Poles engaged in a pitched battle in the saloon of Michael Canfield. The Poles drove the Slavs from the place and then assaulted the proprietor.

They wrecked everything in the place and carried the safe out into the street where they broke it open. The proprietor says it contained over $1,600, which he drew from a bank on Friday to make a payment on a property. Eight men were seriously wounded in the fight. John Molenski, it is believed, will die.

MASKED MEN ENTER THE JAIL.

Unable To Get Into the Cell They Fire a Volley at Their Victim.

Kingston, N. Y., Feb. 18.—Yesterday morning a mob of masked men, supposed to be negroes from Hamilton, surrounded Sheriff Goldworthy's house, took the keys from him and gained entrance to the jail corridor with the avowed purpose of taking out and hanging George Tracy, a negro, who shot and killed his wife at Hamilton in this county, in January. The mob was unable to get into the steel cell in which Tracy was confined with two other negroes. Tracy crawled under his bed and the mob began shooting through the bars of the cell door and succeeded in putting six bullets into his body, killing him instantly. The two prisoners confined in the cell with Tracy escaped unhurt.

200 PRISONERS TORTURED.

Armenian Outrages Still Continue. Women Carried Off.

London, Feb. 18.—Prof. Minas Tcheraz, editor of the Armenia, says he has letters from Turkey telling of more outrages. The Turks have seized several parties of peasants who were leaving the disturbed districts for the frontier, he says, have killed the men and have carried off the women. His correspondents report that elsewhere the Kurds have killed all the Armenians of any local reputations.

Another story is to the effect that some 200 Armenians, held as political prisoners in Van, are tortured periodically with the bastinado and hot irons and during the recent cold weather were obliged to go outdoors without clothes.

Claims $1,000 for a Kiss.

Alabama, Ala., Feb. 18.—An extraordinary suit has been instituted in this city. A young widow was a passenger in a train from Louisville to Nashville, and occupied a seat near those of a newly married couple. The bridegroom having left his wife's side for a moment, returned while the train was passing through a tunnel, and in the darkness kissed the widow in mistake for his wife. The lady willl not believe that it was a mistake, or an accident, and claims $1,000 from the young husband as a solace to her ruffled feelings.

Murdered by Toughs.

Logansport, Ind., Feb. 18.—Barnard Hamel who has been missing since last Monday was found last night dead in an abandoned well in the rear of Amon's carriage shop. The dead man drew $60 pension money last Monday and was seen in company with some toughs, who it is believed, murdered him and threw the body in the well, head down. No arrests have yet been made.

The Elbe's Dead.

London, Feb. 18.—The body of Wilhelm Murst, a fireman on the steamship Elbe, was washed ashore at Deal yesterday. A lifebelt was fastened to it. An Elbe mail bag was found near by. The seal, which was intact, bore the mark—"Newspapers, Bremen for Chicago." Two oars and several lifebelts from the Elbe came ashore about two miles from Deal.

WOMEN IN CONVENTION

Thousands of the Fair Sex Gather at the Capital.

Many Important Feminine Matters To Be Discussed—Nobility Adorn Washington—Social Purity in New York City May Be One of the Themes for Discussion.

Washington, Feb. 18.—To-day will witness the beginning of the greatest gathering of representative women ever held in the United States, or for the matter of that, in the world, and Washington hotels and boarding houses are filled with those who will be in attendance. The second triennial session of women of the United States convocation and it includes all the national organizations of a peculiarly feminine character. Every sphere of female effort will be represented and there will be female ministers of the gospel, politicians, lawyers, physicians, authors, editors, educators, dress reformers, social purists, prohibitionits, missionaries, church workers, stenographers, publishers, and many other classes, not to speak of women famous as millionaires, or as society leaders. Religious effort will have its representation in the National Baptist Woman's Missionary society.

Eighteen organizations will meet having a membership estimated at between 4,000,000 and 5,000,000 women.

The president of the National council is Mrs. May Wright Sewall of Indianapolis, who has declined re-election and wants Mrs. Rachael Foster Avery, the corresponding secretary to be elected as her successor.

Nobility Attend.

Many women of national and even international reputation will be in attendance. Some of them are the Countess of Aberdeen, Lady Henry Somerset, Mrs. Russell Sage, Miss Susan B. Anthony, Mrs. Elizabeth B. Grannis, well known in connection with the social purity crusade in New York city; Dr. Jennie de la Lozier, the New York physician; Mrs. Laura C. Bullard, of Brooklyn, the millionaire; the female minister of the gospel, Rev. Anna Shaw; Miss Frances E. Willard; Mrs. French Sheldon, the African explorer and Madame Alberti, the delsartist. Organizations of women in Germany, France, England, Canada, and many other countries willl also be present.

The meeting of the council, beginning to-day, will last fourteen days, and during this period thirty-two sessions will be held. Papers on a multitude of subjects will be read and action will be taken on questions of national interest in which women are concerned. Religion, dress, politics, morality and other pertinent topics will be considered.

Mrs. Sewall Talks.

Mrs. Sewall, the president of the National council, told a United Press reporter something about the council and what it expected to accomplish. She said its practical work was conducted through the agency of four standing committees namely: The committee on dress, the committee entitled "Equal Pay for Equal Work;" the committee on divorce, and the committee on patriotism. Mrs. Sewall suggested that to the male mind this might seem a curious assortment, both very feminine and very masculine, and in explanation she said:

"In proportion as a thing is perfect you know it must contain both feminine and masculine elements. But I do not know that dress is really more feminine than it is masculine. Men and women alike need to be clothed. The dress of women undoubtedly affects the health and the financial circumstances of men even more than the dress of men does. However, I suppose it is patriotism which men may think masculine. Certainly it cannot be divorce reform, since as it is impossible for any divorce to be granted that does not affect one man and one woman, that subject must be of equal masculine and feminine interest. We are sometimes told that patriotism is on the decline. I do not believe it. The highest test of patriotism that the world has hitherto demanded of a man is that he should be ready to die for his country. I am sure that day is dawning when a test superior to this will be the willingness of the men to live for their country; and in the development of this patriotism, as in the burdens of the former patriotism, women must bear their share. The new patriotism must mean such an interest in the daily affairs of one's country that one will be willing to forego some ease, some pecuniary emolument in order to give his personal attention to public affairs."

Children Find $5,500 in Gold.

Quincy, Ill., Feb. 18.—Thomas French, an old stonemason of the village of Mendon, died during the past week. When his children began to search his effects yesterday they found in an apparently dicarded bureau $5,500 in gold, all in English coin, consisting of sovereigns, guineas and crowns. They also found $350 in United States greenbacks, sewed in his clothing.

Hundreds Starving.

Hennessey, O. T., Feb. 18.—An appeal for aid has been issued by settlers in the strip. Hundreds of families are absolutely starving, eating prairie dogs and horses. The suffering is unparalleled. Cattle have been dying in droves as a result of the unprecedented "northers" which visited both territories and Texas within the past few weeks.

At the Mercy of the Waves.

Rowley, Mass., Feb. 18.—Miars Jewett and Albert Stevens, dory fishermen, lost their oars Thursday in Ipswich bay and were at the mercy of the waves for thirteen hours without food or drink. Yesterday they were picked up off Equam, in an exhausted condition, by the lightkeeper.

Italy Trains Snowbound.

Rome, Feb. 18.—A heavy snow has fallen throughout Central Italy. Three trains which left Ancona for Rome last night were able to proceed but forty miles.

Emergency Hospital

Doctors and nurses realize the necessity of counteracting the effects of the "shock" which accompanies all accident and surgical cases, and which more often proves fatal than the original cause.

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CHAPTER II.

"I confess, you have made me feel creepy," said Forrester. "By Jove! I'd feel inclined to blow my brains out if my expectations were wrenched from me! However, there is no use in going half way to meet trouble! Don't suppose I mean to throw away my money. I intend to keep a firm hold of it. My scheme is to buy a place in the country—not a grand place, you know—a superior sort of shooting lodge, and make it my headquarters; at any rate till I marry, as I suppose I shall! By the way, I saw an advertisement of the very thing I want in the paper I got at Dover." He rose as he spoke and crossed the room to where his ulster lay over a chair and pulled a newspaper from the outside pocket. With it came the lace scarf, which he threw on the table as he reseated himself to read the tempting description of ideal shooting quarters on the border, to be sold at a great sacrifice.

"Ah! well, it is time enough to think of purchasing property just yet," said Dixon. "I say, where did that come from?" nodding toward the scraf. "Have you turned a diptomaniac?"

"No!" said Forrester, smiling. "This is a treasure trove which I must return to its rightful owner. A young lady who traveled over with me from Paris—a deuced nice girl, too, Dixon! I was almost late for my train and jumped in without noticing that there was another passenger already seated till we were moving off—when I saw a young thing in black at the other side of the carriage stand up and wave a kiss to a stout, elderly, gray-bearded man on the platform. By and by I put up the window for her, and we got into conversation; it seems that she had never been in England since she was an infant. Her English was perfect, and a slight foreign accent gave it distinction. I never met any girl who talked like her. She is not what you would call pretty, but she has a pair of eyes, by Jove! you can read volumes in them, and they look you—she was so composed and at her ease. I might have been another woman for all of coquetry in her manner. I had a deuced pleasant journey, I can tell you. But for all our talk I could not get the smallest clew to who she was or where she was going, except that the gray-bearded buffer at the station was her papa. I'd like to see her again, Dixon. I picked up that scarf which she dropped at the station as she was going off. I saw her address on her wraps, and I'll take the scarf to her to-morrow."

"Don't be a fool, Cis!" said Dixon, gravely. "She may be an adventuress,

"DON'T BE A FOOL," SAID DIXON, GRAVELY.

and you are given to getting into scrapes about women. You remember—"

"No, I don't," interrupted Forrester. "Why should I worry myself about the follies of my boyhood? I never got into permanent mischief. And Dixon, there was something devilishly attractive in that girl!"

"Take my advice, don't go and see your fair friend; send the lace by parcel post with your compliments—why trouble yourself further about a chance acquaintance who may be a mere adventuress for all you know; remember you are a big catch now."

Forrester laughed heartily. "Do you think I cannot take care of myself, old man?"

"Yes, I do; you are just the sort of fellow to get into a scrape, and pay dear for extrication."

"Many thanks for your flattering opinion! I'll see how I feel to-morrow. I may not be inclined to take a journey due north—my charming companion lives at Kilburn. But, Dixon, your news has taken the bloom off my glorious anticipations! What do you think of the outlook?"

"Oh, the other side will have to prove a lot, the marriage, the birth, identity and no end of points. I have no great fear, but we had better be careful."

"I shall try to enjoy the next few weeks, whatever happens! There's nothing so foolish as not to improve the shining hour."

The following day was fully and pleasantly occupied. With replenished pockets, Forrester visited high-class tailoring and outfitting establishments, also his club, where he was recognized by several acquaintances and cordially greeted. He was always popular, and vague rumors of his succession to untold wealth threw his popularity into high relief.

"It is all deucedly pleasant," he thought, as he sat at breakfast the second morning after his arrival in London. "Gad! everything wears a new aspect, but—" There was a break in the current of his thought, he became vaguely aware that something was wanting, and at the same moment his eyes fell upon the black lace scarf which hung neglected over the back of a chair.

"By Jove, *I will* go and see her!" he exclaimed, half aloud. "I am not such a fool as Dixon thinks. Why should I avoid a bit of harmless amusement," he reflected. "Her eyes have haunted me ever since we said good-by—and she'll miss her scarf. Yes, I'll be off to Kilburn as soon as it is late enough to call. I suppose I *may* call before luncheon?—there is nothing very prim or stuck up about her! Then I can get back in time to look at that mare Bligh was recommending. I'll be off, and frighten old Dixon with an account of my visit after it has become an accomplished fact!"

He finished his breakfast very deliberately—walked to his club, where he read and replied to several letters, looked in at his bootmaker's and tailor's, and at length hailed a hansom and set forth on his voyage of discovery.

"Thirteen Alma terrace, Kilburn," he said authoritatively to the driver.

"Beg pardon, sir, but is it before or after we come to the station?"

"Oh! I haven't the faintest notion! Ask the policeman or anyone when we get near it."

"Kilburn is a biggish place, sir," returned the Jehu, and they drove off at a good pace.

It took many inquiries and divers turnings to and fro, back and forward, before Alma terrace was discovered, and proved to be a melancholy road bordered by semi-detached villas, with very high, steep steps to their front doors. No. 13 had very fresh lace curtains and brightly polished brass handles, and a neatly-kept garden.

"Wait," said Forrester, descending and ringing the bell. The garden gate

"PLEASE WALK IN, SIR."

was unlatched by some machinery from within, and by the time he had ascended the high steps the door was opened by a rosy-faced girl of perhaps twelve, with a huge cap and long white apron.

"Please walk in, sir," was her reply to his inquiry for Miss Cavallo, and Forrester was ushered into a front room which opened into another at the back originally by folding doors, which were now removed and replaced by portieres of many colors. Cheap Japanese screens, brackets upholding specimens of indefinite china, painted tambourines, photographs, oleographs, and many other "*objects d' art*" decorated the walls. Some gay colored rugs here and there partially hid a threadbare carpet. A widely varied collection of chairs offered rest to the weary, and a sofa, draped by a huge rug of kangaroo skins filled a good deal of space in the back room.

Forrester stood in the window gazing at the door, which soon opened to admit his traveling companion who came in with a half-amused smile playing on her lips and gleaming in her eyes. She held his card in one hand.

"It *is* you, then?" putting out the other to him. "I was so puzzled who Capt. Forrester could be."

"I have taken the liberty of calling without permission," began Forrester. "But I was anxious to restore your property which I found on the floor directly after you left the station. I tried to overtake you in vain. Now, here it is," and he took the scarf from his pocket.

"Oh, thank you very much! I was so vexed when I missed it! My mother gave it to me on my seventeenth birthday. I value it greatly. Pray sit down."

She unfolded and examined the lace, saying softly: "I am so glad to have it again!" Then she lifted her smiling eyes to his and added: "It is very good of you to take this trouble. Hold—how did you find me out?"

"That was easy enough. I am not so unobservant as to miss making a mental note of the address on your wraps! After enjoying a talk with you I was anxious not quite to lose sight of so agreeable a companion!"

"That is very flattering," she returned, laughing a pleasant refined laugh, Forrester thought. "I did not think that words of wisdom came naturally to me."

"Oh! I do not mean to insult you by saying that your conversation was improving. That would not have created a wish to hear it again. Are you going to make any stay in town?"

"I may be here a month; I may be longer."

"Why do you banish yourself to these wilds? You are too far from everything."

"Because there is no other place for me. I am alone and know no one in London except Mrs. Bartlett, and she is a friend of my father and mother. Mrs. Bartlett is my hostess, the lady who came to meet me."

"Oh! you'll be deucedly bored here. What are you going to do with yourself?"

"Oh, no, I have plenty to do. No one is bored who is not idle. I am going out with Mrs. Bartlett this afternoon to present some of my letters of introduction. That will take most of the afternoon. In the morning I have my practicing and letters to write."

"Indeed—but all that is not amusing," said Forrester, much puzzled. Why should she present letters of introduction? What was her business? Why did she want business?

"Perhaps it is interesting, which is better than amusing. I came over to try and find engagements as a concert singer, though I fear it will be very difficult."

—a long-drawn ah!

"I am rather anxious about it. You see my father has spent a great deal of money upon me, both in Paris and Milan, and I want to make some return. Are you fond of music, Capt. Forrester, and do you know any musical people?"

"I am decently fond of music, but must acknowledge that I only ignorantly worship! The only musical personage I know is a Dr. Delaney. He was in my regiment. He has retired now, and lives somewhere in the north. He used to sing Irish melodies and Jacobite ditties very well indeed."

"He was not professional."

"No."

"Ah—" she evidently dismissed Delaney.

"Though I am no judge, may I venture to ask for a song?" asked Forrester.

"You would really like to hear me sing?"

"Beyond everything!"

"Then you must tell me *truly* if you think my singing would please English people."

"I shall be brutally frank," said Forrester.

"Yes, pray do!" She rose and went to an open piano on which lay a quantity of music. "I shall sing you a little Neapolian Barcarolle," she said, "quite one of the people's songs."

The accompaniment imitated a guitar. Her voice was contralto, wonderfully rich and full, to come from so slight a form. She sang with spirit and expression, putting a graceful *espieglerie* into her rendering of the verses.

"If the public don't like *that* they will be hard to please!" exclaimed Forrester fervently.

"You like it? Yes, I see you do! and I suppose you represent the ordinary cultivated public!" and she turned to look at him. Forrester was greatly fascinated, she was so frank, so unaffected, so in earnest about her work and transparently simple into the bargain.

Their talk flowed easily, until interrupted by the entrance of Mrs. Bartlett, who sailed in attired in a trailing black silk afternoon dress, a cap of black and gold lace with streamers of red ribbon and a 'pincenes' with a long handle hung by a ribbon from her neck. Her nose looked even more prominent without the background of a bonnet. Smiles wreathed her lips and satisfaction beamed in her eyes which were something the color of a boiled gooseberry.

"Now this is nice and friendly of the professor," she began, when she interrupted herself, "why, it is the gentleman you traveled over with, Angela."

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—A cottage meeting will be held tonight at 8 at H. VanMiddlesworth's, 108 Liberty street, near West Front street. Everybody is welcome, especially Endeavorers.

NOTICE.

As directed by a resolution of the Township Committee of the township of Fanwood, county of Union, State of New Jersey, notice is hereby given that an application has been made to the Township Committee of the township of Fanwood aforesaid, by the New York and Philadelphia Traction Company, for permission to construct, operate and maintain a street railroad, with one or more tracks and necessary turnouts, to be operated by electricity or other motive power except steam, and to erect necessary poles, conduits and wires, power plant and necessary buildings along the following routes:

Beginning in the division line between the city of Plainfield and the Township of Fanwood where Midway avenue crosses said division line and running thence in an easterly direction along Midway avenue to its connection with North avenue; thence still easterly along North avenue to the division line between the Townships of Fanwood and Westfield.

Beginning at the intersection of Mountain avenue and Forrest avenue or road, in the village of Scotch Plains, in the twp of Fanwood and running thence southeasterly along Forrest avenue or road to its intersection with North avenue; thence southerly along said North avenue to Depot street; thence to a point at or near the Fanwood station of the Central Railroad of New Jersey.

The name of the corporation making the application is the New York and Philadelphia Traction Company.

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AT REST.

"Aunt Hetty" Johnson.

Death removed from a circle of loving friends last Thursday the dear soul known to all as "Aunt Hetty", relict of Clark Johnson. She would have been 77 years of age April 12. Her life was a shining example of Christian piety, and her memory is a blessed heritage.

At the 1818-1893 celebration of the First Baptist Church of Plainfield, the historical discourse reviewing the church records for the 75th anniversary referred as follows to "Aunt Hetty" and other saints long in the faith:

"Only five of those who united with the church under Mr. Hill are with us now, Zerniah Stead, widow of Deacon Stead, now in her 96th year, Mahala Sims, Mrs. Hetty Johnson, Jerome Pack, by baptism, and William C. Ayres by letter."

Services for "Aunt Hetty" were held Saturday, Feb. 16, at the home of her son, Russell C. Johnson, 167 West 81st street, New York. Rev. Dr. David J. Yerkes, pastor, officiated, and spoke tenderly and fittingly of the departed. Sunday morning the body was brought to Plainfield, and laid at rest in the Evergreen Cemetery beside the husband who preceded her to Paradise. At the funeral services two beautiful hymns were sung above the casket by a quartette from Astor Lodge, F. and A. M., of which Russell C. Johnson is a member. In a letter of condolence sent to Mr. Johnson by the lodge, was the following beautiful quotation:

"With the morn that angel face may smile
Which you have loved long since and lost awhile."

Have You Been to the Mission?

The subject of Dr. Barrett's sermon last night was "Immortal Life". He showed first that there was no scientific obstacle to our belief in immortality. The righteousness and justice of God require us to believe in it. The unconquerable thirst which men have for immortality, the horror which they feel for annihiliation, can only be explained by the belief that this god-given hunger will be satisfied. The suffering and disciplining of God's children can only be explained by the fact that we are being educated for another and a higher life. The terrible wrongs of this world can be justified by the other life in which all wrongs shall be righted.

Go to Grace Church tonight, and hear the sermon on the "Divinity of Christ". Everybody is invited.

Before Justice Nash.

The following is the new business transacted before Justice Nash:

Mott Iron Works against Leland, judgment entered for $195.98 and costs.

Crosby against Walsh, landlord and tenant, decision for plaintiff.

Conroy against Keeler, on contract, adjourned to Feb. 27.

Fisher against Scofield, on contract, adjourned to Feb. 23.

In Memory of George.

Special Washington's Birthday exercises are being planned at the North Plainfield Public School for next Thursday. New songs have been learned, and six from each of the higher classes are expected to take part. It is expected that the exercises will be held in the afternoon. All friends of the school will be heartily welcome.

Both Mills Are Landmarks.

George Lederer, who lately purchased the hide, skin and tallow business from Robinson Pound, is doing well in his new venture, and is making a large number of acquaintances, both in a business way and socially. Mr. Lederer's business stand is alongside the old raceway that turns the big wheel of French's mill.

Free to Men.

F. B. Hoagland will speak, the Park sisters, cornetists, of New York, will play, and the double male quartette of the Association will sing, at the Y. M. C. A. meeting to be held in the large hall this evening at 8. The meeting is free to all men.

Plainfield Well Represented.

Stevens Institute of Technology of Hoboken has just issued a new catalogue. Plainfield is represented at the Institute proper by W. B. Rittenhouse and Warren Church. The boys from this city on the list of students in the Stevens Preparatory school are W. E. Probasco, Alfred Loizeaux and J. W. Beveridge. The various courses have been greatly changed, and a number of improvements were made.

—Miss Davenport's dancing class, which usually meets in the Park club-house, will give a dance the afternoon of Washington's Birthday.

Four Big Successes.

Having the needed merit to more than make good all the advertising claimed for them, the following four remedies have reached a phenomenal sale. Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption, coughs and colds, each bottle guaranteed.—Electric Bitters, the great remedy for liver, stomach and kidneys. Bucklen's Arnica Salve, the best in the world, and Dr. King's New Life Pills, which are a perfect pill. All these remedies are guaranteed to do just what is claimed for them and the dealer whose name is attached herewith will be glad to tell you more of them. Sold at L. W. Randolph's drug store.

OFF THE TRACK.

Obstacles Heaped Before the Local Trolley Traction.

CITIZENS WITHHOLD CONSENTS.

Company Working Hard to Get Rights of Way for the Extensions To the Central Station—Another Council Meeting Next Week—Policemen Confirmed—License Ordinance Amended—Other Business.

The rapid-transit train was switched off the track by the fine Italian hand of the oldtime obstructionists last night, and the Common Council had to wait the arrival of the wrecking-train Chandler W. Riker. Mr. Riker was expected to be on hand to superintend the progress of the street-railway-extension franchise through the Council; but before the session Chairman Fisk of the Committee on Streets received a telegram, which he read to the Council when that body had convened, stating that because of obstinate property-owners near the North Avenue station it would be impossible to present the matter before the Council that night.

"We expected"—said Mr. Fisk—"to be able to offer the ordinance granting the extensions for which the company and the committee have been working; but we are of course prevented from proceeding on account of the trouble in getting consents."

On motion of Mr. Fisk it was decided to meet again Monday night, Feb. 25, at 8, when, he said, not only the street-railway but also several other matters would be ready for consideration.

To a reporter of The Daily Press, after the meeting Mr. Fisk said that the trouble on the eastern extension was chiefly from Fifth street people, and partly from those on Sixth street as well. Of course, he added, the company can get from Netherwood to the North Avenue station by way of Richmond street, but it wants to avoid going around Robin Hood's barn, and will make every effort to get through Fifth street. The obstruction to the West End extension is that it has thus far been impossible to get consents enabling the line to get a clear way to the North Avenue station. The company wants to complete the extensions at the start, bringing all cars to the central station, and it is now at work to overcome the obstacles which have been cast up before it. I hope that all will be ready next week Monday."

THE LICENSE QUESTION.

An important ordinance was introduced by Mr. Moore. It provided for the amendment of the liquor-license ordinance so that an applicant for license would not have to get the signature of the owner of the building in a case where the applicant was a tenant under a 10-years lease, if said lease had been secured with the owner's having full knowledge that the tenant was to conduct a liquor business on the premises.

The ordinance was as petitioned for at a previous session by Alexander D. Findlay, who represented that his landlord, Chas. Bock, had declined to sign his application this year although Bock had agreed at the signing of his 10-years lease a few seasons before that he might conduct a liquor business on the property during the life of the lease.

Mr. Dumont thought that it was unwise to attempt to amend the liquor ordinance while several other applications for license were pending.

"This"—he said—"is an effort to assist a man to carry out a contract—which I do n't approve."

On motion of Mr. Fisk the ordinance was tabled. Mr. Findlay's application has been advertised with Mr. Bock's signature attached, since his petition to the Council for the amendment.

POLICEMEN CONFIRMED.

The Police Board reported that the nominations by the Mayor of Nicholas Meyers and John Hartpence for regular policemen and Martin Vanderweg for special policeman had been investigated and approved. They therefore moved that the nominations be confirmed, and this was unanimously done.

Henry Haurand applied for a license to sell liquor at 115 East Front street. The application was referred to the Committee on License.

An application for an electric light on Arlington avenue between 300 and 400 feet beyond Ninth street, was referred to the Committee on Police and Public Lights, with power.

Mr. Erickson said that a number of reports and papers had been committed by the Council of '94 to the City Clerk for transfer to the Council of '95, and added "I 'd like to know where they are!" "Down stairs!" said Clerk MacMurray, and went down to get them. When he came back he had packages for several of the committees, and they were distributed.

AGAINST THE TROLLEY.

The memorial of the School Board against the passage of the electric railway through Arlington avenue between Fourth and Fifth streets, past the Stillman and the Franklin schools, or which these columns have already spoken, was read and referred to the Commitee on Streets. The document urged that the noise of the cars would interfere with the studies in the schools, and that there would be danger to the children attending the schools and using the avenue where the cars passed.

Accounts were ordered settled, minutes of the previous session were approved, and all the Councilmen went home except Messrs. Bird, Frost and Stockton, who were n't at the meeting.

A LADY OF FASHION

is said to have a rope of diamonds—holes bored through them so that she can put 'em on a string like beads. This is a very poor way in which to treat gems. Yet purely from the romantic point of view,

"THE HOLLOW RUBY"

may possess brilliant and prismatic beauties such as are found in the story of that title which Julian Hawthorne has written and which is to be published in The Daily Press, beginning Saturday, Feb. 23.

It is, of course, a tale of Eastern life and is full of startling incident and humor. Hawthorne has surpassed himself in this novel story, and it has been fully and fittingly illustrated.

Like all the serials published in these columns, it is brand-new and copyrighted.

Judges, Not Jude.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE DAILY PRESS:—In looking over The Press for February 16, under the headline "Memorizing the Bible', I see these references:

"A riddle at the marriage feast"—Jude XIV: 14.

"Gideon's signs"—Jude VI: 36.

As there is only one chapter of only 25 verses in the book of Jude, in my Bible, I would like to have an explanation of the above.

Do not think that I am a Bible student, or that I am criticizing, but I am always interested in news of this kind, and make it a point to preserve all such good things as this. But I want them correct. Please enlighten the ignorant, as I know The Press shines for all.

HOBOKEN LAWYER.

[The references were attributed to Jude by typographical error in spelling out the abbreviation "Jud". Judges is the book meant in both cases.—ED.]

Tea, Candy, and Dolls That Do Things.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE DAILY PRESS: You announced last week the coming entertainment of the Young Ladies Mission Band of the Presbyterian churches.

We have had to change the date, and so on Feb. 28, in the parlors of the Crescent Avenue Church, from 4 to 10 o'clock, tea will be served, an exhibition of glace candy-making given, and a valuable collection of live dolls displayed.

Will you kindly make note of this? Further information will be furnished as plans are perfected.

MISS M. J. PETRIE,
for the Mission Band.

Feb. 18, 1895.

Seven Additions to the Substitute Force

The civil service examination papers were received by the local board of examiners yesterday from Washington, showing that the following passed successfully in the examinations held in this city February 2:

Clerks—F. L. Lancaster, Frank J. Quase.

Carriers—Wm. T. Newman, C. J. Shay, Charles F. Glaentzer, Wm. H. Milliken, Jules Stephany.

Temperance in Roselle.

John H. Sayers delivered an address before the Sons of Temperance in Roselle last night. The attendance was good, and the talk served as an incentive to considerable enthusiasm among his hearers. Hereafter the division will hold their meetings in a public hall, instead of a parlor circle.

Sam Allen Landed.

Col. Waring, Commissioner of Street Cleaning of New York city, through his assistant Col. Chas. K. Moore, late of Fanwood, has appointed as foreman Plainfield's own Samuel C. M. Allen. Mr Allen has had experience enough, and his friends hope that he will succeed in his new venture.

Masquerade in the Mountains.

At Gillette, the palatial country residence of the son of the late ex-Mayor Lang of Newark, there will be an invitation masquerade party, Thursday evening. Guests from New York, Newark, Jersey City and Plainfield will be present, and Frazee of this city will furnish the music.

—Love at first sight never occurs more genuinely than in meeting of the feminine fair with the embroideries at Peck's.

O. W. O. Hardman, sheriff of Tyler Co., W. Va., appreciates a good thing and does not hesitate to say so. He was almost prostrated with a cold when he procured a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. He says: "It gave me prompt relief. I find it to be an invaluable remedy for coughs and colds." For sale at Reynolds's pharmacy, Park and North aves. T. S. Armstrong, manager.

THE GUTTER FOR A BED.

But Officer Frederickson Thought the Police Station Was a Better Place.

Matthew McGrath is a hobo, and like all of his kind when he is n't broke he is before a bar in a saloon, with the result of usually landing before the bar of justice. At least this is the particular experience which McGrath has every time he comes to Plainfield.

Yesterday he struck town, and, possessing a little change, he immediately proceeded to fill up on cheap whiskey, and naturally enough at dusk felt the need of sleep. He acted on the impulse of the moment, and either lay or fell down in the gutter on Second street.

Shortly after Policeman Frederickson came along and gathered in the sleepy McGrath, and conveyed him to a more secluded if not better bed in the alleged police station.

When arraigned this morning he admitted he was drunk, and when the Judge asked him what his occupation was he replied: "Well, I tell you, Judge, there 's no use lying to you, I mend umbrellas. But say, if you'll let me go I'll promise to get right out of town."

Inasmuch as the culprit's only fault was shiftlessness and an appetite for liquor, he was told to get and stay away for a year.

He made his exit with alacrity, and started on a bee-line for Scotch Plains.

THE TABLES TURNED.

This Time the Son-in-Law Is to Blame, and Not the Mother-in-Law.

Thomas Eagan married the daughter of Mrs. Lawler of Spooner avenue. There is standing joke that ordinarily a mother-in-law is the bane of her daughter's husband, but in police court this morning the circumstances were reversed, and Eagan was before His Honor for annoying Mrs. Lawler.

Eagan lives in New York with his wife and little child, and earns a livelihood by ringing fares on a Broadway cable car. Yesterday he took a day off, and came to Plainfield to renew acquaintance with his friends and incidentally to pay his respects to his mother-in-law. He saw his friends first, and during the various chats imbibed considerable of the amber fluid, which had a vivifying effect on his inward spirits, but a disastrous effect on his outward appearance.

Then he started to see Mrs. Lawler, but she saw him first and barricaded the door against his entrance, and sent a messenger after Policeman McCue, who arrived and took Eagan into custody.

During the night word had been sent to his wife, and she and the child appeared in court this morning, to intercede, if necessary, in his behalf.

But it was n't necessary for Mrs. Lawler did not want to press the charge. After some interchange of words with the prisoner, she asked Judge Coddington to let him off, if he would promise not to annoy her any more. He promised, and the family left the court, Mrs. Lawler meanwhile imforming him if he ever came near her again, she would let the law take its course.

Tennis Court Skating.

Young people of Washington Park are now enjoying all the delights of skating without having to walk to some of the distant ponds. The ice on the tennis court of Mr. Overton of Rockview avenue, which was flooded just before the blizzard, has been swept off, allowing the boys and girls of the neighborhood to glide across its glassy surface.

To Rehabilitate His Castle.

"Count" J. K. VanNess, the legal luminary who resides on a large estate of his own between this city and the village of Scotch Plains, contemplates many improvements on his property when the frost leaves the ground.

Building Loan Election.

An adjourned meeting of the New Jersey Building Loan and Investment Company, for the election of officers, will be held in the office of Bolce, Runyon & Co., this evening at 8.

To Make Boys Better.

The boys department of the Y. M. C. A. is planning for an active year. Meetings for boys will be held Sunday afternoons, and it is planned to have practical talks on subjects of interest every two weeks. The impetus given the work by the Convention will aid greatly. A conference was held yesterday afternoon by Mr. Manning, Mr. Clemens, and some of the younger members, at which plans were thoroughly discussed.

Gun Club to Build.

The Independent Gun Club of this city and North Plainfield held a special meeting in the Crescent Hotel last evening and decided to erect a club-house on their grounds near Hyde's woods. The plans and specifications are now out, and the club will soon commence the construction. The building will be 18x24. It will be a fireproof building. There will also be a large platform surrounding the structure.

Leal's '95.

The class of '95 in Leal's School have chosen a class pin. It is an ornamented shield covered with maroon enamel, on which "Leal's" and "'95" are lettered in gold. The design is very pretty.

VICTORY FOR GRANT.

Police Board Unanimously Reappoint Him Captain.

'T WAS DONE SATURDAY NIGHT.

Captain Grant Had n't Been Told Till a Daily Press Reporter Congratulated Him—Council Not Yet Notified.

In spite of the repeated malicious and venomous attacks of the so-called Republican organ, George W. Grant was on Saturday night reappointed Captain of Police for the year, at a salary as before of $90 a month.

The reappointment was unanimous.

When a reporter of The Daily Press talked with Mayor Gilbert this morning about the matter the Mayor expressed surprise that the reappointment had not been reported to the Council at the meeting of last night.

Captain Grant had not heard of the news till The Press told and congratulated him. He was appreciative of the victory he has won over his enemies, and said he would devote all his energies to the protection of property and the enforcement of the city ordinances, as heretofore. He will be heartily supported by a most efficient corps of experienced officers.

AS SUDDEN AS SAD.

Mrs. Harriett Sarson, Stricken with Illness in the Morning, Dies in the Afternoon.

Yesterday afternoon at 4 occurred the death of Mrs. Harriett Sarson, which was as sudden as it was sad.

During the early hours of the morning Mrs. Sarson had been engaged about her household duties at her home, corner of West Front street and Grant avenue, and was apparently enjoying the best of health.

Just before 9 she stepped into the home of Mrs. James C. Neils, who resides next door, as she had been in the habit of making friendly calls among her neighbors at odd moments, and was engaged in conversation concerning the passing incidents of the day, when she was stricken with serious internal pains, which continued to grow more overpowering every minute. She was assisted to a couch, and Dr. J. B. Probasco summoned, but he was unable either to relieve her suffering, or find what the ailment was. At 2 Dr. W. H. Murray was called into council, but no successful remedy was devised.

During the intervening time Miss May, her daughter, was at her side, and Mr. Sarson was summoned from his work at the Ackerman house, and between them, with the assistance of sympathizing neighbors, every effort was exhausted in the endeavor to relieve her distress, but without avail. And surrounded by her husband and only daughter, and the circle of friends, her life-light went out at 4, the home thereby losing a lovable wife and mother and the community an excellent type of womanhood. The family have resided in Plainfield for five years, and during that period Mrs. Sarson has won her way into the hearts of all with whom she has come in contact, by the genial and obliging disposition which were her characteristics in and out of home.

The demise is made doubly sad to her family by reason of the fact that extensive preparations were making for an elaborate wedding at Miss May's marriage to Austin Compton, March 13. Of course the event will be one of simplicity and quietude now.

A postmortem examination over the remains will be held this afternoon by the attending physicians.

The interment will take place in Plainfield.

TO FLORIDA.

Personally-Conducted Tours via Pennsylvania Railroad.

To the large number of people who feel the need of a midwinter as well as a midsummer holiday, the Pennsylvania Railroad Company's personally-conducted tours to Florida especially commend themselves; the excursion rates being most liberal and the style of travel first-class in every particular.

The next of the series of Jacksonville tours, allowing two-weeks stay in Florida, will leave New York and Philadelphia Feb. 26, and others will leave March 12 and 26. The rate, including transportation, meals en route, and Pullman berth on special train, is $50 from New York, and $48 from Philadelphia; proportionate rates from other points.

For further information apply to Ticket Agent, or address Tourist Agent, 1196 Broadway, New York, or Room 411, Broad Street Station, Philadelphia, to whom application for space should also be made.

To Have a Smithy of His Own.

Thomas Marley, for over 18 years a faithful employe of Horse-shoer Michael Quinn, intends to embark in business on his own account in a few weeks. Mr. Marley is not yet ready to announce his location, but will do so in due time through the columns of The Press.

EVANGELIZING YOUNG MEN.

Plainfield's Y. M. C. A. Continues the Good Work of Convention Week.

The promoters of the series of meetings which were opened last night in the Assembly Hall of the Y. M. C. A. are in a fair way of enjoying a realization of success, for last night a large number of young men were present, several of whom took the first step towards living better lives.

The meeting was conducted by Frank B. Hoagland, and opened with a song service, the Parks sisters adding much to the music by their cornet playing.

Mr. Hoagland's opening talk was brief, but pointed. He knew that there were a great many in the audience who were Christians, and a number who were not. It was among the latter that it was hoped some good would be done. He said, however, that it was very seldom that he found persons who never gave a thought to teachings of the Bible. A great many come to the Association rooms simply for the physical, mental and social advantages, but the object was to get them into the circle of Christianity.

The talk was followed by several relating their experiences, after which nine raised their hands to indicate that they were ready to join the army of religious workers. An after-meeting was held in which these nine were counseled and advised.

Announcement was made that a meeting would be held Friday evening, notwithstanding that it was a holiday.

TO SELL MUSIC HALL.

Stockholders Vote to Dissolve the Corporation.

A meeting of the stockholders of Music Hall Association was held yesterday afternoon at which 570 out of 800 shares were represented. For years the hall has been what might be termed a white elephant on the hands of its owners, and at this meeting it was decided to dispose of the property and dissolve the Association. The vote on this proposition was unanimous. It will be some weeks, however, before this can be consummated, owing to the necessity of complying with corporation laws relative thereto. The Board of Directors will under the law have charge as trustees of the matter of arranging the details to dispose of the property. It is understood that several persons are inclined to purchase the hall, if they can get it at their price.

Lenten Services, Church of the Redeemer.

Rector Johnstone of the Church of the Redeemer announces the following services during Lent:

Feb. 27, Ash Wednesday—Celebration of Holy Communion and sermon, 11:15 a. m.

Kalendar for every week with the exception of Holy Week: Sunday—Celebration of Holy Communion, 7:30 a. m.; second celebration, on the first Sunday of the month, 11:15 a. m.; morning service and sermon, 11:15 a. m.; Sunday-school, 3 p. m.; children's service, 3:45 p. m.; evening prayer with address, 4:30. Monday—Evening prayer, 4:30. Tuesday—Evening prayer, 4:30. Wednesday—Celebration of Holy Communion, 10 a. m.; evening prayer, 4:30; confirmation class, 5 p. m. Thursday—evening prayer, 4:30. Friday—evening prayer with sermon, 8. Saturday—Evening prayer, 4:30.

March 25, Feast of the Annunciation—Celebration of Holy Communion, 10 a. m.

Services during Holy Week: April 8, Monday before Easter, 10 a. m.; April 9, Tuesday before Easter, 10 a. m.; April 10, Wednesday before Easter, 10 a. m.. April 11, Maundy Thursday, 10 a. m.; April 12, Good Friday, 11:15 a. m.; 8 p. m.; April 13, Easter Even, 10 a. m.

Good Voices and Nimble Feet.

Those stellar comedians, Conroy & Fox, with their clever company of singing and dancing comedians, will present a new musical comedy, "Hot Tamales", in Music Hall, Washington's birthday, matinee and night; and it will be in keeping with their reputation for refined and humorous

work. The singing of Miss Josie La-Fountaine is charming, and Messrs. Harry E. Fairbanks and J. C. Cherry possess powerful and effective tenor and basso voices respectively. The comic portion is stimulated by the splendid dancing of Thomas Watson, and of Ben Shields the ex-ball player. Miss Kittie Allen is a wonderful wing-and-duck dancer, and Miss Alice Gilmore, the famous Irish character actress, singer and dancer, has no equal. The others are all well-known, among them being Miss Dot, Miss Marble and Miss Cassie Stevens.

WOMEN'S CONVENTION

Mrs. Mosher Speaks to the Triennial Assembly.

The Professor of French and History at the Hillsdale, Mich., College, Talks on What Will Increase the Happiness of Home—Some Interesting Remarks.

Washington, Feb. 19.—Mrs. Stewart Mosher, professor of French and history, Hillsdale college, Hillsdale, Mich., spoke on "The Ethical Adjustment of Woman's Home and Sociological Duties." After an introduction alluding to women in history noted for home devotion and public ability and the increasing demands upon woman's time owing to the advancement and opportunities of the age, she said:

Many a woman in the medium walks of life, seeing with clear eye the opportunities for self development, is asking with burdened conscience what should be done and what left undone? How may the duties of domestic and home life imposed by a loved father and mother, husband, brother, sister or children be faithfully met, and the demands of society, culture, inclination, the church, and philanthropy receive due attention? Regarding home as paramount let us give to domestic labor that dignity and reverence which it deserves.

Our Homes a Sacred Trust.

The home, that altar the most sacred of human building, whose shrine is near the heavenly gate and whose flame it lighted with God's love, the bulwark of our nation's liberties and the promise of its perpetuities, our homes are the most sacred trusts committed to human hands. The highest graces of character are demanded by the sick and suffering of our households. The entrance to life and the passing therefrom bring us alongside the most solemn mysteries of existence. Holy must be the priestess who approaches thus near the great God at work. The hearthstone to which our loved men and women, buffeting the world in strife for honor or wealth, return is the pivot around which revolve the influences arousing to better or worse impulses, and a satisfactory, a refreshing supper, and a peaceful evening have helped more than one to prosperity, while unpalatable food, annoying surroundings, fretful and fretting home influences may compel St. Peter to refuse more than one expected guest at the gates of paradise.

Servant Girl System.

It often happens that there must be helpers in our homes, and here commence many of our perplexities. The servant girl system needs a reformation in which maid and mistress must have a share. Let us be broad and cordial in the recognition we give our home keepers in whatever station they are, and so shall home duties maintain their equipose in the new demands and opportunities of the age.

Again let us notice, first, that the home and the public sides present themselves with various demands and attractions. To some the duties of wifehood, motherhood, sisterhood, come with imperative force and the answering desires of their natures make response.

With Many Talents.

For them the home is engrossing and satisfying, but it behooved them with wisdom and order to adjust those duties to the outside demands that they may return their talents ten fold to their families. Home life is their profession, yet they need to go outside the domestic circle for social pleasure and self improvement and to add their contribution to the general work of the world.

There come calls of life to many a woman from more public directions, business, the law, the pulpit, the school-room demand for help in scores of undomestic ways. Must there in consequence be a complete severance from home duties? The proportion of men and women is such that many may be relieved from immediate home responsibilities. Their hours of service may be elsewhere, but though their hearthstones may be under the immediate control of sister or friend, its sweets and blessings are theirs in proportion as they contribute thought, money or love. The single woman has the opportunity to carry into the ruder, more selfish struggle for the necessities of existence the true womanly instincts which should help to make of the whole world, a home of the race, a faint prototype of the celestial home shadowed in all creeds.

Teachings of the Mother.

The sociological duties, which the present age is demanding of women, the enlargement and the completer fulfilling of the old. Nature gives the teaching of the little child to the mother. It does not say when her power to teach is exhausted. It is no new principle that to-day has intrusted our public schools almost exclusively to women and is calling them to honored positions upon school-boards and among college and university faculties. It is then no peculiar innovation when a medical faculty grants a diploma to a young lady, but a conformation to nature. It has been fitting that laws made by men should be interpreted by men, and governments formed for men should be administered by men, but when in the advance of the race and the enlargement of woman's sphere she becomes a recognized factor in the society to be governed, and when she herself must assume the defence of her rights and redress of her wrongs instead of some knighted hero, as in the days of chivalry, then she too begins to seek the interpretation of the great commandment "and thy neighbor as thyself."

Have Women a Right To Vote?

Patriotism, philanthrophy, when or where in the darkest time or clime have not women laid their all at need upon these altars? They tell us that since women do not choose to fight in armies, they have no right to lawmaking and to law executing. Then perish from off the land all wars, and let woman's heart, warm with the thrill of childrens' love, join in devising those international laws ushering in the millenium of peace.

ELECTRICAL WORKERS STRIKE.

Contractors' Association Upheld by the Master Builders' Committee.

New York, Feb. 19.—The Contractors' association held a meeting yesterday at their rooms, No. 117 East Twenty-third street. Mr. Strong, the president of the organization, presided. Just before the meeting Mr. Strong made a statement in which he said it was entirely untrue that the Brotherhood of Electrical workers had sent a notice to the contractors that unless after Feb. 15 the eight-hour day went into effect the men would strike.

"We received no notice whatever until Feb. 14, when they sent word to us that the eight-hour rule must go into effect on Monday," he said. "We, of course, could not accede to such an absurd request as we had contracts outstanding to the amount of $350,000. If we granted the brotherhood's demand it would make a difference of at least ten per cent. to us. All we asked for at any time, at the conference between our committee and theirs, was a ninety day notice. We told the men at the conference that if they fulfilled their contracts, which expired on the 17th, and continue on the same basis until May 1, we would then proceed on the eight-hour basis. When we had offered our terms they said that the rule must go into effect on the 18th and left the room. On Saturday night we told the men to come to work on Monday at the old rates. They did not do so and insist on calling the strike a lock-out. A committee representing the Master Builders' association called on us and stated that they would like to present the contractors' side of the case to the board of walking delegates of the building trades.

"The Master Builders' committee said that they upheld the contractors. The contractors told them that the men could return to work immediately at the old terms with the promise that the eight-hour rule should go into effect on May 15, and also that any minor differences should be laid before a board of arbitration, consisting of a committee of five of our association and a committee of five of the builders. The Master Builders' committee will confer with the board of walking delegates and report to us. We shall hold another meeting to-day."

MAYOR STRONG NON-PARTISAN.

He Did Not Criticize Mr. Platt—Studies the People's Interests.

New York, Feb. 19.—Among other visitors on Mayor Strong yesterday were ex-Collector Joel B. Erhardt, John Proctor Clarke, F. B. Thurber and John S. Smith. In reply to the question of a reporter as to the nature of the visit of these gentlemen the mayor would say nothing, but further remarked:

"I have been wrongly accused of having criticised Mr Platt. This is entirely untrue, and any interview to the contrary is false. No, sir, I don't propose to allow any legislature in Albany to interfere with my actions here. They can go ahead and do as they see fit there, and I will go ahead and do as I like here, considering only the best interests of the people and the city from a non-partisan standpoint."

GENERAL POLICE SHAKE-UP.

Fall River Police Commissioners Desire To Better the Service.

Fall River, Mass., Feb. 19.—There was a great surprise in police circles yesterday, a result of the biggest shaking-up the force ever received. Every officer was called to the Central Police station in the forenoon and each was notified of a change in his beat and the patrolmen in the outside or village stations were transferred to the Central station and vice versa. Men who have patrolled the same beats for years were transferred and placed on a footing with the nine new men who reported for the first time for police duty.

The commissioners say the cause of the change is a desire to better the service, more particularly in the enforcement of the liquor laws.

1,500 Thrown Out of Work.

Wilkesbarre, Pa., Feb. 19.—The William Coal breaker, located at Duryea, was destroyed by fire last night. A large number of miners are in the shaft but no danger is apprehended to them, as the shaft is 500 feet away from the breaker. It is owned and operated by the Connell Coal company of Scranton. The loss is $90,000. Fifteen hundred men and boys are thrown out of employment. The origin of the fire is not known.

Presented To Her Majesty.

London, Feb. 19.—At the queen's drawing room to-day Mrs. Bayard presented in the diplomatic circle the Countess Fabricotti in behalf of the Italian embassy, and Mrs. Carter, wife of Ambassador Bayard's private secretary. Among the other Americans present were David D. Wells, second secretary of legation, Major Ludlow, military attache, and Mrs. Ludlow, Lieutenant Cowles, naval attache, and Mr. Carter.

Carnegie's Men Drowned.

Pittsburg, Feb. 19.—The information has just been received in Homestead that Michael Roates and Andrew Sinfo, two Homestead men, were lost by the sinking of the steamship Elbe. Roates was employed in the beem mill of the steel works and Sinfo was a clipper. They had been visiting for two months at their homes in Austria. They sailed from Bremen for America in the steerage of the ill-fated steamer.

Anthony Comstock's Work.

Philadelphia, Feb. 19.—In the United States circuit court yesterday Charles C. Rickerson, a 17-year-old youth of Lancaster, pleaded guilty to sending obscene literature through the mails. He will be sentenced to-morrow. Anthony Comstock of New York, who gathered evidence in the case, was present in court.

The Crathie's Crew Subpoenaed.

London, Feb. 19.—An expert from the board of trade will assist the coroner in Lowestoft when the Elbe inquests shall be resumed. The board also has appointed counsel and has subpoenaed the crew of the steamer Crathie, which sunk the Elbe.

Confirmation of Armenian Outrages.

Rome, Feb. 19.—The Italian consul at Erzeroum has reported to his government the accounts of the Armenian massacres with the testimony of eye witnesses.

UNITED MINE WORKERS

The Six Days' Session of Sensationalism Ended.

Bitter Feeling Against McBride—Members Severely Censured—Installation of Officers by the Knights of Labor—No Alliance with the American Railway Union.

Columbus, O., Feb. 19.—The sixth annual convention of the United Mine Workers of America adjourned sine die last evening, after having been in session six days, every one of which was made the occasion for springing some unpleasant sensation. While John McBride had been exonerated on two charges, during the closing moments of the convention another sensation was sprung in which he figured conspicuously. He was a delegate to the recent American Federation of Labor convention at Denver, but instead of going there himself he sent N. R. Hysel, an attorney of this city, who is McBride's legal adviser. John Nugent, a coal operator, who has just been expelled from the United Mine Workers union, was also a delegate. To these gentlemen largely belongs the honor of securing the election of John McBride to the presidency of the American Federation of Labor.

Censuring Mr. Hysel.

Late in the afternoon James O'Connor, of Spring Valley, Ill, offered a resolution censuring Mr. Hysel for misconduct at the Denver convention, claiming that he violated the trust placed in him by voting against independent political action when the constituents of the convention, which made it possible for him to go, had expressly declared for such independent action.

The resolution called forth a storm of opposition and was discussed pro and con for an hour. It was at last amended so as to censure John McBride for sending Hysel to the convention, delegates charging that McBride knew that Hysel would vote as he did before he sent him. The vote stood 121 ayes to 168 nays. The original motion to censure Hysel was then tabled by a similar majority, thus indicating that the feeling against McBride is growing.

Bitter Against McBride.

Another instance in which the feeling against McBride manifested itself was when the committee on officers reported. The national officers were recommended for endorsement, but when it was discovered that this carried with it an endorsement of the manner in which the great coal miners settled their strike last June, there was much opposition, and the national officers, had a very narrow escape from rebuke the recommendation being adopted by the scant majority of 14.

The scale committee deemed it advisible to take no notice and their recommendation to defer was endorsed. But it is generally understood that they have practically agreed upon the compromise scale of 60 and 69 cents, and the executive board will settle it in April.

Knights of Labor Meet.

Immediately after the United Mine Workers convention adjourned, the new Knights of Labor organization held a session and installed their officers—master workman, W. B. Wilson, and secretary-treasurer, C. R. Martin.

After the meeting adjourned Mr. Wilson said to the United Press that he had received several letters proposing an alliance with the American Railway union and that if after due consideration, everything was found to be all right, he had no doubt but such an alliance would be affected.

The Ohio delegates arranged for a meeting for the purpose of mapping out a policy for the Ohio miners, but before the hour set for the meeting arrived it was declared off, the delegates concluding to wait till the regular annual meeting in April to take action, when secession will be considered.

A Husband in Disguise.

St. Louis, Feb. 19.—I. A. Turner of St. Catherines, Ont., who was stylishly dressed in female garb, was refused admission to the Planter's hotel yesterday when his sex was discovered. Turner explained that he was searching for his wife, who eloped from St. Catherines six weeks ago with a commercial traveler and that he had traced the pair to this city. His disguise was adopted to aid his search. Turner secured lodging elsewhere and is now watching the depots and hotels.

Mutual Settlement of Prices.

Concord, N. H., Feb. 19.—T. P. Sullivan of this city, secretary of the Granite Manufacturer's association of New England, received a message yesterday informing him that the manufacturers and cutters of Barre, Vt., had signed an agreement covering everything for one year from March 1, terminable on three-months' notice. The bill of prices agreed on as a basis of settlement is principally the same as that which existed for the past three years.

Another Rebellion.

London, Feb. 19.—A Central News dispatch from Bombay says: "A serious rebellion has broken out in Muscat, the Arabian seaport on the Indian ocean. The rebels have seized most of the forts commanding the town. No more details are obtained."

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It is a wonderful transformation from the summer lake known to tourists, and, as may well be believed, the chill and nipping air is prolific of those foes to mankind, kidney troubles, neuralgia and rheumatism. Naturally, therefore, a great desideratum in this locality, as well as elsewhere, is how to cure these painful curses of the human race.

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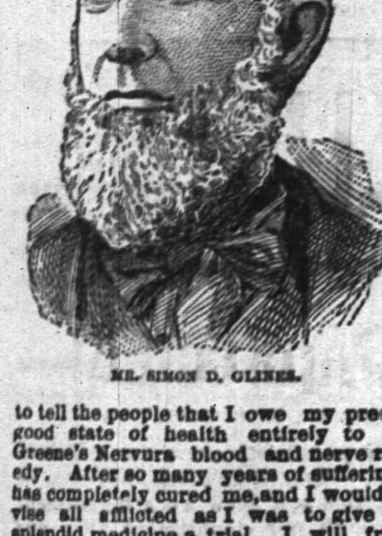

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MOTHER, I KILLED HER

A Murderer's Cool Remark to His Parent.

A Brute, in a Fit of Jealousy, Almost Severs His Wife's Head from Her Body and Makes His Escape. His Brother-in-Law Will Shoot Him on Sight.

Hoboken, N. J., Feb. 19.—A worthless and drunken husband only five days out of the Snake Hill penitentiary, in a fit of causeless jealously deliberately murdered his wife yesterday. The woman was respectable and hard working and supported her husband's aged mother as well as herself while he was serving time for cruelly ill-treating her.

Christopher Spearling is a German, 42 years old. He is an engineer, but is rarely at work. He always preferred to spend his time in getting intoxicated and beating his wife Helena, who is two years younger. The couple had no children, but lived with old Mrs. Spearling, who is over 70, at 224 Madison street, this city. A few months ago Spearling was sent to the penitentiary for wife-beating. His wife has meanwhile been supporting herself and old Mrs. Spearling by taking in washing. On last Wednesday Spearling was released, and as usual he celebrated the event by drinking heavily.

Drew a Razor.

Yesterday morning he came in and told his wife to go into the bed room and change her clothes, as he wanted her to go to the station house with him. He declared that she had been unfaithful to him, and that he was going to get a divorce. Spearling followed his wife into the bed room, and his mother, who remained in the kitchen, heard them talking excitedly.

Mrs. Spearling started to go back into the kitchen when her husband drew a razor from his pocket, and springing upon her from behind drew the razor across her throat. The blade cut a deep gash from ear to ear, nearly severing the head from the body. Mrs. Spearling dropped to the floor with hardly a groan. Her husband calmly wiped his bloody hands on the bed clothes, and going out into the kitchen, said quietly: "Mother, I have killed her."

The old lady rushed into the bed room and found her daughter-in-law lying dead in a pool of blood. She ran to the window and screamed frantically for help. Several nieghbors ran in, but before they arrived Spearling had managed to disappear, leaving the razor with which the woman had been killed lying upon the floor.

Will Shoot Him on Sight.

A crowd soon surrounded the house, and among the people was Henry Zang, who married a sister of Mrs. Spearling. As soon as he understood the brutality of the murder he procured a pistol and started in search of his brother-in-law, declaring that he would shoot the fellow on sight, though he could not find no trace of the murderer.

The woman's body was removed by Coroner Volk to an undertaker's shop, where the ghastly wound in her throat was sewed up and the body prepared for burial. Then it was taken back to the Madison street house, where old Mrs. Spearling, half crazed with grief, awaited it. Detective Gallagher and Roundsman Cross were detailed by the chief of police to find Spearling, but they had no better luck than Zang in their search. All the ferries and trains were watched, of course, and the police say that they think Spearling has not been able to get out of town and is in hiding somewhere in this city or one of the neighboring villages.

In the House of Commons

London, Feb. 19.—Sir William Harcourt, chancellor of the exchequer, looked after the government's interests in the debate preceding the division on Mr. Chamberlain's motion. He referred to the conservative demand, last voiced by Lord Salisbury on Saturday, that the government appeal to the country on the home rule issue alone. There never had been, he declared, and there never would be a general election with a single issue. The ministers regarded themselves as absolutely bound, until condemned by the house of commons, to prosecute the policy which they had been delegated to carry out. This was replied to by Arthur Balfour, the unionist leader. After the division Sir William moved the closure of the debate on the address. The motion was carried by a vote of 279 to 271 and the address was agreed.

Nation's Friendship.

Paris, Feb. 19.—Count Torrielli, the new Italian ambassador, presented his credentials to President Faure at the Elysee yesterday. In King Humbert's name he assured the president that the Italian government would endeavor earnestly to maintain more cordial relations with France. President Faure replied that France was as anxious as Italy to preserve the friendship of the two countries.

In Memory of George Peabody.

Richmond, Va., Feb. 19.—The centennial of the birth of George Peabody, the philanthropist, was observed here yesterday by appropriate exercises in the public schools. There was a mass meeting of teachers in the Central school, and resolutions were adopted looking to raising a fund by penny subscription to erect a statue of Peabody in statuary hall in the capitol at Washington.

Sentenced to Death.

Meadville, Pa., Feb. 19.—The sentence of death was yesterday pronounced upon Fred McDonald, the 17-year-old boy who was convicted of the murder of John McAndrew a companion of the same age. He heard the sentence without flinching and remarked as he was taken from the court that "It didn't take long to do that job."

Body of an Elbe Victim.

London, Feb. 19.—A fishing boat arrived at Dungeness yesterday with the body of Walter Schull, a passenger on the Elbe. The body had a life belt around it and upon one of the fingers was an engagement ring with the inscription "Emmy Schoeller."

SIX MINERS KILLED.

Five Others Are Fatally Injured by an Explosion of Gas.

Pottsville, Pa., Feb. 19.—By an explosion of mine gas yesterday the West Bear Ridge colliery of the Reading Coal & Iron company, at Mahanoy Plane, six miners were killed and five were burned, four of them probably fatally.

Five men were probably instantly killed, and it was some time before their bodies were recovered from the workings, but the sixth man was taken out alive and died while being carried to the hospital.

It is feared that four of those injured are fatally burned.

The origin of the explosion is not known, but it is supposed that a naked lamp ignited a large body of gas that had been let loose from a blast that was made in the gangway.

The explosion set fire to the timbers, cutting off the escape of the five men killed in the mine.

The six men who were taken out alive were nearest the gangways and escaped the suffocating fuses of the gas and the avalanche of coal and timber which followed the explosion.

A fierce fire broke out in the gangway, but nevertheless the work of rescuing the imprisoned men or recovering their bodies, if dead, was at once proceeded with.

A line of hose was run into the gangway and late in the afternoon the dead bodies of the five men were recovered.

The fire in the mine is still raging fiercely and is in a place not easy of access.

FOILED IN HIS ATTEMPT.

An Editor in Hard Luck, Resorts to Fraud.

Emporia, Kan., Feb. 19.—A stranger giving his name as Harwell P. Heath attempted to cash a draft for $360 at the Citizens' Bank of Emporia purporting to be from the First National bank of Pasadena, Cala, on the Nassau bank, New York. He was arrested and a telegram to Passadena brought the answer that the draft were fraudulent. In Heath's pocket were trip passes, San Francisco to Chicago and return in favor of Frank H. Truesdell, and newspaper clippings showing that Truesdell had been managing editor of the Elmira (N. Y.) Telegram and recently at work on the San Francisco Chronicle.

A receipt for dues of the San Francisco Press club and personal cards seem to identify Heath as Truesdell unless the articles are stolen. Heath refuses to answer questions.

WILL SUE THE ELBE'S OWNERS.

S. H. Frank Wants $50,000 Damages for the Loss of His Brother.

Buffalo, Feb. 19.—Siegmund H. Frank, brother of Jacob Frank, the Buffalo ticket broker, who lost his life in the wreck of the steamship Elbe on the morning of Jan. 30, is about to begin an action against the North German Lloyd Steamship company, owners of the lost vessel, for $50,000 damages for alleged negligence in causing his brother's death.

One of the first steps in the proceedings was taken yesterday when Eugene L. Falk, attorney for Mr. Frank, made application to Surrogate Stern for limited letters of administration on the estate of the deceased. The surrogate granted the application, giving power to Mr. Frank to begin the action.

A PROTEST FROM LABOR.

An Objection Made to the Consolidation of Many Bureaus.

Albany, Feb. 19.—The senate was prompt in getting together last night and there was a large audience. The usual number of petitions against Sunday opening was presented. A protest was received from the state branch of the American Federation of Labor, against the abolition or consolidation of the factory inspectors bureau, the bureau of statisticcs of labor and the board of mediation and arbitration.

The protest says these bureaus are the only safeguards protecting the workingmen against unjust or rapacious employers and that their abolition would mean a direct slap in the face of organized labor.

A Lively Time Expected.

Philadelphia, Feb. 19.—Local elections will be held in every township of all the counties in Pennsylvania to-day and in every city and burough. Mayors, burgesses, councilmen, school directors, election board officers and other officials are to be elected. Here in this city an interest that has not been equalled for years has been aroused by the mayorality canvass made by Charles F. Warwick, the republican candidate, and ex-Gov. Robert E. Pattison, the democratic standard bearer. The contest has been particularly fierce and waged with a vindictiveness with which no political battle in this city has been fought for a long time.

A Victim of Anarchists.

Chicago, Feb. 19.—Dan Daly, one of the policemen who charged on the anarchists during the Haymarket riot and was almost killed by being struck on the head by a piece of the bomb, was taken to the Detention hospital yesterday, having been stricken by another violent attack of insanity. He rushed around his home flourishing two revolvers and threatening to kill everyone in the house. He has been in the asylum twice.

From the Elbe.

London, Feb. 19.—Several hats, caps and bonnets were washed ashore near Lool, Cornwall, yesterday. One cap was marked "Elbe" outside and "Soper" in side. The articles are supposed to have been carried to the Cornish coast by the strong east winds of the last two weeks.

Looking for Gentry.

New York, Feb. 19.—Detectives were sent out from the Central office to look for James A. Gentry, the murderer of Miss Madge Yorke, the actress, early yesterday, but up to last night no clue of the man had been obtained. Every policeman on the force has been furnished with a description of Gentry.

Old Glory Only.

Trenton, N. J., Feb. 19.—The following bill has passed the senate: It shall be forbidden to display any flag or flags other than the stars and stripes on public buildings.

GOLD COIN QUESTION

Stewart's Resolution Laid Before the Senate.

Senator Gray Defends the Administration in the Purchase of Gold Abroad—Three Measures Passed by the House While Two Bills Are Defeated—Other Congressional Work.

Washington, Feb. 19.—The day's session of the senate was interesting from start to finish. Early in the day the resolution offered last Saturday by Mr. Stewart (pop., Nev.), declaring that there was no authority in law for the purchase of gold coin in preference to other coin, was laid before the senate and Mr. Gray (dem., Del.) took advantage of it to reply to the attacks made last Saturday upon the president of the United States in connection with the contract for the purchase of gold by the issue of 4 per cent. thirty year bonds.

Congress Sat Dumb.

Mr. Gray entered into a defense of the action of the president and showed that the president had twice appealed to congress for aid in sustaining the credit of the United States; that congress had sat dumb, and irresponsive to these appeals; and that the executive action was dictated by his duty under the laws. It was entirely the fault of congress, not of the president, if the government had to pay interest at the rate of 3¾ per cent. instead of 3 per cent.

Senator Sherman (rep., O.) also addressed the senate in contending that a promise to pay in coin meant payment in such coin as the holder of the bond desired; and that, as the government had required gold coin to be paid for all the bonds issued since 1869 honesty and fair dealing required their repayment, principal and interest, in gold coin. Mr. Sherman, however, was far from approving the contract whereby 4 per cent. thirty year bonds were sold to the syndicate at 104½ when they were really worth, in the English and American market (measured by the quotations for the 4 per cents. having ten years to run), 120. He characterized the bargain as faulty and improvident on the part of the United States, but concluded that it had now to be submitted to. There was no action on the resolution.

Amendments Passed.

When it was out of the way the agricultural appropriation bill was taken up, and was, after a couple of hours discussion of various amendments, passed.

Then Mr. Jones (dem., Ark.) came forward with a motion that the senate proceed to the consideration of the bill reported by him from the finance committee on the 12th providing for the issue of bonds and the coinage of silver. This motion was antagonized by a motion to adjourn, made by Mr. Hale (rep., Me.), but the senate, by the very decisive vote of 17 to 38, refused to adjourn. After some intermediary skirmishing the debate came to a direct vote on the motion to take up the silver bill, and the friends of that measure prevailed, with a majority of three—the vote being: Yeas, 30; nays, 27.

The bill was laid before the senate, and then, after notice by Mr. Jones that he would try to have a final vote before adjournment to-day, the senate adjourned.

May Receive Bullion.

The Jones' bill provides as follows: That from and after the passage of this act the secretary of the treasury is hereby authorized and directed to receive at any United States mint, from any citizen of the United States, silver bullion of standard fineness, and coin the same into silver dollars of four hundred and twelve and one-half grains each. The seigniorage on the said bullion shall belong to the United States, and shall be the difference between the coinage value thereof and the market price of the bullion in New York on the day the deposit is made, and all expenditures for coinage done under the provisions of this act shall be paid out of said seigniorage; and the secretary of the treasury shall deliver to the depositors of such bullion, standard silver dollars equal in amount to the price thereof as aforesaid; and whenever the said coins herein provided for shall be received into the treasury, certificates may be issued thereon, in the manner now provided by law.

In the House.

The house yesterday devoted four hours to the transaction of business under the suspension of the rules, during which time three measures were passed and two defeated. Those passed were bills fixing the minimum pension of pensioners of the Mexican war and the Indian wars from 1832 to 1842 at $12 per month; amending the statutes concerning the regulation of steam vessels and granting Mount Vernon barracks, Alabama, to that state for public purposes.

The measures defeated were to create a retired list for the revenue cutter service and granting to the Altamonte Water company the right to construct dams across the St. Louis and Cloquet rivers in Minnesota.

An hour was devoted to the naval appropriation bill.

A point of order was made by Mr. Sayers of Texas, against the paragraph authorizing an increase in the enlisted force of the navy.

Mr. O'Neill of Massachusetts, chairman of the committee, reserved his decision until to-day.

The resignation of Representative Wilson of Washington—senator elect—was received and accepted.

A Big Order for Cars.

Detroit, Feb. 19.—A contract for fifteen hundred freight cars, with all modern improvements, has practically been closed between the Michigan-Peninsula Railroad company of this city, and the New York Central railroad. This will give employment to between 2,500 and 3,000.

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Reading, Pa., Feb. 19.—The Reading Hardware works will go on full time, sixty hours a week next Monday. For some months the company has been working but forty hours a week. Over 80 hands are employed.

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For East Millstone—7 10 a. m., 12 35, 2 48 and 5 40 p. m., week-days.

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For Lambertville, Phillipsburg and Belvidere via Trenton—7 59 A. M., 2.48 and 6.36 p. m., and 5.40 p. m. Sunday.

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For Long Branch, Ocean Grove, and points on New York and Long Branch R. R.—9 46 12 46, 4 12 5 44 p.m., 12 27 night week-days. Sundays, 10 25 a. m., and 5 44 p. m.; do not stop at Asbury Park on Sundays.

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TOWN AND HOME FAVORITE.

PLAINFIELD, N. J., FEB. 19, 1895

Newark women have organized under the name Phylitesiepoma. The society has an important mission from the start—educating the dear public how to say its name.

Asbury Park gave the Hub a bad scrape yesterday, and is entitled to be called the Hub of Summer conventions. Plainfield wheelmen are glad Jersey got the L. A. W. convention, and Plainfield will be there.

The neighboring town of Madison had a housecleaning time yesterday, and scrubbed James Stout, a hermit who had not had a bath in 14 years. James was a graduate of Bowdoin College, and as a prize pupil in mental philosophy boycotted soap because B. T. Babbitt refused to advertise in the Bowdoin College paper.

At last a reason has been found for the existence of a Greek-letter society in the High School. It is the protection of the members from those dreadful teachers. The Press is told that one of the bright boys of the High School when asked to get up and recite his lesson said he did n't know, and kept his seat. The teacher, it is said, insisted on his rising and making an effort to tell what he had been asked. As he refused to get up, he was suspended. The boy being a member of the Greek-letter fraternity, that august body has, it is reported, decided to demand that the offender be restored to good standing in his class, or there'll be trouble for the teacher who laid him off. The strike of the students will be watched with interest. The mystic cabal of the society invests the matter with a certain degree of awe that is a novel and refreshing feature of rebellions.

Central Avenue Afflictions.

Some of our Central avenue residents are having a hard time of it this Winter. Charles F. Abbott's eldest son, Wesley, is laid up with a very severe attack of inflammatory rheumatism which has affected him in both feet, one leg and one arm. He is unable to move and has to be frequently lifted for a change of position. Dr. Endicott is giving him careful attention. A. S. Patterson also is a sufferer. He has had several slight attacks of gout during the Winter which have greatly debilitated him.

But last Friday he was compelled to take to his bed which he is yet unable to leave. He also has been attacked in both feet, ankles, one knee and elbow. Dr. T. S. Davis has used some new German (homœpathic) remedies, which first brought speedy relief from the intense pain, and then checked the tendency of the disease to shift to various parts of the body. At last account both patients were resting easier.

Fine, Says Dr. Cuyler.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE DAILY PRESS:—Our people might be glad to see this "Echo of the Convention", in the form of the letter just received from Dr. Cuyler.

Yours truly,
WM. D. MURRAY.

Feb. 19, 1895.

DEAR BROTHER MURRAY—I went over to your Convention at some risk with my sore throat and cough, and on account of a detention of the train I did not reach home until midnight.

But I was glad to meet the "Jersey Boys", and several letters which I have received make me think that my *hoarse* talk did some service.

Most heartily yours,
THEO. L. CUYLER.

P. S.—That was a fine Convention.
176 Oxford street, Brooklyn, Feb. 16, '95

Decisions by Justice Newcorn.

Justice Newcorn this morning rendered a verdict for the plaintiff in the case of Lent vs. Rogers, $80.70, with interest and costs.

Also in the case of Thompson as executor of Ira Pruden, vs. Kenney, judgment of $72 and costs for plaintiff.

Miller vs. Fritz, on note, judgment for plaintiff, $20 and costs.

Soft Skating.

A number of people went to Hyde's pond yesterday afternoon, to enjoy the skating, but were sadly disappointed as the ice was poor. Despite its softness, some ventured on the ice. Several received severe wettings by stumbling on the rough ice and falling into the slush.

—Alexander Muir of West Fourth street, whose hand had been crippled by a burn, had the use of it restored by an operation by Drs. Murray and Tomlinson in Muhlenberg Hospital yesterday.

—At the meeting of the Plainfield Bicycle club last night six new members were elected. The question of securing a physical instructor was brought up and will be more thoroughly discussed after more information on the subject has been obtained.

The experience of Geo. A. Apgar, of German Valley, N. J., is well worth remembering. He was troubled with chronic diarrhoea and doctored for five months and was treated by four different doctors without benefit. He then began using Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, of which one small bottle effected a complete cure. It is for sale at Reynolds's pharmacy, Park and North aves. T. S. Armstrong, manager.

EARLY INTELLIGENCE.

—The Daily Press will not be published Washington's Birthday.

—The flue of Trinity Church is being remodeled to satisfy insurance experts.

—The Potter Press Works have improved the machine shop by laying a new floor.

—The women of Grace M. E. Church will give a Washington supper Friday night.

—The 21-year-old horse of Martin Broe, was killed today to end his physical disability.

—The women of the First Presbyterian Church will hold a Martha Washington tea Wednesday evening.

—Contractor Hensey is improving Jacob Voehl's house on Somerset street with a fresh coat of paint.

—George O. Stevens, the West End coal dealer, has improved his office by the addition of new furniture.

—A musical programme will be given at the bazar and supper in Vincent Chapel tonight and tomorrow night.

—"Aunt Samantha's Album" will be opened in the W. C. T. U. rooms Thursday, March 14, at a quarter a look.

—In spite of the other attractions in the Association Building, the gymnasium class last night was well attended.

—5,000 lbs. of fresh country roll butter have been received at Fulper's, 207 West Front street. Get your share at 18 cts. a lb.

—Dr. L. S. Pocock has cured the bad case of paralysis of the throat from which one of the Fire Department horses suffered.

—Tons of rails are being unloaded at Raritan for the trolley road from Raritan to New Brunswick by way of Bound Brook.

—The Young Men's League of Hope Chapel held their regular meeting last night and William Steward was elected secretary.

—Ground was broken Saturday by B. W. Hand for four new houses, two to be built for F. O. Smith, and two for H. A. Weber.

—Nothing but routine business was transacted at the meeting of the Additional Benefit Association of the Royal Arcanum last night.

—Ground was broken today for the foundation for the remodeling of Marion S. Ackerman's house on Crescent avenue, recently purchased from Geo. Watson.

—The Master Mason degree will be conferred on several candidates at the regular communication of Jerusalem Lodge, No. 26, F. & A. M., this evening.

—All the town was delighted with the Chauncey Olcott play in Music Hall last night, and everybody is anxious to have it here again. Mr. Sohl is striving for a return date.

—The employes at the United States Express office were rushed with extra business this morning in sending out 1,000 volumes of law reports from A. V. D. Honeyman's office.

—Charles Burnett put a large force of men on the new building to be erected by Mr. Blatz on Somerset street, today, and stakes his reputation that he will finish the job in the time designated.

—Frank L. C. Martin, the popular bicycle dealer, has almost completed the necessary changes in his new store on Park avenue, and will soon be able to receive his friends in his improved quarters.

—The committees having in charge the arrangements for the reception and ball of Iona Council, Degree of Pocohontas, to be given in Red Men's Hall the 26th inst., made their final report last night in which the programme was completed.

—Superintendent Adelman of the street railway had a force of men yesterday engaged in removing the ice from the drainpipes at the corner of Jackson avenue and Somerset street, thus allowing the water, which flooded the switch, to run off.

Has the Sympathy of Friends.

Thomas Loughlin, who has been in the employ of the Jersey Central for upwards of 40 years, fomerly as a section hand, and of ate years as track-walker, is seriously ill with pneumonia at his home on Cottage place. Dr. Boone is the attending physician.

—A carcass of a dog has lain at South Second street and Plainfield avenue since New Year's Day. It should be removed forthwith.

—Blacksmith Horace Martin severely burned an eye by a flying spark today.

Success has come to Cleveland's baking powder, because
It is a pure cream of tartar powder.
Only a rounded spoonful is required, not a heaping spoonful.
It never fails.

The best that money can buy.
Cleveland's Baking Powder
It is Pure and Sure.

Bread and cake made with it keep their natural freshness and flavor.
It is full weight, and full strength until all used.
Cleveland Baking Powder Co., New York, Successor to Cleveland Brothers.

TODAY IN HISTORY.

Short Stories of Heroism from Real Life.

A Champion of Warsaw.

Feb. 19 and 20, 1831, the second generation of Polish patriots defeated their oppressors at Grochow, the same suburb of Warsaw where "Koscinsko fell." The insurrection of 1830-1 was led by adherents of the old champion and the revolutionary army at Grochow marshaled by one who had stood on the "rampart heights" with those "trusty warriors, few, but undismayed," when

Leagued oppression poured to northern wars
Her whiskered pandours and her fierce Hussars.

This was Michael Radzivill, scion of the oldest and most noble line of princes in the realm. Although his family sided with the Russian czar as against the young enthusiasts of the second insurrection, Prince Radzivill took the field at the head of 60,000 patriots, deposed the czar's brother and viceroy, the tyrant Constantine, and drew up his battalions on the classic heights to defend the capital. The czar had sent the renowned Marshal Diebitsch with 120,000 Cossacks and hussars from the imperial camps to restore his brother to the throne. Radzivill defeated him at Grochow, with enormous loss. Believing that a settlement was possible, the prince then laid down his sword.

GEORGE L. KILMER.

A Great Success.

There are many remarkable successes on the road this season, but none exceeds the popularity enjoyed by the latest New York success, "She Couldn't Marry Three." Press and public accord it an ovation wherever presented. The scenic effects are superb, the story an intense and interesting one, unlike the many unreasonable and unnatural plays with which the public are surfeited. It is full of hearty laughter, bright and catchy music, the most sensational climaxes.

The company is one of the strongest on the road, the scenery the most magnificent ever built, and as the curtain rises on each act, prolonged applause attests the public appreciation of each beautiful stage picture. The great scenic artists, Messrs. Daniel Crimmins and Herbert Speck, feel justly proud of their work on this production.

—A supper and sale of fancy articles takes place in Vincent Chapel this evening.

$100 Reward $100.

The reader of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly on the blood and mucous surface of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer $100 for any case that it fails to cure.

Send for list of testimonial.

F. J. Cheney & Co., Props. Toledo, O.
Sold by druggists, 75c.

ASSIGNEE'S SETTLEMENT.

Notice is hereby given, that the account of the subscriber, assignee of Sylvester Sharkey, will be audited and stated by the Surrogate and reported for settlement to the Orphans' Court of the county of Union, on Wednesday, the thirteenth day of March next.

Dated January 7, 1895.
1 8 10-oaw CHARLES B. CLIFFTON.

NOTICE.

As directed by a resolution of the Township Committee of the township of Fanwood, county of Union, State of New Jersey, notice is hereby given that an application has been made to the Township Committee of the township of Fanwood aforesaid, by the New York and Philadelphia Traction Company, for permission to construct, operate and maintain a street railroad, with one or more tracks and necessary turnouts, to be operated by electricity or other motive power except steam, and to erect necessary poles, conduits and wires, power plant and necessary buildings along the following routes:

Beginning in the division line between the city of Plainfield and the Township of Fanwood where Midway avenue crosses said division line and running thence in an easterly direction along Midway avenue to its connection with North avenue; thence still easterly along North avenue to the division line between the Townships of Fanwood and Westfield.

Beginning at the intersection of Mountain avenue and Forrest avenue or road, in the village of Scotch Plains, in the twp of Fanwood and running thence southeasterly along Forrest avenue or road to its intersection with North avenue; thence southerly along said North avenue to Depot street; thence to a point at or near the Fanwood station of the Central Railroad of New Jersey.

The name of the corporation making the application is the New York and Philadelphia Traction Company.

The application was filed on the 15th day of February, eighteen hundred and ninety-five, and will be considered by the Township Committee of the township of Fanwood, at a meeting to be held on the 7th day of March, eighteen hundred and ninety-five, at Excelsior Hall, at Scotch Plains, in the township of Fanwood aforesaid, county of Union, at 8 o'clock in the evening.

EDWARD L. HAND,
Township Clerk.
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REMOVAL.

Dr. Lighthill begs leave to give notice that he has removed to

NO. 132 CRESCENT AVE.

(a few doors from his former location) where he can be consulted on all chronic diseases of whatever name and nature.

Dr. Lighthill refers with pardonable pride to the success of his practice in Plainfield and submits below a few of the many testimonials which he has received from grateful patients. A mass of similar ones can be seen at his office.

AN ALMOST MIRACULOUS CURE.

The Statement of Mr. Edward Teel, Jr., of Dunellen, N. J.

TO THE PUBLIC:

From a sense of duty I desire to call public attention to the almost miraculous cure which Dr. Lighthill effected in the case of my wife. For eleven years she had been afflicted with piles of an unusual severe and distressing character. She suffered every day of her life the most intense pain, attended with frequent and profuse hemorrhage. This state of things debilitated her entire system until she became a perfect wreck of her former self.

We made every effort to obtain a cure but they all resulted in bitter disappointment, although a number of physicians of excellent reputations for skill in that direction had treated her case. She grew worse and worse all the time, the pain became perfectly unbearable and I felt she could not bear the strain of her condition much longer. In this extremity, a friend of mine, Mr. W. E. Dilts, a resident of Roselle, N. J., a passenger conductor on the New Jersey Central told me that he had been similarly affected, and had been permanently cured by Dr. Lighthill, after other medical skill had failed. He assured me that the doctor would cure my wife, no matter how severe her case may be, and his prediction proved perfectly correct. In spite of her desperate condition, Dr. Lighthill, I am glad to say, has effected a complete and perfect cure in her case, and has given her new life.

Since the cure has been effected she has gained in health and strength and is so improved in appearance that her friends scarcely recognise her. They all consider her cure as almost miraculous, and Dr. Lighthill's praise is heard on every side. Our gratitude to Dr. Lighthill is unbounded and we only hope that other sufferers may be benefited by this publication.

EDWARD TEEL, JR.

A Flattering Testimonial from Colonel John Dietrich, One of Plainfield's Oldest and Best Known Residents.

16 ARLINGTON PLACE,
Plainfield, N. J., July 17, 1894.

I am profoundly grateful to Dr. Lighthill for his speedy and radical cure of a most painful malady of over ten years standing with which I was afflicted.

I deem it proper to say to all afflicted to place themselves under the care of this skilful physician and be permanently cured.

I will cheerfully impart any information I possess when called upon.

JOHN DIETRICH.

Mr. Thomas Callahan of No. 214 Richmond street Cured of a Very Distressing Trouble by Dr. Lighthill.

PLAINFIELD, N. J., June 1, 1894.

TO THE PUBLIC:

For some time past I have been greatly distressed with noises in the head. They were all over my head and troubled me constantly; they were loudest at night when everything was quiet and at such times would often keep me from sleep and disturb my rest. In fact they got to be so bad and distressing that they affected my whole nervous system as well as my health. I did not obtain the least relief until I placed myself under the care of Dr. Lighthill, of No. 132 Crescent avenue, who effected a complete cure in my case in a short time and made me a very happy man.

THOMAS CALLAHAN,
214 Richmond street.

A Card From Mr. T. R VanZandt,
of Nos. 304 and 306 Park ave.,
Plainfield, N. J

I certify with pleasure that Dr. Lighthill has effectually cured me of a most painful case of piles. For some time past I had been subject to its attacks, but the last attack was so exceedingly painful that it completely upset my whole system. The pain extended to my legs and in many other directions, and made me so nervous that I could neither sleep, sit down, lie down or move about without serious discomfort and distress. Such was my condition when I applied to Dr. Lighthill for relief, and I am glad to say that as soon as he took hold of my case, I began to improve, and in a short time found myself completely cured. Dr. Lighthill has also effected a radical and permanent cure in a most terrible case of piles on my cousin, Mr. J. V. E. Griggs, of Rocky Hill, N. J., whose flattering testimonial is in Dr. Lighthill's possession.

T. R. VAN ZANDT,
304 and 306 Park avenue.

Dr. Lighthill

can be consulted daily (except Thursdays) on all CHRONIC, OBSTINATE AND COMPLICATED diseases of the human system of whatever name and nature, at his office and residence,

No. 132 Crescent Avenue.

Plainfield, N. J.

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For Masquerade Costumes,

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Masks in Great Variety and Bells and Spangles.

R. C. RAND,

140 West Front st.

SEBRING, CLOTHIER,

Will close the balance of $12 suits for $8.
$15 suits for $10.
$12 ulsters for $8.50.
$15 overcoats for $10.
Children's overcoats and school suits at cost.

Park Avenue, Packer's Block.
12-8-7

Hallet & Davis Piano Co.,

Established nearly 60 years.
We sell only high-grade instruments and at as low prices as are charged by many dealers for comparatively worthless ones. Cash or installments.
Warerooms—Babcock Building, Plainfield, N. J. H. C. HADLEY, Manager.

Tuning a Specialty.

Call and secure a copy of the Monthly Musical Guest. 1 23 tf

Commercial Palace, EDSALL'S Babcock Building,

Our Grocery Depatment

is a grand success and grows in popularity every day. This is sample of what customers say: Mrs. Blank who has been in the habit of buying her groceries at a New York department store, said after looking through our department that our prices are lower than she paid there, and in future she will buy of us.

This is only one of many similar cases Our low prices and fine quality of goods draw the trade. Dollars and cents saved to the buyer means business for the merchant.

Grocery Department

Prices lowest, quality best. Money cheerfully refunded on all goods not satisfactory.

75 CASES MORE CANNED GOODS JUST RECEIVED.

At 6c Can { 25 cases string beans, tender at.....6c / 25 cases sweet corn .....6c } At 6c Can

At 10c Bottle { 50 dozen Durkee's famous Challenge Sauce / This sauce is first-class and just as good as the imported, both in flavor and quality; regular price 19, special at 10c bottle } At 10c Bottle

Not more than 6 bottles to each customer.

Chicken Soup special 19c reg. price 34c { 10 doz. cans of Curtice Bros. White Label Chicken Soup, warranted fresh and pure / Money refunded if not satisfactory. } Chicken Soup special 19c reg. price 34c

Babbitt's best laundry soap 6 cakes for 24c
2½ pound bag finest table salt at 3c bag
Very fine evaporated apricots at 14c pound
Holmes & Coutt's famous banquet wafers at 19c box
" " " afternoon tea wafers at 21c box

Extra quality Bahama pineapple free from cores, reg. price 30c, special 19c can; very good quality mixed tea reg. price 39c, special 24c pound, or 5 pound for $1.00.

New Spring Dress Goods.

Something new and stylish in all-wool effects at 39c; regular 50c goods.
New silk and wool effects at 50c, 65c, 75c and $1.00. Very choice and exceedingly cheap.
New wash silks at 35c; advertised in New York worth 50c.

EDSALL'S

CORK FILLED

During this month we will offer all of our Burt & Packard

Double Sole Cork Filled Men's

$5 Shoes for $3.98 per Pair.

Just the shoe for you to wear without rubbers up to the first of May. Sizes 5 to 11; widths B to E; styles, narrow, round and Common Sense toes.
☞See our window Saturday for specials.

DOANE & EDSALL.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Jackson returned from New York today.

Mrs. L. Adams, the milliner, is out again after a siege of the grip.

Mrs. F. H. Wills, who has been very ill, goes to the Laurel House, Lakewood, today.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. V. Moy are home from Seabright, where Mr. Moy's mother is seriously ill.

Miss Mabelle Force of West Fourth street will entertain a number of friends at a card party Friday evening.

A pleasant surprise was given last night to Mrs. A. Corwin of Park avenue by members of the Odd Ladies, Woman's Relief Corps and Sons of Temperance.

—All the lawyers went to the Supreme Court in Trenton today, and all the clergymen to fight for temperance before the Legislative Committee.

—Frank Spiano, an employe of James P. Homan of Somerset street, had the little finger of his left hand cut to the bone, by a wagon falling on it at 4 yesterday afternoon. Dr. Carman dressed the wound.

Delegates to Trenton.

The delegates from the local lodges of K. of P. will go to Trenton to attend the annual State convention tomorrow. Unity Lodge, No. 102, will be represented by Charles W. DeGraw, and Perseverance Lodge, No. 74, by A. C. Pope, the alternate, George Clark, the regular delegate, being prevented from attendance by illness.

—The doors of the Casino will be open at 7:30 Thursday evening.

Mrs. Emily Thorne, who resides at Toledo, Washington, says she has never been able to procure any medicine for rheumatism that relieves the pain so quickly and effectually as Chamberlain's Pain Balm and that she has also used it for lame back with great success. For sale at Reynolds's pharmacy, Park and North aves. T. S. Armstrong, manager.

NEW FIELDS FOR NOVELISTS.

Why Does Not Some Writer Use an Eskimo as Heroine?

The division of the earth among contemporary novelists has not as yet included Greenland, where some new writer can lay the scene of a story in which the heroine will wear sealskin trousers and calm her troubled heart with mighty drafts of train oil.

Neither has any novelist seized upon China, where great things may yet be done by a story teller who really knows something of that modern and multitudinous sphinx, the Chinaman.

But with these exceptions there is very little desirable territory which is not pre-empted. This of course greatly hampers new novelists who are compelled to write novels dealing only with English men and women at home.

England is the common possession of everybody, and even the American writer who does not wish to imitate either Mr. Harte or Mr. Howells is compelled to lay the scene of his stories in London or in some one of the many little English colonies to be found in continental cities.

The English novelist who wishes to write a story characterized by some little novelty is reduced to inventing Dodos or other fabulous creatures, an attempt which fails *more frequently than it succeeds.*

This state of things is so plain to every writer that I wonder that no one has rushed in to occupy the Greenland or the Chinese field.

A Greenland story would at once attract attention because of its novelty, and we who have never been to Greenland could warmly recognize the truth of its local color, and the profound *knowledge of Eskimo character shown* by the writer.

An advanced Eskimo maiden with a wild desire to wear petticoats instead of trousers and to drink tea instead of train oil could hardly fail to charm the reader.

I am afraid, however, that the advanced Eskimo maid would not survive beyond the first four or five chapters, for I understand that whenever an Eskimo woman exhibits *symptoms of* advanced thinking she is immediately set adrift on an ice floe—W. L. Alden in Idler.

The Morning Breaketh.

Awake, O ye who sleepeth!
Arouse, be on thy guard.
Hear the voice of Him who speaketh.
Be watch and ward.
Prayers from million hearts ascending
He is answering swift and clear,
Mid strife and turmoil lending
Strength and loving cheer.

Know ye not that He is calling
For workers more and more,
Consecrated for the harvest
About our very door?
Souls a-hungered, drifting
Mid darkness, strife and ruin,
Hearts He now is sifting
To let the sunlight in.

Behold, the morning breaketh!
Crimson the east has grown.
The Lord is swiftly coming
To claim once more His own.
Let us, then, put on our armor,
Work for Him while we may,
Gather jewels for His kingdom
And the glad eternal day.
—Chicago Lever.

Shiloh's cure is sold on a guarantee. It cures incipient consumption; it is the best cough cure, only 1c a dose; 25, 50c, $1. Sold by all druggists.

Karl's Clover Root, the great blood purifier, gives freshness and clearness to the complexion and cures constipation; 25c 50c, $1. Sold by all druggists.

Mrs. T. S. Hawkins, Chattanooga, Tenn., says: "Shiloh's Vitalizer saved my life; I consider it the best remedy for a debilitated system I ever used. For dyspepsia, liver or kidney trouble it excels; 75c. Sold by all druggists.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report

Royal Baking Powder

ABSOLUTELY PURE

PARTICULAR MENTION.

David Gray of Grant avenue is suffering with the grip.

Mrs. McDonald of Newark is a guest of Mrs. Fred Slater.

S. Hoffman has just recovered from an attack of the grip.

Mrs. Chas. Dellahunt of Warren street is ill with bronchitis.

George F. Fell of Trenton took lunch at the City Hotel yesterday.

Postmaster Hetfield today took a short walk after a two-weeks illness.

Mrs. J. H. Ackerman gives "at homes" today and Friday, from 4 to 7.

Walt. C. Williams of East Front street is on a business trip to Stelton.

Craig Waldron has concluded 13 years of service with Grocer J. A. Smith.

Mrs. B. A. Hegeman, Jr., will give a dinner to ten feminine friends, Thursday.

H. Robbins of Weedsport, Pa., was one of Plainfield's admiring visitors yesterday.

George Squires of North Plainfield entertained a party of friends at dinner yesterday.

James Conroy of Somerset street wears a broad smile, as he is the happy father of a little girl who arrived Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Mundy have returned from their wedding tour. They visited Philadelphia and Washington.

Mrs. John H. Higgins, who has been visiting her parents in Weston, returned to her home on Stone street yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Smith started Monday morning for Cincinnati to attend the annual convention of electricians in that city.

David Adelman, only son of Superintendent John Adelman of the Street Railway, has recovered from that dangerous illness, scarlet fever.

Geo. O. Stevens, one of the endmen of the amateur minstrels, has a song, "If Barnum Was Only Alive", written expressly by Wade Whipple for the occasion.

Clarence L. Murphy left for Trenton this morning to take his examinations preparatory to entering the Bar. He has been studying with John H. Van Winkle, ex-Mayor of North Plainfield.

Tomorrow evening, at the home of Mr. Boice, uncle of Dr. C. R. Thiers, in Piscataway, there will be held an old-fashioned country party, at which Frazee of this city will furnish the music.

Miss Katie Watson and Miss Lena Redner, charming young women who have been enjoying the rural pleasures of Winter festivities in the Washington Valley section, have returned to New York.

Mrs. Michael Wunderlick and her three children, who have been seriously ill with scarlet fever at their home on Leland avenue, have so far recovered that the quarantine will be removed in a few days.

Mrs. Bernard Brady and daughter of Central avenue have returned after a visit of one week with her sister in Jersey City, but will leave again in a few days for the South to spend the balance of the Winter.

F. M. Hosgland, who is conducting the meetings in the Y. M. C. A. Assembly Hall this week, is well known as having successfully conducted a series of meetings for young people at Ocean Grove for a number of seasons.

Nelson Y. Dungan, the newly appointed Prosecutor for Somerset County, paid a fraternal visit last night to Trinity Commandery of this city, which held a conclave at their asylum. Mr. Dungan is an enthusiastic Mason, Captain of Co. H., N. G. S. N. J., of Somerville, and one of the State's best military officers.

Charles Houseman, who for years piloted Locomotive 385 through this city in her flight against the wind, who is one of the oldest engineers in the Central's employ, and who now pulls the famous 386 against time, stole away from Somerville yesterday to visit a few warm friends in this city. He was royally entertained.

John Y. Barrett the milkman, whose home is near Evona, is particularly happy, and wears an unusually broad smile as he serves his customers these frosty mornings. He thought he would keep the cause a secret, but The Press has discovered the cause of all his happines—it's a little boy, the first child, and was born on Blizzard Friday, Feb. 8.

A Des Moines woman who has been troubled with frequent colds, concluded to try an old remedy in a new way, and accordingly took a tablespoonful (four times the usual dose) of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy just before going to bed. The next morning she found that her cold had almost entirely disappeared. During the day she took a few doses of the remedy (one teaspoonful at a time) and at night again took a tablespoonful before going to bed, and on the following morning awoke free from all symptoms of the cold. Since then she has, on several occasions, used this remedy in like manner with the same good results, and is much elated over her discovery of so quick a way of curing a cold. For sale at Reynolds's pharmacy, Park and North aves. T. S. Armstrong, manager.

—The Park Club plays Elizabeth at bowling and Newark at whist, in the Park Clubhouse tomorrow night.

Corporation Notice.

Plainfield, N. J., Feb. 18, 1895.

Notice is hereby given that Henry Haurand has applied to the Common Council of the city of Plainfield for a license to sell spirituous and fermented liquors at 115 East Front street in the First Ward, which application is signed by

James H. Buckley, Edward Vanderweg,
Frederick Hoffmister, James Brown,
Martin N. Whelan, John M. Schorb,
Peter Longenbahn, George W. Hall,
George R. Wykoff, Charles Smith,
John Y. Staats, Elizabeth Schorb,

citizens and freeholders. All persons knowing of any reason why such license should not be granted are requested to make known the same in writing to the City Clerk on or before the fifth day of March, 1895.

Done in accordance with the requirements of the "Ordinance to license inns and taverns, and to regulate and prohibit the sale of spirituous and fermented liquors."

J. T. MacMurray, City Clerk.

MUSIC HALL,

Jos. Sohl, Prop. R. C. Varian, Man.
Telephone 49B.
Special matinee and night.

Washington's Birthday, Feb. 22

"The Kings of Celtic Humor"—N.Y. Herald

Conroy and Fox,

with their surpassing show, in

HOT TAMALES.

Recipe—Wit, Humor, Mirth and Music.
16 A company of singing and dancing comedians, including several European specialty artists. FUN for old ones, for the fair ones, for young ones, for everyone. Matinee prices 25, 35, 50, 75c. 16
Evening prices 25, 35, 50, 75c, $1.

Muhlenberg Hospital BENEFIT!

IN THE CASINO,

Amateur Minstrels and Theatricals,

Thursday Evening,

FEB. 21.

Curtain rises at 8:15. Tickets, $1, for sale at Reynolds's, Randolph's, Moy's and Hebard's pharmacies. 2 14 6 t s m t w t

WANTS AND OFFERS,

Advertisements under this heading, 1 ct. a word, each insertion. (Less than ten words, ten cents.) Cash must accompany ads.

TABLE boarders wanted in private family. Apply 303 West Fourth st. 2 7 tf

FOR SALE or to let, new house on Stone street; house contains 7 rooms. Apply 196 Somerset st. 2 19 3

FOR SALE—One-seat phaeton, Brewster make; apparently new. Inquire Mr. Bennett, J. P. Homan's carriage shop, Somerset st., or at Frank Hedden's livery stable, 118 East 4th st. 2 19 2

DRESSMAKER from Vienna would like to take in sewing or go out by the day Address B., care Press. 2 19 2

EXPERIENCED woman would like position as seamstress or nurse by day or week. Apply 140 North ave. 2 19 3

LOST—Sunday morning, a pair of eye glasses between Franklin place and Crescent Avenue Church. If found please return to B. O. Bowers, 400 Franklin place. 2 19 2

WANTED—A girl for general housework; two in family. Address Competent, care Press.

WANTED—Farm of about 100 acres; good buildings; running water; fruit; good tillable land; near Plainfield. Address S. G., care Press. c

WANTED—Situation by a good cook and laundress; has first-class references. Call at 338 East 4th st.

WANTED—Printer's apprentice, able to set straight matter; steady work; wages $6. Apply 43 Jackson ave.

WANTED—A chambermaid and waitress. 216 West 8th st.

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WHITE, of Plainfield.

Fanwood Township

ORDINANCE.

Whereas two-thirds of the owners of real estate on streets known as Forest avenue, Forest Road, North First street and Clinton avenue have petitioned the Township Committee of Fanwood Township to change the names of these streets to Forest avenue for the whole length of the road or street, from the intersection of said Clinton avenue with Mountain avenue, to the intersection of said Forest Road with North avenue, the same being a continuous street or road from the points named and being greatly to the advantage of the said petitioners:

It is hereby ordained by the Township Committee of Fanwood Township, that the street or road known by the names mentioned, Forest Road, Forest avenue, North First street and Clinton avenue be and are hereby changed and are to be hereafter known as Forest avenue from the intersection of the same with Mountain avenue to its intersection with North avenue.

EDWARD L. HAND, Township Clerk.

Dated February 11, 1895. 2 15 5

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THE JOYS OF GIBRALTAR.

Its Skies and Flowers and Monkeys and Picturesque Inhabitants.

A sky of a wonderful blue overhead. A sea of sapphire at our feet. Beyond, so far away that they lose themselves in the haze of the horizon, a range of mountains—those of two continents as wide apart in civilization as two worlds, yet blending themselves as one with the distance. Towering above us a rock bristling with fortifications, tunnelled with magazines, set all over with cannon and signal stations. Around us, at the foot of this rock, queer little narrow streets, branching off in every direction, following crooked courses through the town, sometimes, like escaping prisoners, running up wide flights of steps, between high stucco walls, only to be stopped by a higher wall at the top, and so forced to turn abruptly, dodge by a garden and round the corner of a house beyond.

Donkeys with panniers go up and down these steps, donkeys jingling with bells drag every conceivable sort of cart through the streets. Moors, barelegged, with covered heads and flowing garments; Spaniards in long cloaks, soldiers in English uniform, foreigners from many nations, jostle and crowd and shout. Old men and women or small ragged boys drive droves of turkeys, guiding them with whips, snapping their long lashes as our teamsters drive horses. And everywhere one looks, in porcelain pots fastened to the outsides of houses, filling the gardens, covering often the cannon, nodding over the walls, clambering up trees, waving bright colors at us like signal flags from stations on the rock above us—everywhere are flowers; the heliotrope in bushes large as those of our currants, geraniums like trees, red cactus, one great sweep of color, morning glories, roses, the December air as perfumed as that of June.

This, then, is Gibraltar; no gloomy fortress, but a paradise of flowers, a medley of the picturesque. The 6,000 English soldiers add only to the effect, and the new defenses always going on suggest not so much preparations for war as some new marvel of engineering skill, from which beauty of line is never eliminated.

With this marvel of earth and sky above us there could be no indoors for us that day. Even Prof. Prodgers mounted a donkey to make the ascent of those galleries, tunnelling the rock to its very crest, 1,300 feet above, every opening mounted with a cannon. It is here that the monkeys, tired perhaps of awaiting battles for which so many preparations are made, carry on warfare of their own, hurling stones at visitors and soldiers, while they sit and grin at a distance like mischievous school boys.—Harper's Bazaar.

FOR CHEAP GAS.

Expert Stevens Could Furnish It at 37 Cents and Have a Picnic.

There is a bill in the New Jersey legislature limiting the price of gas to one dollar per thousand feet. Mr. Gruber of Jersey City, who introduced the bill, produced figures from an expert gasmaker, showing that 250,000 cubic feet of gas can be made and distributed for $87.12. Deducting 10 per cent. for leakage there would remain 225,000 cubic feet, which, sold at one dollar a thousand, would bring $225, and leave a profit of $137.88. An additional 250,000 cubic feet could be made for $64.12, making the total cost of manufacturing and distributing 500,000 feet of gas a day $156.24. For an invested capital of $200,000, after deducting 10 per cent. for interest, his figures showed that there would remain a yearly surplus of $88,220.40.

The representatives of the gas companies spent some time upon the floor of the House endeavoring to ascertain the name of the expert. After considerable sparring between Mr. Gruber and Secretary of State Kelsey and Col. Fuller, Levi Stevens stepped forward and announced that he made the figures and was prepared to prove their correctness. He said he could secure a million dollars capital and furnish gas of 22-candle power for 30 cents per thousand. In Philadelphia he could supply the city at 37 cents, "and have a picnic," he said. Excellent 22-candle power gas, he continued, can be made for 18 to 22 cents, and it costs about as much more to distribute it.

Mr. Stevens displayed considerable feeling against Secretary Kelsey, whom he charged with being the agent of the New York gas companies. The Trenton Gas Company, he said, was started on a capital of $25,000, which had been watered on the profits, and now amounted to $320,000. Mr. Stevens is now superintending the gas plant at the State prison, where he makes gas at less than 50 cents a thousand, and said he could light the State House for less.

A PENALTY WORSE THAN DEATH.

Belgium Has a System of Refined Torture that Kills in Three Years.

Though the death penalty was practically abolished in Belgium over thirty years ago, the punishment of those convicted of capital crimes is so awful that none has yet been able to endure it more than three years.

The duties of public executioner in Belgium are singular, but not arduous. The courts still continue to sentence malefactors to death, but the guillotine has been replaced by a scaffold, on which is posted a copy of the sentence. Much ceremony is observed in affixing this document. A troop of gendarmes, with their imposing helmets plumed with horsehair, is drawn up about the place of execution, which they gravely guard with sabers drawn, while the red-robed executioner mounts the steps, nails up the decrees of the court, and after a moment takes it down again.

But the condemned man might more mercifully have perished by the axe or rope. He is placed in a dungeon so constructed that from the moment he enters it he will never hear the sound of human voices nor see a living being. His food is passed in through a sliding panel in the door of his cell.

Not one of these prisoners has been able to survive this confinement more than three years. The authorities have striven in vain to prolong their lives by varying their food as much as possible, but those who are moderately or lightly nourished gradually waste away, while those who are generously fed go mad and die raving maniacs.

Not Easy to Please.

Married Man—Why don't you get married, Miss Perkins? You are getting to look like a "back number." You will soon be an old maid.

Miss Perkins—If I were as easy to please as your wife was I would have been married long ago.—Boston Home Journal.

LEADER OF SWELLS.

WARD M'ALLISTER WON FAME BY INSTIGATING NEW YORK'S 400.

He Was a Lawyer and Fond of Genteel Society. He Tried to Establish An American Aristocracy and Succeeded. His Career.

It was his statement that New York society consisted of four hundred people that made Ward McAllister a national character, whose fame soon spread to Europe and made him a more unique personality than civilization in its slow evolution had hitherto produced.

Ward McAllister was the product of New York conditions, and he was proud of the factors that made and kept him prominent. He fitted into the tastes and peculiarities of no other community. He was the offspring of the metropolis in which he had lived for thirty-five years.

He never made any mistake with regard to his own talents and functions. To estimate him as a literary man, as a thinker, a reformer, a doctrinaire, is manifestly unjust, for there is even in his writings a continual protest against such judgments.

He was a social, not an intellectual influence. He had a profound belief that a really good society, in the social sense, must be founded, even in a republic, on something better than mere wealth; that it must have character, distinction, conservative cohesion and must be in a sense exclusive. He has said over and over again that what is known to us as the best society does not get its warrant from birth or from money, but from the ability to separate itself from everything that is vulgar and ignoble, and to exercise with absolute independence the privilege of refusing to associate with anything that did not come up to its own standard—no matter how arbitrary that standard might be.

He was the spokesman of this set. Self elected, perhaps, but tolerated, recognized and looked up to by the set itself.

He rode into popular recognition on a phrase. And his limitation of the genuine society of New York to "four hundred" was the first intimation of his set views of the exclusiveness of that society. He was travestied and abused a great deal for that phrase, but although he defended it with modifications afterwards, he never for a moment gave up the conviction that it embodied.

WARD M'ALLISTER.

His authority for so many years as a master of ceremonies was the result, first of a somewhat variant and confused notion of "proper form" in our society, and second, of the absolute need in all fashionable functions of an expert who had made a study of details, who knew to perfection just where the cross-currents of the different sets touched, and who could with masterful adroitness bring together the right people and so manipulate the function that everybody would feel at ease and know that the viands and the wines and the service were invisibly selected and consummately handled.

He was a member of the Union club, a connoisseur in wines, a gourmet and an arbiter of elegance. His name was known to everybody within the portals of society, and his good offices were sought by those who desired admission to the charmed circle, but the multitude had never heard of him.

Through him all news about the great subscription balls had been given to the public, and to him a reporter went one day in the spring of 1888 to obtain information about the number of persons who actually composed New York society. Mr. McAllister separated in his mind the four hundred sheep from the million and three-quarters of goats and gave the facts to the world.

The public was amused and surprised. Nobody had imagined that New York's society was composed of so limited a number. The interview was republished throughout America, was made the subject of comment and criticism all over the world, and Mr. McAllister was famous. "The Upper Ten," the approved abbreviation of "Upper Ten Thousand," fell into innocuous desuetude, and the "Four Hundred" became the conventional designation of Mr. McAllister's flock.

This limitation of society took a firm hold on the imagination of the people at large, and the sensation it created did not die out in a day. The endless discussion of Mr. McAllister seemed to please him. A flattering offer was made to him to write a book. The ridicule that followed the publication of "Society As I Have Found It" did not discourage him in the least. He continued to write about his set, and consequently tarnished his prestige to some extent with those who had formerly looked to him for their social law.

Although recognized as the great society leader, Mr. McAllister was not particularly fastidious about his attire. He usually wore sack coats in the street, and was not "dandified." He was stout, weighing probably 200 pounds, and about five feet ten inches tall. He was quite bald; his hair was light brown and inclined to be curly, his heavy mustache and imperial sandy and streaked with gray. His eyes were blue and shaded by thick eyebrows.

He was born in Georgia more than sixty years ago. His grandfather was chief justice of the State, and his father a judge of the United States circuit court. Ward McAllister was admitted to the bar in California in 1851, and for a time practiced law with his brother, Hall McAllister, who subsequently became the leading lawyer of the Pacific slope.

Comparing Notes.

"My furnace," said one man who keeps house, "is out of sight."

"So is mine," replied another; "out of anthracite."—Washington Star.

SWINDLERS ROBBED.

With a "Black Jack" Sheffield Took $1,600 in Genuine Bills.

John Sheffield, of Manchester, New York, came down to Jersey City with a big blackjack that, it is said, he borrowed from Sheriff Fitzgerald, of Ontario county. His mission was to beat the "green goods" men at their own game and get the flash roll of genuine money that they show to their victims. He got the roll, but Chief of Police Murphy took it off him and locked him up on a charge of carrying a concealed deadly blackjack though, when arrested Sheffield was running out of Taylor's Hotel, hatless, and with the bloodstained weapon in his hand, with which he had just knocked out one of the green goods operators, after grabbing the roll of $1,600.

Sheffield is a tall and muscular fellow, thirty-five years old, who looks like a typical New Jersey commuter. His birthplace was Watkins Glen, but he moved some little time ago to Manchester where he runs a restaurant. The police think he is a "come back"—that is to say, a green goods buyer who has been swindled and who returns to the scene of spoliation to do the thing over again, and do it better, though, as a rule, they learn very little by experience, and simply get cheated again.

His story is that a friend of his had been robbed by the gang, and that when he received one of their circulars, offering genuine paper money at ruinous sacrifices, he determined to fool them. He wrote enthusiastic letters, telling them to set their presses going and print $5,000 for him in "tens, fives and ones," and have them nice and dry and ready to spend as soon as he arrived.

On a cut rate ticket and a gleam of foxiness upon his features, he came down as far as Port Jervis on Monday. The swindlers had notified him to meet them at No. 87 West street, New York, but he wished to play a game upon them with his blackjack, and he preferred to select his own battle grounds. So he wired them from Port Jervis that they must meet him at Taylor's hotel.

When they reached room 70 one of the men pulled out a bundle, untied it and threw a lot of brand new bills upon the table. As it afterward turned out, there were one hundred genuine $10 bills, one hundred $5's and one hundred $1's, making a total of $1,600.

The man from Manchester asked them if that was all they had got, and they said it was. Then a suspicious gleam came over his face and the operators began to look at each other. Sheffield had been pretending to examine the money, and while doing so had scooped it into a pile. Large beads of perspiration spangled his brow, and he trembled with excitement. The operators then realized that they were being trifled with.

One of the men raised his umbrella to attack Sheffield and the other punched out at him. Sheffield, unable to suppress his feelings, uttered a warwhoop and drew his blackjack. He whanged the big man over the head with it, knocking him over, and then flourished it over the other man, who had stepped back in alarm and stumbled over the bed.

Sheffield put the money into his overcoat pocket and dashed out of the door without his hat. That wasn't what he had intended to do, but he told Chief Murphy afterward that his excitement dominated him, and he couldn't work according to schedule. Bellowing like an alarmed maniac, he dashed down the stairs, waving the blackjack and acting generally like a weird, wild thug.

A uniformed policeman came up at that moment, and the two removed Sheffield to police headquarters. His hair was waving in the breeze and he was breathing quickly, something like a man snoring.

Meanwhile the green goods operators had dashed down the stairs, run through the barber shop and the bar room and then vanished. A policeman at the ferry saw a well dressed man with dark complexion run into the ferry house. Blood was streaming from under his hat and he was much agitated. It was not until after the boat that took the wounded stranger to New York had started that the policeman connected him with the Taylor hotel events.

Sheffield, at police headquarters, told Chief Murphy exactly how he had got the $1,600. This was a weak move on his part, because if he had said the money was his and that he had brought it down to buy green goods with, it would have been given back to him. As it is it will go to the Police Mutual Aid fund.

It Was a Ham.

A Gratiot avenue grocer who has missed a ham or two from the hooks outside his store set a watch the other evening and the result was that a colored man was nabbed just as he got the property into his possession. When taken into the store the grocer asked:

"Well, sir, what excuse have you got for such conduct?"

"Boss, what's all dis row 'bout?" calmly inquired the prisoner.

"Why, you stole that ham!"

"Goodness me! Does yo' charge dat I dun stole dat ham?"

"Certainly, you were caught walking away with it."

"But am it a ham?"

"Of course it is!"

"A sure-'nuff ham—regular meat an' bone?"

"Certainly."

"Fo' de Lawd, but what a narrer escape I has had! Say, boss, does yo' know what I fought that ar' ham was?"

"You thought it a ham, of course."

"No, sah—no, sah—I didn't. I jest dun believe it was a peck of meal in a bag hangin' up dar, an' I wanted to feed my chickens. Ham! Ham! Why, if I'd got home an' found it was a ham, I'd hev begun to eat an' eat, an' kept right on 'till I busted all to smash! Wall, I do declar! Yo' jest orter to put signs up on dem hams so dat folks won't make mistakes an' kill demselves!"—Detroit Free Press.

The Beater Beaten.

"Since Christmas I've begun to have my doubts about Santa Claus," ruefully exclaimed the boy who smokes cigarettes. "I tried to get an extra share by fooling the old fellow, so I got up in the night and put a big hole in the toe of my stocking, with my fishing net under it, so he wouldn't hear the things drop out." "Wot wuz de net result?" inquired the boy who couldn't help being funny. "I found the hole darned just like those in my other stockings—and mother gave me a terrible licking for nothing that morning."

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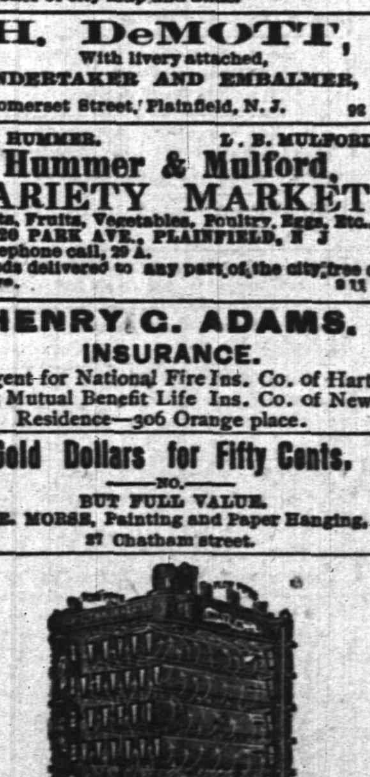

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PLAINFIELD AND NEWARK.

Leave Plainfield 5 58, 6 29, 6 59, 7 26, 7 58, 8, 8 46, 9 32, 10 04, 10 27, A. M., 12 06, 1 18, 2 07, 2 30, 3 12, 3 51, 4 50, 5 54, 6 54, 7 08, 8 30, 10 17, 11 28 P. M. Sunday—8 01, 8 52, 10 08, 11 28, A. M., 12 38, 1 45, 3 30, 5 36, 7 11, 8 29, 8 32, 10 17 P. M.

Leave Newark 6 14, 7 18, 7 55, 8 39, 9 08, 10 08, 11 35 A. M., 1 15, 1 35, 2 20 Saturday only, 3 30, 3 35, 4 05, 4 40, 5 04, 5 24, 5 50, 6 20, 7 15, 7 35, 8 40, 10 05, 11 35 P. M. Sunday—7 30, 8 45, 9 25, 11 35, A. M., 1 10, 2 35, 4 10, 5 40, 7 20, 9 25, 10 20 P. M.

Passengers for Newark change cars at Elizabeth.

PLAINFIELD AND SOMERVILLE.

Leave Plainfield 5 45, 7 10, 8 16, 9 54, 11 a.m., 12 46, 2 08, 2 32, 3 45, 4 36, 5 05, 5 14, 5 34, 6 04, 6 19, 6 38, 7 12, 7 34, 8 21, 10 26, 11 23, P. M. 12 38 night Sunday—5 45, 8 28, 9 34, A. M., 2 08, 3 28, 5 14, 6 35, 10 18, 11 14 P. M.

Leave Somerville, 6, 6 30, 7 00, 7 25, 7 35, 7 45, 8 20, 9 05, 9 48, 11 40 A. M., 12 50, 1 48, 3 05, 3 25, 4 25, 5 28, 6 36, 8 07, 8 45, 11 05, P. M. Sunday 8 25, 9 45, 10 55 A. M., 12 08, 1 20, 5 05, 6 45, 8 02, 8 08, 9 40 P. M.

PLAINFIELD AND EASTON.

Leave Plainfield 5 45, 8 16, 9 54, A. M., 12 46, 2 08, 5 05, 5 14, 6 38, 8 21 P. M. Sunday—5 45, 8 28 A. M. 2 08, 6 35, P. M.

Leave Easton 6 05, 7 00, 8 53, A. M., 12 32, 4 04, 7 00 P. M. Sundays—7 15, 10 52, A. M. 6 40, 7 30, P. M.

PLAINFIELD AND LAKE HOPATCONG.

Leave Plainfield 9 54, a. m., 5 05 p. m.

WESTWARD CONNECTIONS.

LEAVE PLAINFIELD.

5 45 A. M. for Flemington, Easton, Allentown Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Mauch Chunk Williamsport and Tamaqua.

7 10 a. m. for stations to High Bridge, connecting for stations on High Bridge Branch.

8 16 A. M. for Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R. Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9 54 A. M. for Flemington, High Bridge branch D L & W R R, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Pottsville, Nanticoke, Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c. Through coach to Williamsport.

12 46 p. m., way for Easton, connecting at Junction for stations on D. L. & W. R. R.

2 08 P. M. for Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Sunbury and Williamsport, Wilkes-Barre and Scranton. Buffet parlor car to Mauch Chunk.

5 05 p. m., way for Easton, connecting at High Bridge for stations on High Bridge branch

5 14 P. M. for Flemington, Easton, Bethlehem, Bangor Allentown, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, Mauch Chunk Shamokin and Tamaqua, Buffet parlor car to Scranton.

6 19 P. M. for Flemington.

6 38 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading and Harrisburg.

8 21 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

5 45 A. M. Sunday for Easton, Bethlehem Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Wilkesbarre and Scranton. 8 28 a.m. Sundays for Easton, 2 08 p. m. Sundays for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Reading and Harrisburg, 6 35 p. m. Sundays for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, &c. and at Junction for D. L. & W. R. R.

For Atlantic City, 3 37 a. m. 1 18 p. m.

Long Branch, Ocean Grove, &c

Leave Plainfield 3 37, 8, 10 27, a. m. 1.18, 3 51, 5 54, p. m. Sundays—(except Ocean Grove 8 52, a. m., 3 30 p. m.

For Perth Amboy, 3 37, 5 58, 8 10 27 a. m., 1 18, 3 51, 4 50, 5 54, 7 08 p.m. Sunday—8 52, a. m., 3 30 p. m.

For Freehold, 3 37, 8, 10 27 a.m., 1 18, 3 51, 4 50, p.m.

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For Trenton 5 45, 8 44, 9 40*, 10 46, a. m., 12 46, 2 08*, 5 34*, 6 38*, 8 21, 9 37* p.m., 1 12 night. Sunday—5 45, 9 34, a. m., 2 08*, 5 14* 6 45 p. m., 1 12 night.

For Baltimore and Washington at 9 48, a. m., 2 08, 5 34* 6 45 p. m. 1 12, night. Sundays—9 48 a. m., 2 08, 5 14* 6 45 p.m. 1 12, night.

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Leave Trenton, Warren and Tucker sts., 1 08, 4 58, 9 06, 10 25, a.m., 12 15*, 2 10, 4 28*, 5 54, 9 08 p.m. Sundays—1 00, 4 58, 9 06, 10 27 a. m., 1 16*, 4 29, 6 48*, 9 08 p. m.

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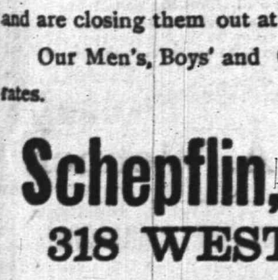

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HAWTHORNE'S SHYNESS.

He Knew that Deer Liked Tobacco, but Wouldn't Talk.

Prof. J. H. Gilmore gave an interesting lecture on Nathaniel Hawthorne, in Rochester recently, in the course of which he related the following: "It was my privilege to meet Hawthorne at the White Mountains. He was there with Pierce and Loring and Spofford, and I saw considerable of him. I shall never forget the whimsical appearance of the man when Pierce was trying to get him to go into the parlor of the hotel. He was quite averse to it. There were clever people there from all over the United States, who had heard of him and were proud of him; but he did not want to mingle with them at all. Pierce insisted upon it, and he complied, and after five minutes he made his escape, and I found him out on the veranda smoking a cigar. He did not want to make friends, apparently, but he made an exception in my favor. I had been spending several summers there, and I knew the woodcraft very thoroughly, and he found out that he could get from me the information that he wanted. He would ask me a question, and my reply would be followed by another question. 'Why?' for instance, he asked me, 'which way would you fish a trout stream?' I said, 'Down stream.' Then he asked me why. I was compelled to answer that a trout, when wounded, runs up the stream, and that if I were fishing down stream he would not disturb the trout below. On one occasion I referred to the fact that the grain of the wood of a certain tree was twisted. At first he questioned the fact, and asked: 'What makes you think so?' I said to him: 'If you will go with me to the woodpile I will show you that it is so.' I thus satisfied him of the fact, but, as to the reason for it, I could only give a theory—that it was caused by the winds. I think that while he was there he found out all that I knew; and I found out very little from him. There was one thing that he knew that I did not find out. One day we were looking at a pet fawn. He said: 'Do you know that every animal of the deer kind is naturally fond of tobacco?' I was taken all aback, because I had been taught that only man and a certain loathsome green worm, the vilest thing the Creator ever made, would touch tobacco. To illustrate the matter to me he put his hand into his pocket, for he not only smoked but chewed, took out a piece of tobacco and handed it to the fawn, and she ate it down as though she liked it, and while I was waiting to see her fall down dead, she was nosing around Hawthorne's pocket for some more tobacco."

Wanted to be Hypnotized.

"Mister," said Meandering Mike, as he stood at the step of the doctor's office, "kin you hypnotize?"

"Can I what?" exclaimed the astonished practitioner.

"Hypnotize. I want somebody dat kin flim-flam my intelleck."

"No. I never made a study of mesmeric science."

"Do yer know anybody dat kin?"

"Y—yes. What do you want with such things?"

"Well, ye see, Doc, it's diss here way. I'm a great reader, I am. I reads every scrap o' paper I gits me hands on, an' it's a cole day when I aint up to de times."

"I suppose you've discovered that hypnotism is being used as a defense for crime?"

"'Course I has. But I ain got no sech idees. Me intentions is t'oroughly honor-'ble. I jes' been offered a job of snow shovelin' down de street, an' I'm blest ef I ain't so hard up I feels mos' like workin' ter git de money."

"But what has that got to do with hypnotism?"

"Well, I t'ought dat ef you could put a dizzy, hanky-panky spell on me, see? so's I could shovel dat snow wit'out knowin' a t'ing about it, 'twould be a ack of kindness ter a feller man. Whut I wants is some one dat kin make me 'magine dat shovelin' snow is rushin' de growler, so's I kin earn de quarter before I knows what's happenin'."—Washington Star.

The Wig-Wag Language of Dogs.

It is no doubt a startling conclusion, but Dr. Louis Robinson, who has been investigating the mysteries of canine language, has practically set up the theory that a dog speaks with his tail tip. In the case of all hunting dogs which pack together the tail is carried aloft and is very free in movement. There is no doubt that fox hounds habitually watch the tails of those in front of them when drawing a covert. If a faint drag is detected, suggestive of the presence of a fox, but not sufficient to be sworn to vocally, the tail of the finder is set in motion and the warmer the scent the quicker does it wag. Others seeing the signal instantly join the first, and there is an assemblage of waving tails before even the least whisper is heard. Should the drag prove a doubtful one, the hounds separate again and the waving ceases, but if it grows stronger when followed up the wagging becomes more emphatic, until one after another the hounds begin to whine and give tongue and stream off in Indian file along the line of scent. When the pack is at full cry upon a strong scent the tails cease to wave, but are carried aloft in full view.—London Dispatch.

How She Won Their Votes.

Those who may have imagined that the woman politicians of the country would not prove resourceful in practical electioneering will be interested in Miss Estelle Reel, formerly of Ohio, who carried the State of Wyoming in her canvass for state superintendent of public instruction. Miss Reel is not only young (27), but charming. Being nominated upon the Republican ticket she determined to lead the same, and did so.

In Wyoming the voting places are few and far between, so the woman candidate adopted an original plan of bringing the cowboys to the front. She procured a list of addresses and an immense stock of the daintiest stationery and a corresponding supply of photographs of herself. Inclosing the picture with a graceful personal appeal to every known or unknown friend, she induced the rough riders of the State to travel in many cases as much as fifty miles to vote for the pretty girl who thus honored them.

Miss Reel is said to be the most delightful kind of a woman, and has designs on still higher positions within the gift of the people.

There is now to-day $1,600,000,000 deposited in the savings banks of the United States. There it is—the storehouse of the poor laboring men of the country. Give them the opportunity and they will supply the national deficiency of $50,000,000 in three days, and the thing will be over.—Senator John Sherman.

TO DEFEND THE CUP.

SOME OF THE YACHTING EVENTS OF THE PAST QUARTER CENTURY.

Yankee Talent Has So Far Held Supremacy Against British Persistency. Personelle of the Contesting Syndicate of 1895. Lord Dunraven to the Fore Again.

When all minor questions at issue in the matter of the international races are put aside, one thing stands out in the most pronounced manner to the credit of the British yachtsmen—that is, their courage and persistency in the face of continued defeat. It is doubtless a national characteristic to be brave and determined under reverses, but repeated assaults after repeated failures stamp them as foemen worthy the steel of their Yankee victors. It is a long list of disasters when the record is gone over. It begins in the year 1870, when the Cambria, owned by Mr. James Ashbury, was beaten. It finishes in 1893, when the Valkyrie, the property of Lord Dunraven, lowered her colors to the Vigilant. And in the years intervening there is seen that the Livonia, also owned by Mr. James Ashbury; the Countess of Dufferin, represented by Major C. Gifford; the Atalanta, in charge of Mr. Alex. Cuthbert; the Genesta, owned by Sir Richard Sutton; the Galatea, belonging to Lieutenant Henn, and the Thistle, owned by Mr. James Bell, crossed the ocean to be repulsed by the vessels defending the cup. The races which those challengers sailed number eighteen, and the period covered is almost a quarter of a century. Still, the leaders of the sport in England do not seem to be discouraged. They are just as anxious now as in the past to win back the trophy which the American captured more than forty-four years ago. So, courage and persistency must, in truth, be marked against their names and their efforts.

When Lord Dunraven left America, after the failure of the Valkyrie's mission, he intimated to a few friends that he had not given up trying to win the cup, but, on the contrary, was more determined than ever, and within a year or two he should again be heard from by the New York Yacht Club. He has kept his word in the most positive way. Throughout the Vigilant's races abroad last summer he and his yachting friends and private designer were engaged in the pleasant duty of studying the performances of the bronze boat, and the more they studied the more they were convinced that British skill and enterprise could at no distant day reach the end in view—the building of a craft that would defeat America's best in their own waters. For this they are working. The craft is being built on the Clyde, and Lord Dunraven is her representative owner and the leading spirit in the challenge which has been accepted for the ninth of these international matches.

E. D. MORGAN, C. O. ISELIN,
W. K. VANDERBILT,
LORD WOLVERTON, LORD DUNRAVEN.

Lord Wolverton is a member of the Valkyrie syndicate. He is not more than 30 years old, but has long been a yachtsman, and is noted for his extensive travels. He has owned several well known boats and is now cruising in the Mediterranean in the steam yacht Fedora, which he chartered from the Marquis of Waterford. This cruise will not finish until the beginning of May. Lord Wolverton was married recently to Lady Edith Ward, only daughter of Georgina, Countess of Dudley, who is quite a yachtswoman, and for her Lord Wolverton had built, just before their marriage, the two rater Douscha, which they took to the Mediterranean on the deck of the Fedora.

The syndicate owning the cup defender now building at Bristol, and which, in all likelihood, will be the New York Yacht Club's champion in the match for the trophy, are three in number. These gentlemen are Mr. William K. Vanderbilt, Commodore E. D. Morgan and Mr. C. Oliver Iselin. When the question of providing the money to build a proper boat with which to meet the challenging yacht was being agitated, there was much anxiety manifested on the part of the club's officials. Matters did not assume a satisfactory shape until Mr. Chester Griswold, member of the Regatta Committee, called upon Mr. Vanderbilt and explained the situation to him. In less time than it takes to tell the result of the interview Mr. Vanderbilt assured his caller that he would build the boat required. The generous and patriotic offer was hailed with delight by the officers of the club. Subsequently Commodore Morgan and Mr. Iselin signified their desire to co-operate with Mr. Vanderbilt, and the syndicate was thus announced, with Mr. Iselin to be in charge of the craft from now until the races are finished in September next.

It is a model syndicate. Mr. Vanderbilt was one of the number that built the Vigilant, and has always taken the keenest of interest in the yachting affairs of the country and in the club's welfare. His steam yacht Alva was a representative vessel, and his twin screw steamer Valiant, now in the Mediterranean, one of the grandest pleasure craft afloat. He expects to return to America with his steamer in time to witness the cup races, and there isn't a yachtsman in the land but that will wish that he may have the great pleasure of seeing the boat which he so quietly and promptly assured Mr. Griswold he would build defeat her British antagonist.

Wanted.

Give me a girl that I can trust,
And to a home I'll lead her.
I do not want her for myself;
My wife and I both need her.

A NEEDLE'S JOURNEY.

Traversed a Woman's Body Many Times, and Was Got Out Last Week.

Dr. D. P. Robbins of Union City, Pa., has a needle that he prizes so highly that a good deal of money would be required to buy it from him. It is an ordinary cambric needle, fine, and two inches long. There are probably not many needles in existence as old as this one. It is known to be sixty years old, for it was lost sixty years ago this month. It was found one day last week.

In January, 1835, Lorina Sherwood, then a girl of 14, lost the needle. She lost it by swallowing it. Ever since then the needle has been journeying to and fro through her body. When she was 16 years old she felt it pricking through her toe. Two years afterward it made itself felt under her left knee, and came so near the surface that every one thought it would work its way out, but it didn't. It turned and started on a new trip.

Several years passed before it was felt again. In the meantime the girl had become Mrs. Durham. A year after she was married the needle announced itself as still with her by coming to some obstruction under her left shoulder blade. It remained there a long time, causing Mrs. Durham great suffering. At last the pain there ceased, and it was presumed that the needle had taken another course. This presumption was correct, for two years later Mrs. Durham felt it near her right elbow. The pain, while it remained there, was intense, but once more the needle started on its travels. Four years afterward it assailed Mrs. Durham's right knee, and an attempt was made to cut it out, but it got away.

So it has been going ever since and Mrs. Durham says that there is no part of her body from her shoulders down that at some time or other she has not felt the pricking and pain of the traveling needle. Three years ago it came to the right knee again, and shortly afterward reached the right ankle.

Since then Mrs. Durham has not felt it until the other day, when she was seized with excruciating pains in her left leg, a few inches below the knee joint. Mrs. Durham lives at Sherwood's Corners, Pa., and Dr. Robbins happened to be on a non-professional visit to that place.

He had heard of the needle that for sixty years had been making a highway of Mrs. Durham's body, and he requested that he might try and get it. He was permitted to make the quest. He cut two inches into the muscle of Mrs. Durham's leg and got the needle. It was headed for another upward journey. It was as bright as when it was swallowed threescore years ago, and has lost nothing of its proportions.

A DYING MAN'S QUEER JOKE.

Made Rich Bequests to His Benefactors Which Turned Out to be Fictitious.

A shabbily dressed man in the last stages of consumption presented himself at one of the Paris hospitals recently and was received and cared for. Two days later a strange story ran from one end of the institution to the other. The consumptive, it was said, was a rich landowner from the south of France, who, to expiate a life spent in debauchery and general wickedness, wished to end his days among the very poor and wretched. It seems he had secretly procured pen and paper and had dictated his will to one of his fellow patients.

He bequeathed all his possessions to the good people who had sweetened his last moments, 100,000 francs to the director, 100,000 francs to the chief physician, 30,000 francs to the hospital which had so charitably sheltered him, and so on. No one was forgotten, not even his companions in misery.

Every patient is solicitously cared for in the hospital in question, but this one received a double portion of attention. Out of delicacy all forbore to speak to him of his bequest, but all watched over the generous giver with particular tenderness, and, surrounded by every comfort, he breathed his last. The brilliant funeral which followed was paid for by the hospital which he had enriched.

But what a sorrowful, stupefying surprise was theirs when they learned at the end of a week that in the region indicated as the native place of the deceased, where his house and land, his valuables and goods were located, he was utterly unknown. The name he had given was false; the will he had made was a hoax.

At first all concerned were furious, but second thoughts showed them the humorous side of the stupendous joke of which they had been the victims, and if laughter is a cure for ills many such have followed in that institution.

LITTLE COOKS AT WORK.

An Afternoon Reception at the New York Cooking School.

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CHAPTER III.

"Let me introduce Capt. Forrester to you," said Miss Cavallo. "He has been good enough to bring me my lace scarf which I thought I had lost. I am so glad to get it again."

"Well, that *is* nice," exclaimed Mrs. Bartlett, "and to come all this way with it. I'm sure you ought to be flattered, Angy, my dear," and she nodded, knowingly: "Pray, sir, are you residing in London?" she added, too curious to heed the logical sequence of her speech.

"No; I am rather a bird of passage, but I shall make some stay in town just now."

"Indeed!" returned Mrs. Bartlett, blandly. "Then perhaps you would give me the pleasure of your company to a small and early gathering, on the 10th, a conversazione in short, mixed with music. We have some literary and artistic friends coming, and I hope to have a genial and intellectual evening."

"Thank you! I shall be very pleased to come," returned Forrester, joyously. "Music has enormous charms for my savage breast."

"Very glad you can join us! My young friend here is good enough to promise her valuable assistance, and one of my inmates plays the violoncello admirably. I endeavor to make my modest mansion a social center of an improving description." She smiled and nodded to Forrester as if taking him into her confidence, while Forrester caught a surprised look in Miss Cavallo's speaking eyes.

"She did nothing. I should accept," he said to himself. "I dare say the company will be a queer crew. It's a shame that such a dainty creature should be plunged into a set of Bohemians, as I suspect she is. By Jove! the carriage of her head is a sort of patent of nobility." Here his reflections were broken by the tinkling of a rather cracked bell.

"Pray join us at our frugal lunch," Capt. Forrester, said Mrs. Bartlett in an altra elegant tone. Forrester fancied Miss Cavallo's eyes said "don't," and therefore replied: "Thanks! I seldom indulge in luncheon and I have an engagement in town, so I must say good morning; by the way, do you ever go to the theater?"

"Oh! we delight in the drama!" said Mrs. Bartlett.

"Indeed! Then I shall send you a box or stalls at the Criterion next week. I have some interest there," returned Forrester, which was true, so far as L. S. D. always has interest.

"Dear me, how very nice!" exclaimed Mrs. Bartlett. Then Forrester bowed himself out.

So soon as the door had closed on him Mrs. Bartlett, with a knowing shake of the head, observed: "What an elegant man, my dear, quite a swell! Why he is gone upon you, Angy! To think of his coming all this way! Mark my words, he has fallen in love at first sight! I suppose he is rich! He has the air of being rich. You must be careful dear, but not too stand off—"

Angy smiled with a far-away look in her eyes. "I suppose he likes to amuse himself," she said, very calmly. "He doesn't seem a bad sort of man—very English, I suppose, at least I never met anyone quite like him before."

"Tip-top style, my dear, take my word for it. But I *am* glad he didn't stay to lunch—cold shoulder of mutton is sweet eating, but it looks ragged. Come along, I am desperately hungry."

This interview fanned the incipient flame which was already more than smouldering in Forrester's decidedly impressionable heart. He had a great weakness for ladies' society and was equally liked by them. His amourettes were legion, but left little trace on his elastic nature.

There was something, however in the steady but gentle composure of Angela Cavallo which exercised an extraordinary fascination upon him—perhaps it was the charm that strength has for weakness, but, besides, his amour-propre was stirred and stung with a keen desire to ruffle that profound quiet of hers by the breath of emotion—the sweet tremulousness of shy liking.

"I dare say I shall make a fool of myself, I generally do, and women take these passages much more seriously than we do. I fancy that girl could be desperately in earnest—if—if she cared for a man, and how delicious to be cared for by her! She looks better without her hat than with it. She is certainly a gentlewoman, but her surroundings are not exactly aristocratic. Of course, I'll not let things go too far; as soon as I make my arrangements here I'll go on to Scotland. As to this claimant that Dixon talks of, I don't fear much on that score."

Such were Forrester's reflections as he rolled eastward to his hotel. "Did you return the scarf personally, or by post?" asked Dixon a day or two after, with a twinkle in his keen eyes.

"Oh, personally, of course! That was mere politeness."

"And where did you find her?"

"In person with a respectable elderly female, whose house is, she informed me, an intellectual and artistic center."

"Indeed! Well, don't try too much centralization!"

Forrester laughed and changed the subject.

The days flew by and the 10th was soon with them. Forrester had omitted to mention his engagement to his friend and adviser, who told him that he had duly answered Messrs. Welford's letter and had received no further communication, and he (Dixon) supposed the next move would be an application to the probate court. That was something too far off to trouble him, so he sent off a gorgeous bouquet to Miss Angela Cavallo, and indulged in anticipations of a very pleasant evening. Great had been the preparations at No. 13 Alma terrace. Doors had been taken off their hinges and doorways draped with art muslin. Refreshments were spread in the much-glorified kitchen, the grate being draped with embroidered stuff, lent by a friendly artist, and turned into a niche containing a plaster cast from the antique, contributed by another. The scullery was converted into a cave of mystery where a necromancer with a long, white beard revealed the future to those "young men and maidens" who sought him at intervals during the evening.

There were no stately waiters in broadcloth to oppress the company with sense of the unfitness of things; a couple of active maids with fresh white caps and aprons flitted about, but otherwise the male guests did the waiting themselves with cheerful alacrity, and among them none were more active and unremitting in his attentions than Forrester.

Most of the guests had assembled when he arrived and he was cordially greeted by Mrs. Bartlett, who was attired in black velvet with a court-like plume of white feathers in her cap, and some really splendid diamonds (Irish) sparkling round her neck.

"Here's your friend Capt. Forrester, my dear!" she said over the shoulder of one of a group of men, who, parting at the hostess' words, revealed Miss Cavallo, whose eyes met Forrester's with a laughing look as if she were amused at his coming. She was very simply dressed, still in black, which showed the snowy whiteness of her neck and arms, and her thick fine hair of red gold without any ornament whatever. Forrester's bouquet lay in her lap, and she was in the act of drawing off her long gloves. Forrester was conscious of a sudden desire to expel, by no gentle means, all the long-haired and queerly dressed men who surrounded her. One or two were in correct evening attire, but none looked like men of Forrester's world.

"Good evening," she said, giving him her hand. "Thank you very much for these beautiful flowers; they give me so much pleasure."

"Then I am amply rewarded," he replied, gazing at her with undisguised admiration. She met his eyes with the same look of amusement he had noticed before.

"I am going to sing," she said. "Will you take care of this for me?" handing him her bouquet.

"Certainly," offering his arm.

"Oh! I must take M. Dupont's! He manages many concerts and wants to hear me sing," and she turned to a very stout gentleman with a head like a blacking brush and stiffly-waxed mustache. "Pray for my success," she added, in a low tone, and, to Forrester's disgust, she walked off with M. Dupont, speaking to him in French with much animation.

The song was an English ballad. It was given with much expression, and received with applause. As soon as Miss Cavallo rose from the piano the Frenchman approached and spoke to her earnestly for a few moments. She listened with evident interest, a brighter sparkle coming into her eyes and lightening up her face. When there was a pause in their talk Forrester approached and offered her his arm, which she accepted and returned to her seat.

"I suppose your fat friend was properly enchanted with your delightful song," he said.

"Ah! that would be too much to expect from so potent a personage! But he was encouraging. He wants to see me and speak of business! He manages many concerts here. I am afraid it is rather late for any engagements this season. Perhaps next year I may be more fortunate."

"And if you find nothing to do?"

"I shall return to Paris," she replied.

"Paris is your home?"

"Yes, it has been for the last four years."

"You ought to see something of England before you leave it. By the way, will you and Mrs. Bartlett come and see Wyndham in 'David Garrick,' on Tuesday?"

"Oh! I shall be charmed to go. I think Mrs. Bartlett is disengaged." Here they were silenced by a general "Hush" as a slightly disheveled young man stood up to recite. Then two men sang a duet; a piece on the violoncello followed. Then Miss Cavallo played an accompaniment for a lady with a brilliant but rather piercing soprano voice. There was a good deal of spirit and ability in all these performances, and Forrester found himself everywhere amused, though rather impatient at having so little conversation with the fair girl who attracted him. Mrs. Bartlett, however, was most attentive to her favored guest, introducing him to various smiling dames, for whom, however, he found it difficult to invent conversation. At last he was revived by the approach of Miss Cavallo, who said: "Would you like to have your fortune told?"

"Yes, immensely!"

"There is a wonderful man downstairs who is, Mrs. Bartlett says, quite infallible. I want to hear my fate, too."

"I suspect I have found mine!" said Forrester, smiling. "Nevertheless, I should like to see if this wise man will corroborate my suspicions. Come, then."

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DR. LEWIS BRINGS TEARS

His Speech Made Senator Bradley Cry.

'TWAS A COLD-WATER ORATION.

The Plainfield Pastor Presents the Most Impressive of the Local-Option Addresses Before the Legislative Committee.

Including Revs. Honeyman, Lewis, Richards, McKelvie, Yerkes, Herring, Schenck, Newell and Goodrich, all of Plainfield, over two hundred ministers and representatives of church and temperance organizations appeared before the Senate Committee on Boroughs yesterday in favor of Senator Rogers's local-option bills.

Rev. Albert Lawson, president of the New Jersey Anti-Liquor League, made an address and introduced other speakers, among whom was Dr. Handley of Trenton. The trend of the whole talk was that the bills only gave to boroughs the right of local self-government, and many were the threats, some open and some indirect, that if the bills were not passed the Republican party would be wiped out of power as the Democratic party had been because it had not heeded the voice of the people when they opposed the passage of the race-track laws.

Not a single saloon keeper appeared before the committee at the public hearing on the bills today, but in answer to Senator Bradley's curiously worded invitation the Senate chamber was filled with ministers and temperance men from all over the State. Senator Daly, who was called for by one of the ministers, spoke in opposition to the bill, declaring his confidence in the Judges of the courts, who at present pass upon licenses.

The Rev. Dr. Lewis of Plainfield made the speech of the day. "We know", he said, "that the word has gone forth from the bosses that these bills are to be killed. We have been told there is no use in our protesting, as the Republicans are not willing to do anything to injure their *prospects of electing a Republican Governor.*"

He had voted for every Republican candidate, he said, since the martyred Lincoln, but he warned the Republicans that the people were watching them this year as never before, and if they were denied their rights the party would pay dearly for it.

Dr. Lewis's words so impressed Chairman Bradley as to draw tears from the Senator's eyes.

The Trenton Times refers as follows to the matter:

"One of the most impressive speakers was Rev. Dr. Lewis, pastor of a Plainfield Baptist Church. He was tall, with white hair and flowing white whiskers which gave him a patriarchal appearance. He spoke with much emotion and said this was a fight for American liberty and was the echo of the fight the people made seven hundred years ago when they wrung Magna Charta from King John. He said that he had been advised by one of the ring that the bill would never pass. Bradley had no following and the Republicans were not going to do anything that would hurt their chances of electing a Governor. He said he had voted for every Republican President since the martyred Lincoln, but he warned the Republicans that the people of New Jersey were watching them, and if they denied them that liberty for which our fathers fought they would pay dearly for it. Senator Bradley was so affected by the address of Dr. Lewis that tears coursed down his cheek, causing him to freely use his white silk handkerchief. When he got up to introduce the next speaker he was so choked up that his voice was hardly audible.

"Senator Daly spoke against the bills. He thought the courts were the proper places for granting licenses, and he said he was opposed to the principle of local option, and believed that the minority had some rights."

Your Picture While Your Wait.

A lightning sketch artist attracted a crowd of passersby and hackmen in front of the North Avenue station this morning by drawing crayon portraits of those who would pose for a few minutes for the small charge of a dime.

Store Improvements.

Extensive improvements are being made on the store owned by Love Bros., at 269 West Front street. A new front is being put in and an addition built on the rear end. The carpenter work is in charge of C. W. Lines.

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ON THE INCREASE.

The Second Night of the Y. M. C. A. Meetings Find More Present.

The second of the series of meetings which are being held in the assembly hall of the Y M C A this week, was attended by a large increase over that of Monday night, the audience being a mixture of young and old men, with a sprinkling of young lads among them.

The cornet playing of Park sisters at the opening was appreciatively listened to, after which a number of short prayers were offered. Before the remarks of Conductor Hoagland were made, a season of testimony was had in which the most interesting experience related was that of a young boy, about 12 years of age, who said he had been trying to live the life of a Christian for four years.

Mr. Hoagland said that the Gospel was adapted to every place and class of people in the world. Human nature was the same the world over, and the great teachings and examples set forth in the Bible have to do with us now the same as in Christ's time. The outward life may seem to be all right, but God looked into the heart. Some men say they live pretty near right and do but little evil—just as though there was a catalogue of sins. To offend in one particular means to offend in all. The only way to inherit the Kingdom of God is to express a desire to be better.

Acting on the advice of Mr. Hoagland a number raised their hands for prayers before the meeting closed. The customary after meeting was held.

A LADY OF FASHION

is said to have a rope of diamonds—holes bored through them so that she can put 'em on a string like beads. This is a very poor way in which to treat gems. Yet purely from the romantic point of view,

"THE HOLLOW RUBY"

may possess brilliant and prismatic beauties such as are found in the story of that title which Julian Hawthorne has written and which is to be published in The Daily Press, beginning Saturday, Feb. 23.

It is, of course, a tale of Eastern life and is full of startling incident and humor. Hawthorne has surpassed himself in this novel story, and it has been fully and fittingly illustrated.

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Husband and Wife in the Same Grave.

Monday afternoon a double funeral occurred at Locust Grove, in which Randolph Pack and wife were interred in the same grave. Mr. Pack died on Wednesday, and his wife was so prostrated by the shock of his demise that she failed rapidly in health, and died on Friday. They were cousins of Gerome Pack of this city, whose son, Edwin W., attended the funeral.

Freshening Up.

Yesterday afternoon two painters retouched the large sign on the hardware store of A. M. Griffin. They worked on a narrow ladder at the height of the third story, but were as unconcerned as though employed on terra firma. The entire front of the building, 119-123 East Front street, is being repainted by the decorative experts, E. E. Marshall & Co.

Freight Trains Late.

Freight and coal trains were delayed several hours last night and this morning on the Jersey Central by reason of a freight locomotive failing to make steam fast enough to pull a train between this city and Fanwood, thus blockading other trains from proceeding.

The Lost Found.

The crowbar which was lost off the Alert hose wagon while running to a fire a few days ago, was found and returned to the department yesterday afternoon by a young man by the name of Taylor. It was found along the Central tracks on West street near Liberty.

For Morals and Physique.

General Secretary Manning of the Y. M. C. A. desires it stated that the Gymnasium will be open nights of this week, notwithstanding the religious meetings in the Assembly Hall. However, it is desired that as many as possible may attend the meetings.

Wanted—Street-Car Ferry-Boats.

At nearly every crossing on Somerset street the electric railroad tracks are submerged with gutter water, the cars leaving a wake like a steamboat as they pass through it. Getting on and off cars the passengers feel the need of rubber boots.

—No police cases were in the City Court this morning.

O. W. O. Hardman, sheriff of Tyler Co., W. Va., appreciates a good thing and does not hesitate to say so. He was almost prostrated with a cold when he procured a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. He says: "It gave me prompt relief. I find it to be an invaluable remedy for coughs and colds." For sale at Reynolds's pharmacy, Park and North aves. T. S. Armstrong, manager.

HOME FOR HOMELESS.

Noble Work of the Woman's Temperance Aid.

EFFORTS TO BROADEN THE WORK.

President Mrs. Opdyke Reviews the Splendid Career of the Society and Points Out Future Needs.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE DAILY PRESS: Recent letters in The Daily Press relative to opening the game and reading rooms in Reform Hall indicate a renewed local need, so that a statement of recent results may interest the people.

Last Summer, when it became evident that the doors of the building we had helped to buy and keep open for ten years were likely to close, our Aid Society faced a serious problem.

Those that have labored with us know that we have proved an aid in many homes during seasons of trial and discouragement. We have done what we could always, quietly and patiently, confident that the time must come when temperance work would quicken and revive. We have kept our credit unimpaired, by prompt payment of our moderate bills, while we have carefully avoided soliciting from the public for our current expenses, although we have received occasional small donations from personal friends for some special need. Our annual dues are thirty cents, and from the regular collections at the meetings we had thirty odd dollars in the hands of the treasurer when the Fall opened. It needed both faith and courage to meet a new venture of such magnitude with our slim resources, but after deliberate and full conference, we agreed to take the entire building for one year from Nov. 1, at a moderate rental. The club are to have their regular meetings free of any expense whatever. We are to make all repairs, provide heat, light and janitor, besides supplying a new steam boiler to supply the old one now lying upside down in the boiler pit.

We have paid six months rent in advance, although it was not stipulated or required, and the entire building has had a thorough cleaning. The dressing room has had two coats of white paint, the stairs stained. Neat scrim curtains have been made and hung at doors and windows.

Locks and catches have been added Rusty stovepipes have been replaced, and one new stove bought. Double doors have been made and placed in the formerly narrow entrance to the boiler room so that the wornout boiler can sometime be removed, just as soon as we see our way clear to pay for it in full and not one moment sooner. We find that stoves are both comfortable and economical this season.

Two new steel gutters have been put up, and the roof, chimneys and leaders have been repaired or replaced. Windows and plank walks have been renewed, and other details have received necessary attention.

Our meetings have grown in numbers and interests. Visits have been paid the sick, while our own households have not been neglected.

Our bills are all paid in full up to date, and like the cruse of oil we still have $15 in the bank while we have not solicited one cent from the people towards these heavy repairs.

How has it been done? By renting the halls, upper and lower, helping each other and keeping our powder dry. Some mason work was generously donated and rebates have been made on some bills for spot cash. Our members and friends have worked as they always do work, patiently and efficiently, without friction or discord, and our ten years experience counts over against a small deposit.

Mr. Rockfellow, our janitor, as well as members of his family, have rendered every assistance possible to help us through our endeavor and we appreciate their unselfish interest, without which it would not have been possible to achieve such satisfactory results.

We shall be glad to show our vouchers to any who desire to see the record on our books, and we feel very grateful to God for this latest proof of His unfailing care.

Now a few words in relation to the future. Many cannot afford the expense of membership in societies, while they need a warm, cheerful place of assembly beyond all doubt. Not long ago a friend returning from prayer meeting counted 72 young men enter a Front street saloon from Music Hall after one act only, then he passed on with a heavy heart. We feel that the building belongs to the people without regard to race, creed, color or condition. We believe that free lectures and musicals should be provided for the enjoyment of young and old at intervals throughout the Winter, and we propose to co-operate with all our religious and temperance societies whenever they desire our aid. We believe that the many generous citizens who donated towards the purchase of our fine property never expected to have it sustained through its own rental, which at best is fluctuating, uncertain, and must tend to direct injury of the work for which the building was dedicated, not to mention added wear and tear.

We can provide music and serve hot beverages, replace the ten-year-old games, and meet the extra expense just as far as our money holds out.

A few lamps would give a homelike glow. Many have papers and periodicals that could be used on our tables and afterwards sent to the prisons, life-saving stations or as otherwise directed by the donors. Our faith and our zeal were never stronger than they are today, and at the same time, while anxious to win the young from the allurements of the fatal saloon, we cannot broaden this work alone nor run into debt.

We have met the situation as sensibly as we knew how, and we are ready to act with and for our people as far and as fully as we have the strength, ability and power.

If our ministers and people think well of this plan will they advise us how and where we can develop and broader this most vital work.

MRS GEORGE F. OPDYKE,
President Woman's Temperance Aid Society.
210 West Eighth St., Feb. 20, 1895.

A MINE OF KNOWLEDGE.

Plainfield Supplying the County with the Latest Points on Law.

The office of Honeyman & Company on North avenue has been a busy place for a few days because of the publication of the third annual volume of the American Corporation Legal Manual This volume was begun in 1893 and was an issue of 717 pages. This year it is an immense volume of 1230 pages, bound in law sheep, and contains a mine of information concerning corporation law and collateral matters.

An examination of the work shows that almost 800 pages are taken up solely with a digest of the corporation laws of every State in the Union; about 60 pages with a synopsis of laws of other countries, including such faraway ones as Egypt, Siam, Japan, Hawaiian Islands, etc.; 80 pages of corporation forms; 100 pages are on the patent laws of the United States and foreign countries; nearly 50 pages are on the trade-mark and copyright laws of the world; over 40 pages give the street railway laws of the different States; and there is an article on receivers of insolvent corporations, etc.

Thousands of legal cases are cited in the volume. The book is handsomely printed on elegant paper and, all in all, it makes one of the most handsome volumes ever sent forth from a publishing house in this section.

An inspection of the list of advance subscribers to the work shows that almost every copy of the large edition has been sold prior to the date of publication, and they represent every State and Territory in the Union. Besides this, copies have been subscribed for and are being sent to Austro-Hungary, Belgium, England, France, Germany, Ireland and Scotland.

The actual amount of labor connected with getting out the work at the home-office is said to have occupied five months, and the number of different writers employed has been eighty-four.

New Officers for the Year.

The annual meeting of the Plainfield branch of the New Jersey Building Loan and Investment Company was held last night, and the following directors were unanimously elected for the ensuing year:

Messrs John D Runyon, Francis S Runyon, L B Woolston, J D Spicer, W R Codington, J A Hubbard, T S Davis, W W Coriell, W H Sebring, H B Rider, A L Force, and H O Newman.

A Society With High Ideals.

The Bear End Debating Club, having for its object the elevation of passing itinerants to a conception of the day, held a very interesting session in their quarters on North avenue last night. The theme considered was "Is". The logic and convincing argument expounded by Col. Williams made the meeting one of practical benefit to its members. Tonight the subject will be: "Is the dictionary right or wrong?"

Trenton a Mecca Now-a-Days.

The Uniform Rank, Knights of Pythias, held a brigade meeting at the Trenton House in Trenton yesterday, at which the following Plainfielders were present: Lieutenant Morgan Turton; Second Lieutenant Jacob Bilmm, Jr. Sir Knight Louis J. Combs. The organization decided to have their field day at Phillipsburg on the first Monday in September.

Bible Study by W. D. Murray.

Thursday afternoon at 4:30 W. D. Murray will deliver in the Assembly Hall of the Y. M. C. A. Building the same talk on Bible study that he made at the convention Saturday afternoon. The subject is "Study of the Bible as literature"; illustrated by the song of songs. The meeting will be open to woman and the Parks sisters will assist in furnishing music.

—John T. Meeker the popular tea man from Newark has severed his connection with the former employer and in the future will be identified with the Grand Union Tea Co., of Newark, branch store in this city, 138 West Front street.

THE LIBRARY GETS IT.

Schoonmaker Collection to Stay as Public Property.

COUNSELOR C. A. MARSH WINS AGAIN.

The Prerogative Court Decides as He Claimed in the Dispute Over the Cloisonne Portion of the Job Male Estate.

Craig A. Marsh appeared before the Prerogative Court in Trenton yesterday in reference to the matter of the Schoonmaker collection of Japanese pottery and cloisonne ware being turned over to the Public Library in accordance with expressed desire of the deceased owner, Job Male.

The delay of the Public Library in receiving the collection was occasioned by several half-blood relatives of Mr. Male interposing a claim as heirs, to a share of the collection, the personal estate having been exhausted in liquidating his indebtedness.

The administrators, Messrs. Pope and Harrison, were notified by the counsel of these heirs, not to turn the collection over to the library, and they awaited the decision of the Perogative Court.

Yesterday the administrators furnished an accounting of the estate, which was approved by the Court. This virtually abrogates any claim on the collection, and today the Public Library officers were notified that the collection was at their disposal.

Mr. Marsh is entitled to high credit for the successful manner in which he conducted the case for the administrators.

HOMES OF ALL NATIONS.

The World's Tribes Visit America in the Seventh-Day Baptist Church.

The sociable of the Mission Band of the Seventh-Day Baptist Church was held yesterday afternoon at 4. A very pleasing programme, "Homes of Other Nations", was provided by Miss Mineola Tomlinson, ably assisted by Miss Evelyn Lewis.

The first selection on the programme was a piano duet, ably rendered by Miss Violet Truell and Miss Evelyn Lewis. Next there was a series of tableaux showing the different modes of homelife in other nations.

Esquimaux life was first, represented by Misses Bessie Randolph, Violet Truell, May Ross and Clara Scriven, who were dressed in robes and grouped in and about the door of a small hut.

China was well represented by Misses Mattie Maitland, Nellie Miller and Grace VanSickle, who were seated at a tea party.

Holland was a scene of industry. Miss Ruth Maxson, Miss Ethel Titsworth, Jitpha Williams and Miss Bessie Randolph were represented as being at a dairy.

Misses Effie Randolph, Mertie Randolph and Louise VanSickle represented Mexico. Miss May Ross beautifully rendered a piano solo.

Arabia and India were represented by Misses Kizzie Nagle, Edith Titsworth, Mertie Randolph, Bessie Randolph, May Ross and Effie Randolph.

The next tableau represented all the different nations as having come to America and joined hands with her. Miss Violet Truell represented Liberty, and in the scene sang "My Country 'Tis of Thee". This ended the programme, and tea and lemonade were served to the guests by those who had taken part. The table was under the supervision of Mrs. J. G. Miller.

There was a large attendance, and all expressed themselves much pleased.

Handsome and Cheap.

They say that "handsome is as handsome does", but if you had that dining room papered with Love's handsome wall paper you would think that handsome does a great deal. It will make your home cleaner and brighter, and you happier. Besides, the paper is cheap. Call at the corner of North and Watchung avenues, and see for yourself.

Successful Musicians.

The Park sisters—Anna, Georgia and Ada—who are furnishing such pleasing music at the Y. M. C. A. meetings every night this week, have traveled far and wide, and are well-known throughout the country as having aided materially in making many of the great revivals successful. They are able to play an accompaniment to every Gospel hymn without the notes.

Coming Camera Club Events.

The Camera Club expects to hold a special meeting in a few nights, at which a set of interchangeable slides from the Delaware Camera Club of Wilmington will be displayed. On Saturday evening the club will illustrate the lecture of Rev. T. Logan Murphy on "Ireland" in Holy Cross Church.

—At a meeting of Iona Council, Degree of Pocohontas, last night, the Entertainment Committee made their final report. Two candidates were adopted into the council.

PLEASANT AND PROFITABLE.

Monroe Avenue Chapel Increases Its Finances by a Sociable Event.

The apron and bag sale and supper given by the Ladies Aid Society of the Monroe Avenue Chapel last night was successful in providing a pleasant evening for those in attendance and in increasing the finances of the society.

The chapel had been cleared of its seats and in one end were the apron, bag and candy tables, and in the other the refreshment tables.

Mrs. Stephen Haff and Mrs. W. C. Burt had charge of the apron, bag and fancy work sale, and wonderfully persuasive saleswomen they were. These articles were there in every conceivable form that deft fingers could arrange, and it was not long before the stock had been disposed of at lucrative prices.

The candy table was in charge of Mrs. F. Wenzel and Mrs. Arthur Pierson, and their smiling countenances brought many purchasers for the toothsome confections.

Mrs. I P. LaRue and Miss Emily Haff looked after the supper table, and were assisted in serving refreshments by the following: Mrs. U. Brouard, Mrs. H. Frayley, Misses Lida Ackerman, Kittie Ackerman, Ida Stafford, Emma McDonald and Daisy Brouard.

About 100 were present, and the society will net considerable money from the affair.

On March 6 we shall begin publication of a detective story by Nym Crinkle, entitled

"EIGHT MINUTES TO THREE".

A. C. Wheeler, who uses this pseudonym, is one of the best known journalists in the United States. He has been for many years the dramatic critic of the New York World, and is today one of the most brilliant writers on the American press. It is to his inimitable sketches of New York life that the Sunday World owes a considerable part of its popularity. Mr. Wheeler has written many successful stories, of which the best known is perhaps "The Great Laran Rebellion".

"Eight Minutes of Three" is in every way a remarkable piece of fiction, and deserves to rank with some of the weird tales of Poe. It will run five days, and will be followed by a short story of New England life by Mary E. Wilkins.

This story, like all the Daily Press serials, is brand-new, and copyrighted to Daily Press use.

Decided Not to Do It.

PLAINFIELD HIGH SCHOOL,
February 20, 9:30 a. m.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE DAILY PRESS:—With regard to the article which appeared in your issue of the 19th respecting the Kappa Delta Phi, the only Greek Letter Society of the High School.

At a special meeting of the said society I was instructed to inform you that the Kappa Delta Phi denies all thought or knowledge of such a course of action.

Yours respectfully,
C. C. GALLUP,
Sec. pro tem.

Cause of Mrs. Soreen's Death.

The postmortem examination on the remains of Mrs. Harriett Soreen, whose death occurred very suddenly Monday afternoon, was made yesterday afternoon at 4, by Drs. Probasco, Murray and Ard at her late home on the corner of West Second street and Grant avenue. The decision arrived at by the physicians was that death ensued from concealed hemorrhage.

Frankforts Cause Trouble.

The case of Greiger against Endress, in tort, is on trial before Justice Newcorn this afternoon. The plaintiff is suing for $200 for the loss of two fingers severed in a sausage-cutting machine, while engaged at work in the meat market of the defendant January 3, which confined him in the hospital for one month.

Rescue and Slum Work.

Adjutant Edith Marshall, who is the head of the Auxiliary Department of the Salvation Army, will speak this evening in the lecture room of the First Presbyterian Church on the rescue and slum work of the Army. All are cordially invited.

—The Woman's Temperance Aid Society will hold a business meeting in Reform Hall tomorrow afternoon at 3.

Marvelous Results.

From a letter written by Rev. J. Gunderman, of Diamondale, Mich., we are permitted to make this extract: "I have no hesitation in recommending Dr. King's New Discovery, as the results were almost marvelous in the case of my wife. While I was pastor of the Baptist Church at Rives Junction she was brought down by pneumonia succeeding la grippe. Terrible paroxysms of coughing would last hours with little interruption and it seemed as if she could not survive them. A friend recommended Dr. King's New Discovery; it was quick in its work and highly satisfactory in results. Sold by L. W. Randolph druggist. Regular size 50c and $1; our price 45c and 90c

DON'T KILL MY MAMMA

Little Innocents Watch the Deadly Razor's Work.

An Italian Cuts His Wife's Throat Until She Is Almost Decapitated. The Hard Working Woman the Sole Support of the Family—The Brute Wanted Money for Whiskey.

New York, Feb. 20.—Following close after the Sparling murder in Hoboken, another worthless husband murdered his hard working wife yesterday in exactly the same manner, nearly severing her head from her body with a newly sharpened razor. In this case, however, the murderer was caught redhanded by the police and is now locked up in the Tombs.

Vincenzo Nino, an Italian barber who lives in the dirty back tenement at No. 55 Baxter street, is the murderer. The fellow was married about ten years ago to Marie Morelli, who like him, came originally from Potenza, Italy. The couple have two children—a boy and a girl. Nino is a particularly lazy and shiftless man, who has never done any work when there was any possibility of avoidng it.

A Hard Working Woman.

The poor wife, in order to keep herself, her children and her worthless husband in the squalid apartments they occupied, had to toil about the streets with a bag and hook picking rags industriously from ash cans and refuse barrels.

Not satisfied with forcing his wife to this drudgery, Nino would beat her whenever he was sober enough to hold a cudgel in his hand. The neighbors, who are used to all sorts of noises, frequently had to complain of the terrific uproar which often proceeded from Nino's rooms.

Early yesterday morning the couple began quarreling fiercely, but the neighbors paid no attention until they heard the little girl Anetta scream. "Oh, papa, please don't kill my mamma!"

Neighbors Alarmed.

Mrs. Keveney, who lives directly beneath them, ran upstairs at this, and pushing open the door saw Nino covered with blood and his wife lying on the floor with her throat slashed from ear to ear. Mrs. Keveney screamed, and in a moment the landing was crowded with the tenants of the building. They heard Mrs. Keveney's story, and howling with rage, beat in the barber's door. The Italian crouched terrified in a corner of the room as the crowd, cursing and shouting, rushed at him. The two frightened children were crying bitterly over the body of their butchered mother in the other corner.

Fortunately for Nino, Policeman Fitzpatrick entered at this moment. If he had been a little later the barber would have been torn to pieces by the infuriated crowd.

A Cursing Mob.

As it was it was with great difficulty that they were prevented from using violence to him, and a scowling cursing mob followed the officer to the Elizabeth street station. At the station Nino said that he had killed his wife because she had a lover who had offered her $10,000 if she would kill her husband and go back to Italy with him. The neighbors say that there is no foundation for such an accusation.

The murderer was taken to the Tombs police court, where he told Justice Voorhis that God had told him to kill his wife, and he had obeyed the order. He was remanded until to-morrow. The two little children were put in charge of the Gerry society.

POISONED BY HIS WIFE.

Mrs. Healy, of Whitman, Mass., Indicted for Attempted Murder.

Whitman, Mass., Feb. 20.—Mrs. Alice J. Healy has been indicted for attempted murder of her husband, Aaron A. Healy.

Healy is one of the leading business men of this place. His health failed and physicians became convinced that he was being poisoned. He took up his residence at a hotel and recovered.

Colliery Still Burning.

Pottsville, Pa., Feb. 20.—The fire in West Bear Ridge colliery where the explosion occurred, is still burning, though there are no fears of its spreading or doing any great amount of damage. A manway is being driven and water is still being poured on the place where the fire is supposed to be located. Anthony Meyers, one of the victims, who was reported dead is still living. He and three others are at the Miners' hospital, and while their injuries are serious, are not considered fatal.

Frightful Accident.

Hartford, Conn., Feb. 20.—Thomas Singleton, 33 years old, was killed on the New York & New England tracks at the Avon street crossing last night. He was struck by an engine that was being sent to East Hartford. One of his legs was found twenty feet from the body and the other was found ten feet away. His brother Michael, was killed on a surface car in New York, on Jan. 25, being pulled over the dashboard by the horses he was driving.

Shot in His Cab.

New Albany, Miss., Feb. 20.—As the south-bound passenger train on the Illinois Central was starting out from the depot at Pontoc yesterday, Irwin Wilson ran up with a double barrel shot gun and shot Engineer W. H. Milliner, who fell out of the cab of his engine dead. Business differences brought on the tragedy.

1,800 Men To Resume Work.

Joliet, Ill., Feb. 20.—After a shutdown of two months the local works of the Illinois Steel company, employing 1,800 men will resume operations next Monday. The dispute as to wages has been settled.

They May Yet Hang.

St. Louis, Feb. 20.—Gov. Stone yesterday wired a respite to Heinze and Kaiser, the murderers of Stockman Edwin Brown, who were condemned to hang Friday next. The respite expires March 7.

GENTRY IN THE TOILS.

A Fractured Skull, Broken Rib and Many Stab Wounds.

Philadelphia, Feb. 20.—James B. Gentry, the actor who shot Miss Margaret Winifred Drysdale (Madge Yorke) in a room at Zeisse's hotel, this city, on Sunday night last, was arrested here this morning at Thirty-third street and Columbia avenue.

When arrested the fugitive murderer had a fractured skull, a fractured rib which penetrated the covering of the lung, and three small stab wounds over his heart, where he had cut himself with a small penknife in an effort to commit suicide.

He was at once hurried to the German hospital and the doctors at that institution consider his condition serious. He was evidently a sick man before he committed the murder and the exhaustion and exposure since then has weakened him greatly.

He is unable to talk with any degree of coherency at present, but stated to the doctors that he received his wounds by jumping out of a back window of the hotel, and not from a fire escape as was before reported.

In attempting suicide with the penknife he had opened his shirt and cut himself deliberately, as his shirt was found to contain no rent or tear which the knife would make.

PENNSYLVANIA'S ELECTION.

The Contest Bitter, But Republicans Gain the Victory in Many Towns.

Philadelphia, Feb. 20.—This city still continues to hold its reputation for stalwart republicanism, and elected candidates of the republican party by a majority of 45,000 odd. Seldom in the history of local politics has a campaign been so fiercely fought, as the one just closed.

In Carlisle, the contest was for city council; the new body will stand nine democrats to three republicans. At Westchester, the election passed off quietly, the "straight republican ticket" being elected. The town of Erie, held their election which was confined to the council and school board; here also the republicans had a large majority on both sides.

The tables were turned however at Corry, wherein Dr. R. N. Seaver (dem.) was elected by a large majority over R. P. Dawson (rep.) Four democrats and three republicans were elected, but the election, however, will not change the complexion of the council, which is republican.

York, Reading, Lebanon, Pittsburg and Scranton elected the republican candidates.

CABINET HASTILY SUMMONED.

Claimed That the Meeting Had Reference to the Situation in the East.

London, Feb. 20.—The Standard this morning says in reference to the hasty summoning of the cabinet yesterday that it understands the meeting had special reference to the situation in the far east.

There is much gossip in political circles owing to the fact that Lord Rosebery, the prime minister, upon his arrival at the official residence in Downing street hastily summoned a meeting by sending messengers in cabs to the residences of the ministers—an unusual proceeding.

The precarious condition of the party, as shown by the recent narrow majorities on various questions in the house of commons, and the fact that Lord Rosebery had a long conference at Buckingham palace Monday afternoon with the queen, soon after her arrival from the Isle of Wight, and had a long conference with the whips of the liberal party yesterday, all served to increase rumors that a dissolution of parliament was imminent.

CHARGED WITH MURDER.

Escaped from Chicago, He Is Found by the Police in a Coal Cellar.

New York, Feb. 20.—Canio Branico, age 17, of Chicago, was arrested in this city yesterday on a charge of having murdered Dominick Buonnanna, of that city, on Sept. 13, by shooting him. Branico and his victim quarrelled while skylarking.

After the shooting Branico fled and was not seen or heard of until his capture here. He was found working in a coal cellar. He was committed for thirty days to await the action of the Chicago authorities, who have been notified.

Poisoned by Devilled Crabs.

Columbus, Ga., Feb. 20.—Last evening the entire family of Charles Hanby were prostrated with severe pains and the physicians were summoned, who after an examination, announced that the parties had been poisoned from eating of canned devilled crabs. They were in great agony for several hours but after hard work by the doctors, were relieved and considered out of danger. The crabs were partially decomposed.

No Regard for the Sabbath Day.

Albany, Feb. 20.—Assemblyman Hoffman yesterday introduced a bill amending section 265 of the penal code by adding the following: "It shall hereafter be lawful in cities having a population of 800,000 or more for any person or persons (excepting minors under the age of 16 years) to bowl ten-pins, play a game or games known as fifteen-ball or billiards on the first day of the week."

Wire Cut His Throat.

Maspeth, L. I., Feb. 20.—While the trolley car in charge of Motorman Wm. Radcliffe, on Maspeth division of the Brooklyn city road, was going at full speed last night it ran into a strong barbed wire at the Fresh Pond road. The barbs caught Radcliffe in his throat, tearing a long gash and throwing him against the door with force enough to inflict a severe scalp wound.

Oil Explosion in Pittsburg.

Pittsburg, Feb. 20.—An explosion of benzine and linseed oil at the Iron City foundry on Twenty-third street caused a fire that destroyed the works. William Schutz, a painter, was fatally burned and John Bolage, a workman, was seriously hurt. The loss was $30,000; covered by insurance.

Wants Queues Cut Off.

Olympia, Wash., Feb. 20.—Mr. Campbell has introduced a bill in the senate making it unlawful for any male person to wear a queue. The penalty is a fine of $100 to $500. The object of the bill is to drive out the Chinese.

HIS HORRIBLE DEATH

Terrible Accident to an Employe at Lister's Mills.

A Youth's Apron Caught in an Unprotected Shafting—Neck Broken, Skull Fractured and Bones Protruded Through His Flesh—Sole Support of a Deserted Mother.

Newark, N. J., Feb. 20.—Nothing could have been more horrible than the death of 14-year-old Michael Cavanagh, who was literally dashed to pieces in Lister's Agricultural works, on Lister avenue, yesterday afternoon. The youngster, who resided with his mother at 145 Bowery street, had been employed about the works for some time. Yesterday afternoon he went on an errand to one of the unfrequented rooms near the top of the building, where the shafting runs about two feet from the floor.

The Belt Unprotected.

At one place there is about two feet of the belt unprotected, and over it is a passage way for the use of the employes. Young Cavanagh started to cross this place, it is thought, and it cost him his life. Many of the boys about the place wear canvas-bag aprons, and Cavanagh's apron was a long one. In some way it must have become caught in the shafting and before the lad could tear it away the rapidly-moving machine had curled it up securely. The next moment the lad was whirled from his feet, flung around through the air and then brought down on the floor with a crash.

Every bone in his body must have been broken, but the shafting went rapidly on its course and again and again the lad was hurled through the air to be smashed against the flooring with each revolution. No one was in the room when the boy entered and so it is not known how many times he was hurled against the floor.

A Sickening Sight.

The noise, however, attracted some of the workingmen below and they discovered the lad's form flying through the air. Some one stopped the machinery, while others rushed to the boy's relief, but he was past all help.

Horrible was the sight that greeted the frightened men. The youngster's neck was broken, his skull was fractured in several places and the bones in the body protruded from the flesh in half a dozen different places. All about the shafting were signs of the boy's frightful death. The apron had become securely fastened in the shafting and the strong cords with which the boy tied it to his body would not give way.

Strong Men Trembled.

Word was sent to Lieutenant Prout at the Third precinct police station, and Captain Daly at once hurried to the place in the patrol wagon with Policeman Walsh. Nothing could be done by the captain, however, except to quiet the trembling men and try to get some explanation of the lad's death. Having satisfied himself that it was an accident the captain notified the county physician, and the boy's mutilated remains were removed to a near-by undertaking establishment.

The boy was well spoken of by all his fellow-workingmen. He was steady and industrious and was the sole support of his mother, who was deserted by her husband some time ago.

VIGILANT'S TROPHY HERE.

Came on the Servia to George Gould. Must Pass the Customs.

New York, Feb. 20.—The cup that the Yankee racer Vigilant won on July 24 last at the regatta of the Royal Cork Yacht club, arrived yesterday on the steamer Servia, from Liverpool and Queenstown. It was won from the Prince of Wales yacht Britannia over a course with nine turns, and the Vigilant's margin was two minutes and twenty-two seconds.

Before it reaches the hands of its consigner, Mr. George Gould, it will have to take the regular course through the customs. It is valued at one hundred guineas.

Any "Blow Holes" in This?

Bethlehem, Pa., Feb. 20.—At the proving grounds of the Bethlehem Iron company yesterday an armor-plate was tested, resulting in the acceptance of seven hundred tons of harveyized turrets for the battleships Indiana and Massachusetts. Commodore Sampson, of the navy, pronounced the test the best he ever witnessed. The plate resisted a 500-pound projectile with a velocity of 1,940 feet per second fired from a 10-inch gun.

"Over-Production" the Cause.

Pittsburg, Feb. 20.—Eighty coal operators having large interests in the coal production of the Pittsburg district assembled in this city yesterday. The opening session was spent in speech making and developed a practical unanimity of sentiment that overproduction was the principal cause of all their difficulties.

He Buys a $14,200 Necklace.

London, Feb. 20.—An agent for Mr. W. K. Vanderbilt bought yesterday at an auction sale of jewelry in this city, a pearl necklace, consisting of thirty-nine pearls, with a diamond clasp weighing 621 grains. The price paid was £2,900.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

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DEFENDED CLEVELAND

Mr. Vilas Says the President Did His Best.

To Buy Gold by the Issue of Bonds the Only Way Out of the Financial Difficulty—Nearing the End of the Fifty-third Congress—Measures Under Consideration.

Washington, Feb. 20.—Including today there remains ten working days for the 53d congress to dispose of the business before it, and almost all this time will be required to pass the general appropriation bills. But two of these bills have received the president's approval—the military academy and the army.

The diplomatic and consular, District of Columbia, pension, post-office, and fortifications bills have passed both houses and are in the hands of conference committees. The agricultural appropriation bill has also passed both houses and will probably be sent to conference to-day. The Indian appropriation bill and the sundry civil bill have passed the house and are on the senate calendar, while the executive, legislative and judicial bill has been disposed of by the house and is receiving the consideration of the senate appropriation committee. The naval appropriation bill is now before the house, with the probability that it will receive final action there to-day. The last of the general appropriation bills—the general deficiency—has not yet been reported to the house.

The senate has yet to act on five of these bills, which will give an average of a little over two days to each bill. Notwithstanding the limited time there is very slight reason to believe that any of them will fail for this cause as they are as far advanced as usual at this period of short sessions.

Congress Declined To Act.

Senator Vilas (dem., Wis.) made a long, able and eloquent speech in the senate yesterday in defense of the president of the United States and his secretary of the treasury in the matter of the sale of sixty-two millions of 4 per cent. bonds for gold. The speech was made on the bill before the senate for the coinage of silver, but had no reference whatever to that bill. Mr. Vilas showed that the president had endeavored to get congress to act upon the financial difficulties in which the treasury had found itself by the drainage of gold; and that as congress had declined to act, he had to avail himself of the power which the existing laws gave him, and to buy gold by the issue of bonds. The price obtained for the bonds, Mr. Vilas contended, was the highest that could be obtained under the circumstances; or in other words, 3¾ per cent. was the lowest rate of interest at which the bonds would be taken by the great banking houses which had been applied to.

In Gold Coin Only.

Three and five-eighths per cent. had been offered in all the great money centres and had been refused; and all because the bonds did not provide specifically for repayment in gold coin.

"The people of the United States," Mr. Vilas declared, in concluding his speech, "love their honor, as they prize their liberty; and their sober judgment never has tolerated and never will tolerate the national reproach of the least equivocation in dealing with its creditors. That gentleman never lived, however high-bred, honorable and chivalrous, whose sense of honor was keener, higher, or more sensitive than the public opinion of the free men of America."

Mr. Vilas spoke for nearly four hours, and commanded close attention all through his speech. When he took his seat Mr. Squire (rep., Wash.) sent to the clerk's desk and had read the act of June 25, 1878, expressly declaring that all United States bonds payable in coin should be paid in gold or silver coin at the option of the government.

That act, he said, was a full and complete answer to the entire argument of the senator from Wisconsin.

A conference report on the bill as to the time when income tax returns are to be made was presented and explained by Mr. Vest and agreed to.

Nobody Believed in It.

The debate on the silver bill was continued by Mr. Platt (rep., Conn.), who said that he should not enter into the "controversy over the wounded body of our national credit." He should not inquire who was responsible for the wounds inflicted on the national credit. He only desired to make some remarks on the pending bill. He regarded it as an indefensible measure, and did not believe that it met the approval of any senator who earnestly desired the use of silver in the currency of the country. Nobody believed in it. It was not a practical measure.

Mr. Platt yielded, at 6:15 p. m., to a motion by Mr. Aldrich (rep., R. I.) to adjourn. The motion was defeated—Yeas 15; nays 32.

Mr. Frye (rep., Me.) asked Mr. Jones whether, in view of the vote just taken—showing that there was barely a quorum present—he intended to try and keep senators in session all night.

Mr. Jones said that he would be glad to have a vote on the bill, and hoped to have a vote on it to-day.

Will Stay Out Six Weeks.

Haverhill, Mass., Feb. 20.—At a mass meeting of the strikers held in city hall yesterday, it was unanimously voted to confirm what was done in the mass meeting of union workers Monday evening and to stay out six weeks longer.

Closed by the Sheriff.

Wilmington, Del., Feb. 20.—The carriage manufactory of McLear & Kendall, in this city, one of the largest concerns in the country, was closed by the sheriff yesterday, on local judgments aggregating $35,000.

Glove Factory Burned.

Syracuse, N. Y., Feb. 20.—The S. P. Rowe & Co., glove and mitten factory, in the village of Elbridge, Onondaga county, was destroyed by fire yesterday morning. Loss $10,000; insurance $8,500.

A BRUTE IN HUMAN FORM.

Disturbed in His Slumbers, in a Rage, He Shoots at Three Women.

Shamokin, Pa., Feb. 20.—In a fit of rage yesterday because his rest was disturbed, John Lucas shot and seriously wounded Mr. Mary Zarambo and attempted to shoot Mrs. Michael Kalin and Mrs. Annie Bartaskie. Lucas boarded with Mrs. Kalin and a party of men who were discussing the probable outcome of yesterday's election kept him awake most of the night. When he came down stairs in the morning he complained to Mrs. Kalin about it and told her that he wished the house to be kept quiet that he might obtain some rest.

Later Mrs. Zarambo and Mrs. Bartaskie called on Mrs. Kalin and the three women started talking in the dining room where Lucas was. He suddenly jumped up in a rage, and drawing a revolver cried out that he was going to kill Mrs. Kalin. The woman dropped on her knees and started to crawl under the table. Mrs Zarambo started to follow her, when Lucas fired and the bullet struck the woman in the left breast, inflicting a bad wound.

Mrs. Bartaskie also took refuge under the table and Lucas fired two more shots at the three crouching women, neither of which took effect and he then ran from the house. Later in the day he was arrested. He claimed that he was so angry that he did not know what he was doing at the time he did the shooting.

NO 12-HOUR DAY FOR THEM.

Five Hundred Mill Operatives Strike Against an Unjust Demand.

Galveston, Tex., Feb. 20.—The Galveston cotton mill operatives, nearly 500 strong, went out on strike yesterday on account of a request from the management of the mills to work an extra hour each day which would place their working time at twelve hours per day. This, the operatives declared, was too long for the women and children to work and they concluded to strike.

The extra hour was asked for by the management on account of the mills being shut down three days last week during the severe cold weather. The operatives were requested to work the extra hour daily for one week only to make up the time lost last week. The operatives claim, that if they worked the extra hour asked they would be expected to hereafter work a twelve hour day. This they refuse to do, hence the strike.

IT WILL BE A TUG-OF-WAR.

Electrical Contractors Will Not Recede from Their Agreement.

New York, Feb. 20.—A meeting of the Electrical Contractors' association was held yesterday at which a proposition of the strikers, which stated, in substance, that the wiremen were willing to return to work at once if the eight-hour working day were conceded on and after April 1, the other questions to be left for arbitration afterward, was submitted.

Discussion of the proposition, which lasted some time, resulted in the bosses adopting a resolution not to recede from the position taken by them on Monday. The offer then made to the men conceded the eight-hour day after May 15.

FREIGHT TRAIN DITCHED.

The Conductor Lay Under the Wreck Nearly Ten Hours.

Dayton, O., Feb. 20.—A bad freight wreck occurred on the Cincinnati, Hamilton & Indiana railroad at Lebanon Junction last night. Seven cars were thrown into a ditch and burned. Conductor Charles Hurless of Dayton went with the wreckage into the ditch. He lay pinioned and partly submerged in water for nearly ten hours. While the work of rescue was in progress the wreck caught fire and the flames were burning fiercely about the imprisoned conductor at the moment of his rescue.

A Stiletto in Her Breast.

New York, Feb. 20.—Carlo Calomica, an Italian hod carrier, who lives on the third floor of a miserable tenement house at 307 East 104th street, stabbed his wife Filomena five times in the breast and side with a stiletto last night, inflicting wounds from which she may not recover. Calomica had been on a debauch for a week or more and finding all his money gone demanded some from his wife. She refused to give him any of her savings, a violent quarrel ensued and this was followed by the stabbing. Calomica made his escape and up to a late hour had not been arrested

Jealousy in This Home.

Haddonfield, N. J., Feb. 20.—In a fit of jealously William H. Still shot and dangerously wounded his wife Lavinia at their home here. He fired four shots, one taking effect in the head and one in the arm. The shooting occurred in the wife's bedroom in the presence of their children. Still then went to the house of Harry Gray, but Gray had been warned and could not be found. It is alleged that Gray and the woman had been intimate. Still escaped.

Eighty-two Cases of Smallpox.

St. Louis, Feb. 20.—At noon yesterday there were seventy-two cases of smallpox reported at quarantine. Ten new cases were reported last evening and it is thought this number will be greatly increased when full returns are received. Notwithstanding the health authorities are making great efforts to combat the spread of the disease, it is feared that it will become epidemic.

Will Work Double Time.

Lebanon, Pa., Feb. 20.—The Pennsylvania Bolt & Nut works will commence working double turn to-night giving employment to a large number of hands. The firm has received contracts which will keep the works running steadily for some time.

A Scourge of Diphtheria.

Corry, Pa., Feb. 20.—The village of Grand Valley is being visited by a terrible scourge of diphtheria. Fifteen deaths have already occurred and the state board of health has taken prompt measures to check the spread of the disease.

For Life Behind the Bars.

Oroville, Cal., Feb. 20.—Thomas Durant, the highwayman who robbed the stage near here Saturday, was captured and sentenced to life imprisonment yesterday.

THE JAPANESE FLEET

Adding to Her Mercantile Marine Service.

China Awakens to the Frauds Perpetrated upon Her—Foreign Journalists Clutch at Straws—General von Hanneken Now a Drill Sergeant—A Body Guard of 6,500 Men.

Tokio, Feb. 20.—Since the outbreak of the war Japan has added to her mercantile marine thirty-two steamers, their total tonnage (burden) being 31,554 tons. It is a fleet in itself, and it means that several new tradal routes will be opened when the restoration of peace puts an end to the military transport service now occupying so many vessels. The new steamers vary in size from 542 tons to exactly ten times that figure. Their average size, as will be seen, is 2,548 tons. Japan has not been obliged to pay big prices for these vessels. She has acquired them at reasonable figures.

Army Contracts in Japan.

Japan is gradually ascending the gamut of experience familiar to European nations in these times of commercial smartness. Her contractors are taking advantage of the opportunity offered by large orders implemented under circumstances precluding accurate inspection. The troops have found that bales supposed to be distended with rice reached their destination in a very limp condition; that jars of soy seemed to have lost a moiety of their contents en route, and that cases of canned meat contained a liberal packing of stones. It does not appear that such frauds have been on a large scale, but the vernacular press is loud in its denunciations, and the military store officials themselves are charged with winking at the dishonesty. Per Contha, a story is told of an official to whom the representative of a syndicate of merchants tendered a sum of 300 yen by way of bespeaking favorable consideration for tenders about to be presented. The official informed his subordinates of the incident, and then, when the merchants themselves waited on him to present their tenders, he threw the bundle of notes out of the window, pretending to be disgusted at the paltriness of the sum.

China's Latest Awakening.

Struggling to manufacture bricks of progressive promise out of the dust of Chinese conservatism, it has for years been the habit of foreign journalists in the east to clutch at every straw likely to facilitate their painful labor. Captain von Hanneken has proved to be a straw of unusual dimensions. A man possessing military experience, high courage, and a splendid physique, he had long been in the service of China when the war broke out. He had organized her forces, planned her fortresses—Port Arthur conspicuously—and superintended her squadrons. At the outset he seemed likely to become the hero of the situation. Jumping into the sea from the sinking Kowshing, he saved his life by stout swimming, and in the great naval battle of September 17 he played a fine part. It seemed as though a second Chinese Gordon was about to step upon the stage. Then came a circumstantial story that Hanneken—now promoted to the rank of general—had been commissioned to procure an unlimited number of German officers to serve as vertebras for the Chinese armies; that he was authorized to raise and organize forces independently of all control except that of the throne, and that the emperor had summoned him to Pekin, in order to receive from his lips a true statement of the belligerent situation, his majesty openly confessing inability to trust the accounts of Chinese generals and officials. All these stories produced a profound impression. At last there seemed to be sound reason to conclude that China's eyes were opening, and that the true nature of occidental civilization was beginning to be appreciated by her. Journalistic articles of the most sanguine character were penned, and the dawn of a new era was editorially announced. But when Port Arthur fell, and when it was seen that General von Hanneken had not found leisure or inclination to personally direct the defense of the fortifications planned by himself and supposed to be invulnerable, people began to wonder, and the latest news has augmented their surprise. For it now appears that General von Hanneken's great mission has dwindled to the functions of a drill sergeant. Assisted by sixty-four foreign officers he is engaged drilling a picked body of 6,500 Chinese officers and men at Tien-Tsin, the ablest of his pupils being intended for service with various corps in the fighting line, but the ultimate purpose of the 6,500 being to furnish a body-guard for the Viceroy Li himself. It is not China, then, but the Viceroy Li that General von Hanneken is to save, and as for the great awakening, well, it is postponed.

Method of Recovering a Fortress.

China's ostrich-like faculty of self-deception compels admiration by its magnitude. Chinchow, in the Liaotung peninsula, fell into Japanese possession in the beginning of November. Yet the Chinese government steadily persists in the farce of appointing officer after officer to be commandant of the place. Six weeks ago, a certain Manchu was named brigadier-general of Chinchow, but as the recapture of the town from the Japanese would have been an essential preliminary to entering upon office, and as the Manchu didn't quite see his way to that, he set himself to discover in his own body ailments incapacitating him for the honor. Malady upon malady was piteously described in memorial after memorial, till at last the emperor, exasperated by this sequence of sufferings, degraded the invalid and handed him over to the board of punishments for treatment. Another luckless wight, named To Sheng-a—the terminal of whose name is interjectionally suited to the occasion—has now been appointed to the same post, and will probably find his way to the board of punishments instead of to Chinchow.

Will Protect Jersey Palisades.

Trenton, N. J., Feb. 20.—Gov. Werts signed the palisades preservation bill yesterday.

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For Woodbridge—1 43 a m daily except Monday, 6 44, 9 46, 10 39 a. m., 12 46, 2 20, 4 53, 6 44, 6 13, and 7 20 9 54 p. m., 12 27 night, week-days. Sundays, 1 43, 10 25, and 11 47 a. m., 10 14 p. m.

For Perth Amboy—1 43 a m daily except Monday, 6 44, 9 46, 10 39, 12 46, 2 20, 4 53, 6 44, 6 13, 7 20 7 54, 9 54 and 12 27. Sundays, 1 43 10 25, 11 47 a m 10 14 p. m.

For East Millstone—7 10 a. m., 12 35, 2 45 and 5 40 p. m., week-days.

For Trenton—1 00, 6 37, 7 10, 7 59, 9 05, 9 36, 11 43 A. M.; 1 05, 1 37, 3 43, 5 09, 6 26, 7 45, 8 42, 9 39 P. M. Sundays at 1 00, 3 09, 9 05, 9 36, 10 41 A. M.; 5 40, 6 37, 7 47 and 9 41 P. M.

For Lambertville, Philipsburg and Belvidere via Trenton—7 59 A. M., 2.43 and 6.36 p. m., and 5.40 p. m. Sunday.

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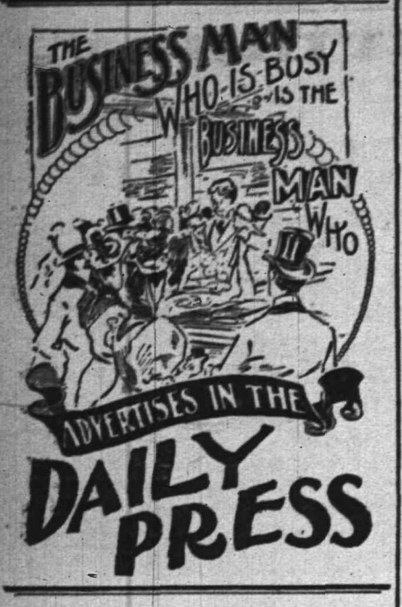

PARTICULAR MENTION.

Justice Mosher was in Elizabeth yesterday on business.

L. J. Denton of Hillside avenue is slowly convalescing.

Miss Lizzie DeCamp of Chester is visiting Miss Lillian A. Force of 82 Duer street.

Raymond Gould of New York is here looking after religious interests which he represents.

Mrs. John C. Smalley of Newark is visiting at the home of William Smalley on Craig place.

Theodore Smith of Fairview avenue is again confined to the house with an attack of rheumatism.

Thanks to the skill of Dr. T. S. Davis, Mrs. Warren Townley is steadily improving from her serious illness.

Mrs. Peter Seader died this morning. She leaves six children under 10 years of age, the youngest a babe of one week.

L. B. Woolston of Fairview avenue left this afternoon for a visit among friends at Trenton, Camden, Philadelphia and Riverton.

W. U. Masters of Pasadena, Cal., who has traveled extensively all over the country, is spending several days in this city, which he avers is one of the finest he has ever visited.

Letter-Carrier E. E. Hann, who has been ill at his home with the grip, was out for a short time yesterday. Mr. Hann hopes to be strong enough in a few days to resume his route.

Mrs. Catherene Kruger died Monday, just a week over 70 years of age. The funeral will take place tomorrow noon from the residence of her son Adolph Berre, 140 East Second street.

Miss Clara Williams entertained a few friends at her home on Madison avenue last evening. Several interesting games of cards were enjoyed, after which excellent refreshments were served.

The Central Avenue Club met last night, and prizes were won by Mrs. J. P. Mason, Miss Abbott and George Chapman. The next meeting takes place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Perkins.

Mrs. Willis R. Moore, daughter-in-law of William R. Moore of 612 New street, is dangerously ill at Newark. She was Miss Amy Watts who resided in Plainfield before her marriage. She has many friends here who are anxiously interested in her condition.

The next meeting of the "94-95 Club" will be held at the home of Miss Lord, Belvidere avenue, Netherwood, tomorrow evening. The members are the Misses Emily Sanford, Pauline May Sanford, Estelle Place, Maud Safford, Beatrice Safford, Mamie French, Mabel VanDeventer, Katherine Manning, Beth Thompson, Maud Lord, Mrs. Fred Pollock, and Mrs. Ransom, the Messrs. Pollock, Horton, Percy Sanford, Fred Sanford, Place, Gaston, Willard Hallock, Fletcher Hallock, Marsh, Hall, Pearson, French and Dr. Hallock.

To Get Swords and Belts.

The regular meeting of John Hand Camp, No. 28, S. of V., was held last evening. The attendance was large, and the session interesting.

Arrangements were made to secure swords and belts for the officers, and First Sergeant H. J. Martin will report at the next meeting.

The matter of incorporating the camp was brought up and the members voted to become so. Steps have already been taken in the matter and the articles were signed today.

Arms are expected by the next meeting at which time it is expected there will be two or three new members mustered.

Victor Lorton was installed principal musician, having been appointed two weeks ago by the captain.

The experience of Geo. A. Apgar, of German Valley, N. J., is well worth remembering. He was troubled with chronic diarrhoea and doctored for five months and was treated by four different doctors without benefit. He then began using Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, of which one small bottle effected a complete cure. It is for sale at Reynolds's pharmacy, Park and North aves. T. S. Armstrong, manager

W. H. WILLIAMS WEDS.

The Veteran Plainfield Newsdealer Married to Mrs. Montross of New York.

Rev. J. C. Hoyt this afternoon at 4 united in marriage W. H. Williams, the veteran Plainfield newsdealer, and Mrs. A. Montross of Monroe, N. Y.

Mr. Williams came to Plainfield quite a boy, April 1, 1850, and has only lived away from town five years. He married Wm. Estil's daughter Aug. 24, 1861; enlisted with twelve other young men at Trenton, Aug. 28, 1861; was discharged in front of Petersburgh as Quartermaster-Sergeant of Sixth N. J. Vols., Oct. 11, 1864.

He completed his thirtieth year as Plainfield's newsdealer Dec. 1, 1894. His first wife died six years ago last month.

VILLAGE OF HAMILTON BURNED.

Damage Estimated at $4,00,000.

Utica, N. Y., Feb. 20.—The business portion of the village of Hamilton, the seat of the Colgate University, was almost entirely destroyed by fire last night.

About thirty places of business have been burned, and the fire was raging at midnight. The fire started at 9 in the Woodruff Block. From there it spread west, taking the undertaking establishment of Ramlands & Beab, then crossed the street, destroying Tripp's Opera House. Fifteen stores were consumed on Utica street.

It is thought that the loss will aggregate $400,000.

The Tragedy of Sin.

The subject to be discussed tonight in Grace Church is one of very great interest. Dr. Barrett will speak of sin and its consequences. This will naturally introduce the subject of future punishment and hell, and will bring up the question, "How can a benevolent and loving God, damn men?"

Large congregations are attending the mission. The singing is done by a large mixed choir and is very hearty. Last night the sermon was on the incarnation. Christ was described as the mind of God incarnated or revealed, just as a painting is an incarnation of the artist's soul, or the temple of the architect's mind, or as a poem incarnates the thoughts and feelings of the poet.

The entirely unique and divine character of Jesus was proved by a number of different arguments. The main argument was Christ's self-consciousness, His consciousness that He was the "Word" or revealer of God. He said "He that hath seen Me hath seen the Father". Service tonight at 8. All welcome.

Wonderful Realism.

Every atom of scenery used in the production of "She Couldn't Marry Three," is specially built for the play. There are over three tons of it; it is worth going miles to see. One of the most notable scenes in the play is a picture of the Cornish Coast, with practical revolving light house and moonlight on the ocean; also the view of Carboy's Abbey with crumbling walls and clinging ivy, a scene so beautiful as to baffle description. In the last act of the play is shown an exact representation of Dingley Tunnel, one of the most stupendous and natural railroad scenes ever produced.

Every one of these novel effects is guaranteed by Manager Hassenforder, and will be seen here in the production of "She Couldn't Marry Three."

Going To Trenton.

Captain W. C. Dobbins, and Delegates H. S. Thatcher and H. C. McVoy from John Hand Camp, No. 28, Sons of Veterans, will go to Trenton tonight to attend the Annual Division Encampment.

First Sergeant H. J. Martin and Second Lieutenant C. F. Stephens will go tomorrow morning.

There will be a camp fire this evening in Bayard Post Hall, the place of meeting, at which time Commander-in-chief Bundy of Cincinnati and staff will be present, also Division Commander G. W. Pollitt and staff.

The encampment promises to be very interesting.

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The reader of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly on the blood and mucous surface of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer $100 for any case that it fails to cure.

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EARLY INTELLIGENCE.

—Dr. F. C. Ard has put in a 'phone, 93A.

—The Daily Press will publish a special Washington's Birthday page tomorrow.

—A trap was laid for expected greenbacks men in Bound Brook yesterday, but the bunccers did n't show up.

—G. W. Rowley of this city, representing Kratzer's Business Directories, has placed in Hotels Albion and Grenada elegant new business directories. He says the directories of eight cities will be ready April 1.

Mite Boxes.

The W. C. T. U. meeting tomorrow afternoon will be in charge of Mrs. J. J. Coard. A full attendance is requested. There will be a temperance temple programme, Feb. 28, and the mite boxes will be opened.

Shiloh's Cure, the great cough and croup cure, is in great demand. Pocket size contains 25 doses, only 25c. Children love it. Sold by all druggists.

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NO OFFICE FOR HIRAM BROWN.

There Were Some Necessary Preliminaries Not Expected.

He was a polite negro, with a large eye expressive of a natural flow of language, and a face as black as a raven's wing. He wanted to see Congressman John Allen, of Mississippi, and sent in his card at the west lobby door. In due course of time the member came out. He cast a piercing look at the sender of the card, who approached him with an obsequious bow, holding his hat in his hand.

"Sah," said the colored man, with a bland smile, "I is one yah constituents. Brown is my name—Hiram Brown, sah."

"Ah," said the Congressman, bowing stiffly, "what can I do for you?"

"Well, sah," said the darkey, "I wants to git a Government position, sah, if yah will kindly lend me yah valyable absistance, and I come all de way to Washington to see yah about it, sah."

"Oh, indeed. Under the civil service or what?"

"I doan't kyah, sah, whether it's under the sahvice or not, just so I get a good and reliable appointment, sah; where I can support myself wid becomin' dignity."

"Do you know anything about physiology, meteorology, conchology, or biology? Can you go back to the paleozoic age and demonstrate in technical terminology the anthropology, fauna or zoology of that epoch? Can you dissect the pterodactyl or the ichthyosaurus or prepare a scientific repast of one of the pachyderms of the glacial period? Can you reconstruct for the edification of a profound professor of buggology the bibacious saurians that were seen by early navigators in the dim dawn of the brazen age?"

The darkey stepped two paces to the rear and stared.

"I say, can you do these things off hand on cross examination, without drawing a breath or stopping to think?" continued Allen. "If not, go back to your district and pray for the return of another era of Democratic sovereignty, with a President pledged to the repeal of the civil service act."

Hiram had been listening with open mouthed astonishment, and a look that settled into an expression of deep awe. The sweat broke upon his ebony countenance. He slowly pulled a red bandanna from his coattail pocket and wiped his reeking brow as the Congressman paused.

"I—I guess, sah," he stammered, with an embarrassed smile creeping back into his face, "I guess, sah, dem queshuns is specially intended foh young cullud pussons dat hat got dar edycashun in a college. I was bawn too soon."

And he walked away with a profound salaam, showing his respect for superior learning, while Allen resumed his Congressional labor with a stern look of duty.—Chicago Record.

A man one time a good thing had
Which people would have prized,
But he never sold a single one,
For he never advertised.

NOTICE

As directed by a resolution of the Township Committee of the township of Fanwood, county of Union, State of New Jersey, notice is hereby given that an application has been made to the Township Committee of the township of Fanwood aforesaid by the New York and Philadelphia Traction Company, for permission to construct, operate and maintain a street railroad, with one or more tracks and necessary turnouts, to be operated by electricity or other motive power except steam, and to erect necessary poles, conduits and wires, power plant and necessary buildings along the following routes:

Beginning in the division line between the city of Plainfield and the Township of Fanwood where Midway avenue crosses said division line and running thence in an easterly direction along Midway avenue to its connection with North avenue; thence still easterly along North avenue to the division line between the Townships of Fanwood and Westfield.

Beginning at the intersection of Mountain avenue and Forrest avenue or road, in the village of Scotch Plains, in the twp of Fanwood and running thence southeasterly along Forrest avenue or road to its intersection with North avenue; thence southerly along said North avenue to Depot street; thence to a point at or near the Fanwood station of the Central Railroad of New Jersey.

The name of the corporation making the application is the New York and Philadelphia Traction Company.

The application was filed on the 15th day of February, eighteen hundred and ninety-five and will be considered by the Township Committee of the township of Fanwood, at a meeting to be held on the 7th day of March, eighteen hundred and ninety-five, at Excelsior Hall, in Scotch Plains, in the township of Fanwood aforesaid, county of Union, at 8 o'clock in the evening.

EDWARD L. HAND,
Township Clerk.

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DEATHS.

KRUGER—In this city Feb. 18, 1895, Catherene Kruger, aged 70 years and 7 days.

Funeral services from the residence of her son, Adolph Berre, 140 East 2d street, on Thursday, Feb. 21, at 12 m. Friends and relatives are invited to attend. Interment at Somerville.

SARSON—In this city Monday, Feb. 18, 1895, Harriet E., wife of Samuel T Sarson, in her 41st year.

Funeral services from her late residence, 750 West Front st., Thursday, Feb. 21, at 2.30 p. m.

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TO THE PUBLIC:

From a sense of duty I desire to call public attention to the almost miraculous cure which Dr. Lighthill effected in the case of my wife. For eleven years she had been afflicted with piles of an unusual severe and distressing character. She suffered every day of her life the most intense pain, attended with frequent and profuse hemorrhage. This state of things debilitated her entire system until she became a perfect wreck of her former self.

We made every effort to obtain a cure but they all resulted in bitter disappointment, although a number of physicians of excellent reputations for skill in that direction had treated her case. She grew worse and worse all the time, the pain became perfectly unbearable and I felt she could not bear the strain of her condition much longer. In this extremity, a friend of mine, Mr. W. E. Dilts, a resident of Roselle, N. J., a passenger conductor on the New Jersey Central told me that he had been similarly affected, and had been permanently cured by Dr. Lighthill, after other medical skill had failed. He assured me that the doctor would cure my wife, no matter how severe her case may be, and his prediction proved perfectly correct. In spite of her desperate condition, Dr. Lighthill, I am glad to say, has effected a complete and perfect cure in her case, and has given her new life.

Since the cure has been effected she has gained in health and strength and is so improved in appearance that her friends scarcely recognize her. They all consider her cure as almost miraculous, and Dr. Lighthill's praise is heard on every side. Our gratitude to Dr. Lighthill is unbounded and we only hope that other sufferers may be benefited by this publication.

EDWARD TEEL, JR.

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I deem it proper to say to all afflicted to place themselves under the care of this skilful physician and be permanently cured.

I will cheerfully impart any information I possess when called upon.

JOHN DIETRICH.

Mr. Thomas Callahan of No. 214 Richmond street Cured of a Very Distressing Trouble by Dr. Lighthill.

PLAINFIELD, N. J., June 1, 1894.

TO THE PUBLIC:

For some time past I have been greatly distressed with noises in the head. They were all over my head and troubled me constantly; they were loudest at night when everything was quiet and at such times would often keep me from sleep and disturb my rest. In fact they got to be so bad and distressing that they affected my whole nervous system as well as my health. I did not obtain the least relief until I placed myself under the care of Dr. Lighthill, of No. 132 Crescent avenue, who effected a complete cure in my case in a short time and made me a very happy man.

THOMAS CALLAHAN,
214 Richmond street.

A Card From Mr. T. R VanZandt,

of Nos. 304 and 306 Park ave.,

Plainfield, N. J

I certify with pleasure that Dr. Lighthill has effectually cured me of a most painful case of piles. For some time past I had been subject to its attacks, but the last attack was so exceedingly painful that it completely upset my whole system. The pain extended to my legs and in many other directions, and made me so nervous that I could neither sleep, sit down, lie down or move about without serious discomfort and distress. Such was my condition when I applied to Dr. Lighthill for relief, and I am glad to say that as soon as he took hold of my case, I began to improve, and in a short time found myself completely cured. Dr. Lighthill has also effected a radical and permanent cure in a most terrible case of piles on my cousin, Mr. J. V. E. Griggs, of Rocky Hill, N. J., whose flattering testimonial is in Dr. Lighthill's possession.

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is a grand success and grows in popularity every day. This is sample of what customers say: Mrs. Blank who has been in the habit of buying her groceries at a New York department store, said after looking through our department that our prices are lower than she paid there, and in future she will buy of us.

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Prices lowest, quality best. Money cheerfully refunded on all goods not satisfactory.

75 CASES MORE CANNED GOODS JUST RECEIVED.

At 6c Can: 25 cases string beans, tender at.....6c; 25 cases sweet corn.....6c. At 6c Can

At 10c Bottle: 50 dozen Durkee's famous Challenge Sauce. This sauce is first class and just as good as the imported, both in flavor and quality; regular price 19, special at 10c bottle. Not more than 6 bottles to each customer. At 10c Bottle

Chicken Soup special 19c reg. price 34c: 10 doz. cans of Curtice Bros. White Label Chicken Soup, warranted fresh and pure. Money refunded if not satisfactory. Chicken Soup special 19c reg. price 34c

Babbitt's best laundry soap 6 cakes for 24c

2½ pound bag finest table salt at 3c bag

Very fine evaporated apricots at 14c pound

Holmes & Coutt's famous banquet wafers at 19c box

" " " afternoon tea wafers at 21c box

Extra quality Bahama pineapple free from cores, reg. price 30c, special 19c can; very good quality mixed tea reg. price 39c, special 24c pound, or 5 pound for $1.00.

New Spring Dress Goods.

Something new and stylish in all-wool effects at 39c; regular 50c goods.

New silk and wool effects at 50c, 65c, 75c and $1.00. Very choice and exceedingly cheap.

New wash silks at 35c; advertised in New York worth 50c.

EDSALL'S

CORK FILLED

During this month we will offer all of our Burt & Packard

Double Sole Cork Filled Men's

$5 Shoes for $3.98 per Pair.

Just the shoe for you to wear without rubbers up to the first of May. Sizes 5 to 11; widths B to E; styles, narrow, round and Common Sense toes.

See our window Saturday for specials.

DOANE & EDSALL.

TODAY IN HISTORY.

Short Stories of Heroism from Real Life.

Fought Like Tigers.

Feb. 20 is the anniversary of the battle of Olustee (1864), the severest engagement of the war on the soil of Florida. General Truman Seymour landed about 7,000 men at Jacksonville to bolster up a loyal uprising with bayonets. General Finnegan, the Confederate commander, gathered forces to the number of 5,500 near Lake City to oppose the Union march inland. The lines came to sword's point about 3 p.m. in an open pine forest. Seymour's artillery began a rapid fire to confuse the enemy. Then his whole line of three brigades advanced wedgelike to the attack. A white regiment in the lead broke on tasting the enemy's steady fire. A colored regiment ordered to replace it also broke. Then the brigade of W. B. Barton moved up at double quick, the Forty-eighth, Forty-seventh and One Hundred and Fifteenth New York, abreast, charging the enemy's center. General Barton had been colonel of the Forty-eighth, a regiment known as Perry's Saints. Finding the Union batteries affected by the infantry panic, he halted the line in front of them and for more than two hours held the ranks steadfast under a double cross and direct fire from the enemy's guns and rifles. In this terrible struggle the Confederates exhausted their ammunition first, and unable to return the Union fire began to steal away to search for cartridges. But Finnegan's staff officers, couriers and orderlies had formed a mounted brigade to ply between the ammunition train and the field, bringing up supplies, and in order to hold the men where they were young A. H. Colquitt, son and aid to the general commanding the center, rode along the front of his father's troops, swinging a battleflag and appealing to the men to stand. His gallantry challenged the admiration of his enemies. Barton's men also emptied their boxes, but retired to refill them and went in again. Contemporary accounts declared that the New York "brigade fought like tigers." When the Confederates made the last rush to give their baffled foe the coup de grace, the New Yorkers parried the blow, giving their comrades time to withdraw. The colonels of the three regiments fell, and over 800 rank and file were killed and wounded.

GENERAL BARTON.

A Triangular Fight at Sea.

Feb. 20, 1815, was the date of one of "Old Ironsides'" most noted battles. She had just escaped from the port of Boston, where a British squadron had kept her under blockade over eight months, and was "spoiling" for action. While sailing from the Azores to Madeira about noon on the 20th she sighted two vessels—the corvet Cyane, of 22 guns, and the sloop Levant, of 20. They were ten miles apart at first, the Levant in the wake, but seeing the Constitution in chase the latter made haste to join her consort. Captain Charles Stewart was new to the deck of the gallant old ship, but ship and commander were well matched. Crowding on all sail until the royal main mast snapped off under the load, Stewart gave chase. Owing to the accident to the mast, he did not come up to the Britons until evening, and then the two had united. The Constitution ranged alongside the Cyane and fired a broadside into her at 200 yards. The Briton of course replied, but the Constitution forged ahead after the Levant. It was give and take with these two until they were completely buried in smoke, and this gave the Cyane a chance to crawl up under the Constitution's quarter. Stewart instantly tackled the new enemy, giving the Levant a parting broadside. Skillfully avoiding a rake from the Cyane, he backed until he brought her abeam, then silenced her with a tremendous cannonade. The Levant meanwhile bore down to help her consort. Seeing this, Stewart filled out, and running for her gave her two stern rakes before she could wear to get into position. Wearing himself, he maneuvered under cover of the smoke until he brought his ship astern of the Cyane. Raking her as he had her consort, he compelled her to strike and hastened after the Levant, which had hauled off to repair, but was returning to the combat. The two met on opposite tacks and exchanged broadsides. A few volleys were enough for the Briton, and she tried to escape, but the Constitution kept at her heels and brought her to with her bow guns.

STEWART.

GEORGE L. KILMER.

—No meeting of the Camera Club was held last night as was expected. The next regular meeting will be held the first Tuesday night in March.

Mrs. Emily Thorne, who resides at Toledo, Washington, says she has never been able to procure any medicine for rheumatism that relieves the pain so quickly and effectually as Chamberlain's Pain Balm and that she has also used it for lame back with great success. For sale at Reynolds's pharmacy, Park and North aves. T. S. Armstrong, manager.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report

Royal Baking Powder

ABSOLUTELY PURE

FEAST FOR EYES AND PALATE.

Methodist Women Arrange a Delightful Bazar.

Pretty decorations, charming costumes and bright faces all contributed to make the bazar and supper in Vincent Chapel last evening a success. The walls and gallery were artistically draped in American flags, and each table was a perfect harmony of color.

The chocolate table was the first to the left on entering, and there in one of the smaller classrooms the pale light from the candelabra shone on a most artistic arrangement of china and silver. Pale green and white were the prevailing colors in the decorations. Here dainty cups of chocolate were served to the many customers by Mrs J R Joy, Miss Harriet French, Mrs. James Hallock and Miss Minnie French.

The next table in order was the fancy table on which were a variety of dainty articles large and small, the uses of many of which are only known to the gentler sex. Mrs C C Cokefair was chairman of the committee in charge of this table. She was assisted by Mrs Geo D Rogers, Mrs Geo B Cornwell, Mrs O L Jenkins, Mrs Samuel Clark and Mrs Hervey Doane.

Stationery was for sale at the next table and attracted many to buy by its artistic arrangements. The numerous customers at this table were waited upon by Mrs J N McNaughton, Miss Ida Angleman, Miss M Cory, Miss Gertrude Trenham, Miss Stackhouse, Miss Fulmer and Miss J. Schafer.

At the right of the entrance was the lemonade booth where draughts of that cooling beverage were passed out to the crowd of thirsty young people who surrounded it. This booth was under the direction of Miss Mattie Humble, the Misses Langer, Miss Fanny Chandler and Miss Etta Raybert.

In the centre of the room was the candy booth, prettily draped in the National colors, while dishes of choice home-made candies tempted the palates of the passersby. The good things attracted many, but the charming faces inside the booth made the nnmber much greater and induced many to invest their change in the goodly display of the candies. Miss Louise Pangborn was the efficient chairman of the committee in charge and her assistants were Misses Elsie Horne, Barnes, Madge Barnes, Sadie Douglass, Elizabeth Cornwell, Florence Smith, Smith, Chandler and Mrs. Charles Lyman.

In the smaller class rooms at the back and side, tables were arranged and here was served the supper. Quite a number enjoyed the good things provided, and later in the evening the tables were again crowded with the lovers of the delicacies.

Mrs. L. M. French was in charge of this department and very successful were the results of her labors. She was ably assisted by Mrs D E Davis, Mrs I W Pangborn, Mrs Homan, Mrs G Q Packer, Mrs C H Rugg, Mrs J C Peck, Miss Sharp, Mrs N Y Hull, Mrs N W Pike, Mrs S Baker, Mrs Bond, and Miss Laura Mulford. The waitresses were Miss May Mulford, Miss Alice Jenkins, Miss Eva Jenkins, Miss Anna Stafford, Miss Edna French, Miss Lillian Thorn and Miss Cora Shepherd.

The committee, under whose charge the sale was conducted, consisted of Mrs. L. M. French, chairman, Mrs. C. C. Cokefair, and Mrs. O. L Jenkins.

They certainly deserve a great deal of credit for the successful manner in which everything was arranged, not one mistake or accident spoiling the evening.

Robert Douglass collected tickets at the door.

During the evening there were piano solos by Miss Maude French, Mrs. Charles Lyman, and Miss Louise Pangborn.

Although there was a fair attendance last evening, it is hoped that it will be greatly increased tonight; there will be several selections rendered by Conde's orchestra, and a number of other special features.

—The Bank's New Move.

The officials of the First National Bank are contemplating removing temporarily to the building now occupied by the postoffice, during the remodeling of their own building. A ten-days refusal has been secured from A. Vanderbeek, who has charge of the renting, with the privilege of leasing it for one year. If the deal is consummated the whole lower floor will be remodeled.

Aftermath of the Blizzard.

A number of Street Commissioner Meeker's men were engaged yesterday and this morning in removing the snow from the gutters along Park avenue, in order to afford better drainage of water from the steeet.

A Des Moines woman who has been troubled with frequent colds, concluded to try an old remedy in a new way, and accordingly took a tablespoonful (four times the usual dose) of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy just before going to bed. The next morning she found that her cold had almost entirely disappeared. During the day she took a few doses of the remedy (one teaspoonful at a time) and at night again took a tablespoonful before going to bed, and on the following morning awoke free from all symptoms of the cold. Since then she has, on several occasions, used this remedy in like manner with the same good results, and is much elated over her discovery of so quick a way of curing a cold. For sale at Reynolds's pharmacy, Park and North aves. T. S. Armstrong, manager.

Known Here.

Madge Yorke, the actress, who was killed in Philadelphia a few days ago by a jealous lover, was here this season with a "Baggage Check" company, which appeared in Music Hall. She is remembered by several Plainfielders who take an interest in the histrionic art.

—The Daily Press will not be published Washington's Birthday.

WE TAKE THE RISK, and don't ask any one to take our word for it that

Dr. Deane's Dyspepsia Pills

cure dyspepsia, indigestion, habitual constipation, and sick headache. We want to send you a free sample. Then you can tell whether you want to buy them or not. Address

DR. J. A. DEANE CO.,
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They are for sale at all druggists. 25 cents.

WANTS AND OFFERS.

Advertisements under this heading, 1 ct. a word, each insertion. (Less than ten words, ten cents.) Cash must accompany ads.

TABLE boarders wanted in private family. Apply 303 West Fourth st. 2 7 tf

I HAVE 25 houses and lots and 100 building lots for sale cheap on the installment plan. Charles H. Hand, 317 Watchung ave. 2 20 5

LOST—Pair of gold link cuff buttons, in Vincent Chapel last night. Return to this office. 2 20 2

FOR SALE or to let, new house on Stone street; house contains 7 rooms. Apply 196 Somerset st. 2 19 3

WANTED—Cook, washer and ironer; no colored. 97 Mercer ave.

STORE to let, No. 325 Watchung ave; rent $25 per month. Charles H. Hand. 2 20 5

WANTED to rent, house and barn; lot not less than one acre, within one mile of Plainfield depot. Address Box 301.

BOARD wanted for middle aged lady in small family; house with furnance heat and conveniences; location east of Park avenue near Front st., preferred; state terms, etc. C. G., care Press. 2 20 2

SIX-room flat to let; city water; first floor; $10. Charles H. Hand. 2 20 5

SIX room flat to let, April 1; all improvements. Inquire 200 West 2d street. 2 20 2

WANTED.—2 rooms, unfurnished; water convenient; light housekeeping; for elderly lady; central location. Address W., care Press.

FOR SALE—One-seat phaeton, Brewster make; apparently new. Inquire Mr. Bennett, J. P. Homan's carriage shop, Somerset st., or at Frank Hedden's livery stable, 118 East 4th st. 2 19 2

5-ROOM flat to let from April 1; city water; in new building; rent $12 50 per month. Charles H. Hand. 2 20 5

FOR SALE or to let, a house and barn with about one acre of ground, situated on Grove street, Dunellen, adjoining residence of C. Schepflin; house contains 11 rooms and attic and all modern improvements, including gas. Address or call on Eugene Runyon, Dunellen, N. J. 1 29 4 oaw

AGENTS make $5 daily; marvelous invention; retails 25c; 2 to 6 sold in a house; sample mailed free. Forshee & McMakin, Cincinnati, O. 1 2 y-w

DRESSMAKER from Vienna would like to take in sewing or go out by the day. Address B., care Press. 2 19 2

STABLE to let, room for 3 horses and 3 wagons; $8 per month. Charles H. Hand. 2 20 5

EXPERIENCED woman would like position as seamstress or nurse by day or week. Apply 140 North ave. 2 19 3

LOST—Sunday morning, a pair of eye glasses between Franklin place and Crescent Avenue Church. If found please return to B. O. Bowers, 400 Franklin place. 2 19 2

WANTED—By an English person, a situation as working housekeeper. Please address Priscilla Negus, Bound Brook. 2 19 6

WANTED—A white cook with references at Mrs. Waring's, 900 Park avenue. 1 18 tf

7-ROOM house and stable for sale or to let; 69 Manning avenue; rent $17 per month. Charles H. Hand. 2 20 5

WANTED—House for small family; possession April 1; reasonable rent. Address, stating terms and where located, "House," care Press. 2 11 tf

YOUNG woman wants office work. Address Capable, care Press. 2 4 tf

OFFICES and flats to rent in Babcock Building. Inquire of J. A. Hubbard or W. M. Stillman. 1 30 tf

CASH buyer can get first-class upright piano at bargain. Address Starr, care Press. 2 2 tf

3 7-ROOM houses for sale or to let; E. 5th st., near Berckman; rent $15 per month. Charles H. Hand. 2 20 5

MONEY to loan. Mulford, broker. 2 1 tf

Central Employment Office

218 Liberty st. Gibson & Cable, agents.

All kind of help furnished on short notice. We have first-class help always on hand or can be had on 3 days notice. Satisfaction guaranteed. 1 19 2m

5 CENTS buys at REYNOLDS'S a cake of good **Toilet Soap.** 5
perfumed and wrapped, made by the best and biggest soap house in America (whose stamp is a guarantee of excellence). We warrant this a sound, pure soap. 1 cake or 100 at 5c each.

8 CENTS buys at REYNOLDS'S a good **Baby's Bottle** 8
with pure black rubber nipple, complete and ready for use; Bottle has a wide base, rounded corners, graduated side.

75 CTS buys at REYNOLDS'S a two-quart **Hot water bag** 75
positively guaranteed against leakage from imperfection, for one year from date of sale.

Reynolds's Pharmacy,
Established 1868. Park and North avenues, only.

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Jos. Sohl, Prop. R. C. Varian, Man.
Telephone 49B.
Special matinee and night.
Washington's Birthday, Feb. 22
"The Kings of Celtic Humor"—N.Y. Herald
Conroy and Fox,
with their surpassing show, in
HOT TAMALES.
Recipe—Wit, Humor, Mirth and Music.
16 A company of singing and dancing comedians, including several European specialty artists. FUN for old ones, for the fair ones, for young ones, for everyone. Matinee prices 25, 35, 50, 75c. Evening prices 25, 35, 50, 75c, $1. 16

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BENEFIT!
IN THE CASINO,
Amateur Minstrels and Theatricals,
Thursday Evening,
FEB. 21.
Curtain rises at 8:15. Tickets, $1, for sale at Reynolds's, Randolph's, Moy's and Hebard's pharmacies. 2 14 6 t s m t w t

ADVERTISED LETTERS,

February 18, 1895.

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Cooke Mrs H R	Moore Mam'e
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Gery Mrs Margaret	Williams Mrs V
Gleason Katie	Whicham Mrs W H
Hurling Mahlon	Washington Jennie
Hollingsworth L Jr	Woodner Miss Lillie
Hill John	Wilson Miss
Hurlbert Dr J H	Werth Mr & Mrs P

EXTRAORDINARY.

Half value sale of new seasonable goods still continues. In addition to the many good values that we have offered for this week we add the following:

66 in. bleached damask in 2 and 2½ yd. lengths at 49c per yd. actual value 75c.

18 in all linen crash, extra heavy 7c. yard.

20 in. all linen glass toweling 8½c

Imported serges 45 in. wide 45c yd. Actual value 65c.

54 in covert cloth 49c yd value 98c.

18 in fancy silks, 39c yd. value 75c.

30 in. China silks, 49c yd value 85c.

2¼x2½ sheets, made of Boston bleached sheeting 44c. each. Value 65c.

100 doz. men's black half hose Hermsdorf dye. Value 25c. Our price 12½c.

100 doz. ladies' full regular Hermsdorf dye hose 19c pair.

Ladies' 5 hook Foster kids 75c. pr.

The greatest bargain in draperies ever offered is what they all say Beautiful styles 40 and 45 in. wide. price 13c.

40 in. apron lawn, checks and stripes 10c.

Granite Ironware

2,3, and 4 qt. Coffee pots 37,42,47c.
2,3, and 4 qt. Tea " 37,42,47c.
2,3, and 4 qt. Sauce " 30,32,35c.
Wash basins, 17c.
Tea kettles, 79c.
Oatmeal boilers, 37c.

Don't you find it satisfactory to trade at a store that will refund you your money for any article you buy and do not want?

That's our way of doing business.

WHITE, of Plainfield.

Bazar and Supper
IN
VINCENT CHAPEL,
TUESDAY AND WEDNESDAY,
FEB. 19 and 20,
afternoon and evening. Musical programme in the evening.
Admission - 10c
Supper extra, from 6 to 9.
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LEGGETT'S TOILET SOAP,

for the toilet, bath and nursery. 15 cents a cake, 6 cakes 75 cents. Warranted absolutely pure.

The compounding of physicians' prescriptions a specialty.

Corner Park avenue and Front street.

106 East Front Street — NEW STORE, NEW GOODS.
Grand Opening of the Plainfield Tea and Grocery Co., Saturday, Feb. 9.

"EVERY DAY PRICES."

Fine quality mixed tea	25c	Can tomatoes, solid packed	8c
" Oolong tea	30c	Can peas, early June	8c
" Young Hyson tea	40c	Can corn, fine goods	8c
" Japan tea	40c	Fine butter	24c
XX soda crackers	4½c	Ground coffee	17½c
Ginger snaps	5½c	Java and Mocha coffee	32c
Nic-nac crackers	6c	Extra fine Maricaibo coffee	30c
California peaches	17c can	" Rio coffee	24c
		Lard	8c

All goods warranted as represented.
H. T. WILLIAMS, Manager.

SHAD! Rogers
232 W. 2d. St.

Special Bargains for February.

SHIRTS at 39c; regular price 50c.
Special buckskin gloves 98c, regular $1.50.
Saw you our Reindeer Glove for dress or driving $1.50.

HALLOCK,
109 West Front st.

5,000 Pounds

Another big supply of Fresh Country Roll

BUTTER at 18c Per Pound.

Watch for our special sale price list in Thursday's and Saturday's paper.

FULPER'S, 207 West Front St.

Alex. Willett & Son's **Steel Shod** School Shoes.
107 Park Avenue.

Fine China, Cut Glass,
Miller Lamps, Oil Heater Stoves
Gavett's,
Next to Post-office.

EDWARD C. MULFORD,
(Armstrong Mulford, Assistant.)
Real Estate Broker and Fire Insurance,
Office 169 North ave., (opp. Railroad station.) Money to loan. 1 19 tf

BOICE, RUNYON & CO.,
DEALERS IN
Lumber. Coal. Mason's Material. &c.
Our stock is under cover and we can always deliver dry stock. Agents for Adamant Wall Plaster. Orders solicited.
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Ready, There

Yes! All ready at Randolph's for your patronage—A first-class pharmacy to anchor by.

Reasonable prices, courteous clerks, pure drugs and chemicals await you.

L. W. Randolph,
Prescription Druggist,
143 West Front st., Plainfield, N. J.

CRANKS IN CONGRESS.

LEGISLATORS WHOSE FAME HAS BEEN THEIR PECULIARITIES.

In the House, Sibley, Johnson, Clark, English and Pence Claim Distinction. Some Freaks in the Senate Which Are of Little Use Except as Such.

Congressional cranks have of course varied with the development of Congressional history and the growth of the nation generally. Just as the people of the country have increased and have taken on various sociological distinctions, so have their representatives in Congress reflected these differences.

The names of Holman, Bland, Blair, Hatch, Stewart, Peffer, Watson and Simpson easily recall long chapters of unusual legislative history. Mr. Holman, with his ever present economy and the glaring inconsistency with which he exercises it, has furnished theme for many a ludicrous story. Of almost equal standing, so far as years go, is Mr. Bland's persistent and unconquerable allegiance to the "dollar of the daddies," freshly sworn upon every conceivable occasion. Ex-Senator and now Representative Blair, of New Hampshire, has probably an incomparable history when one looks for extreme and impossible attempts at legislation. His climax bill, which has for its object the decoursing of the Mississippi river and an attempt to make it run up hill, has probably never been equalled in wild congressional schemes.

Another example of a man with a hobby ridden into ridicule is Representative Hatch, of Missouri, with his anti-option advocacy. The original advent in Congress of the Populists created much food for freakish descriptions. Tom Watson, of Georgia, and Jerry Simpson, of Kansas, in the first flush of their notoriety, were probably more talked of and were made the objects of more curiosity than any congressman of recent years. But with Watson now at home and Simpson settled into such serious representation that he is commonly regarded as one of the soundest legislators on the floor, there is little left to be told of notable Populists in the House.

In the Senate there is another Bland, only he has additional crank attraction. This is Senator Stewart, of Nevada, who talks of nothing but silver, and who talks forever; who has no idea aside from it by day, and has gold bug nightmare when he dreams by night.

Probably the only other senatorial crank whose fame extends beyond the Fifty-third Congress is Senator Peffer, of Kansas. He is undoubtedly the best example of the species in either house. His crazy activity never ceases. It seems to be the result of the utmost sincerity, and in nowise kin to the demagoguey which is the moving spirit in so many notorious Capitol histories.

Mr. Sibley, of Pennsylvania, is a prototype of the most recent crank development in Congress. He is of the millionaire species. Heretofore crazy lawmakers have been for the most part men who never make a dollar, but who were convinced that they were able to be national financiers. Now there comes upon the scene men like the Pennsylvanian, who are rich beyond necessity, and make a show of assaulting all money and capital in the interest of the masses.

Mr. Sibley's nearest brother in Uncle Sam's musuem on Capitpl Hill is Representative Johnson, of Ohio. Mr. Johnson attracts attention to all he does. He is a little more than five feet tall and seems nearly three feet broad. In summer he adorns his expansive figure in spotless white flannels with white shoes. Not content with thus seeming an animated flour sack, he adds to his interesting accomplishments by riding a bicycle. He makes a better speech than his colleague in crankdom, and fills it with epigrams and such radical advocacies that he is sure of attention from both sides of the House.

The next best development in the Fifty-third Congress has been Champ Clark, of Missouri. Mr. Clark has not as much money as either Sibley or Johnson, but has more brains. His has been a varied career. He has been a school teacher, farm hand, country store clerk, country newspaper editor, country lawyer, city attorney, prosecuting attorney, college president, State legislator, Presidential elector and member of Congress. Always known at home as the Pike county genius, he first burst into national notoriety at a Fourth of July meeting in 1893. Here he made one of those wonderful speeches of his which Johnson and Sibley both imitate but cannot equal, and which always attract a full house of amused listeners.

Colonel Breckinridge daily bears himself with the most jaunty innocence, without even a semblance of injury, seeming wholly unconscious of anything unusual in the situation, and without a wrinkle in his face or a tremble in his voice or a halting in his step to betray his recent experience.

Representative English, of New Jersey, as not unknown before he became a ember of the Fifty-third body of national legislators. But recent events have tended to place him in the front list of those representatives who become famous for other things than legislative ability and political leadership. Chief of these has been the wonderful popularity achieved by the novel "Trilby," and the old song "Ben Bolt." It was known before that Mr. English wrote the song, but the song itself had been almost forgotten. Since then it has been sung in every household and its author celebrated in columns and columns of newspaper matter.

Upon the very first day of speechmaking in the special session, a smooth faced young man, with a shrill, high voice, an apt tongue and noble eloquence, addressed the House in opposition to the Repeal bill, and in favor of free silver. He distinctly made a sensation. The inquiry was made on every hand as to who he was and from whence he came. He proved to be Lafe Pence, a Populist, from Colorado, whose election was the result of the general political disaffection in Colorado, which followed the national convention of 1893. Pence soon became the speaking leader of the House Populists. In fact, he spoke too often and did as so many young members have done, failed to fulfill general expectation. Small, wiry, as sharp of feature as of voice, he seems a very boy, although he is nearly forty years old. He is intensely active, after the manner of the hustling West, and is said to be, above all things, a money maker.

No Doubt.

Strawber—The idea of Castleton teaching a class of boys in Sunday school, when he swears like a trooper.

Singerly—If you taught a class of boys in Sunday-school you would swear like a trooper also.

EDUCATION UP TO DATE.

We teach the children Danish,
Trigonometry and Spanish;
Fill their heads with old-time notions,
And the secrets of the oceans;
And the cuneiform inscriptions,
From the land of the Egyptians;
Learn the date of every battle;
Know the habits of the cattle;
Know the date of every crowning;
Read the poetry of Browning;
Make them show a preference
For each musty branch of science;
Tell the acreage of Sweden,
And the serpent's wiles at Eden;
And the other things we teach 'em
Make a mountain so immense
That we have not a moment left
To teach them Common Sense.
—Truth.

NAPOLEON ON HORSEBACK.

A Professional View of the Great Corsican as a Rider.

It was one of Napoleon's aphorisms that the most suitable palace for a French monarch was his tent; his most proper throne a war horse. And so it has come about that in the Napoleonic legend the famous "white horse" seems as necessary as the three-cornered hat and gray coat of "Marengo" to complete the picturesque little figure of the great emperor.

The white horse is familiar enough to all who have seen Meissonier's pictures, and has evidently been painted by the great artist with as much solicitude of detail and affectionate care as are employed in depicting its imperial master himself. The type of charger, then, that so often reappears is that of a three-quarter bred, light, but muscular animal, white or gray in color, with a considerable dash of Arab blood, as seen in the long neck, high crest and easy, springy gait. The horse, though spirited, is remarkably docile, and has entirely put aside the mere vanities of a showy and restive parade charger. Like its owner, it gives the impression of calm power and reserved force. This placid temperament was not the effect of any superior command in the horsemanship of Napoleon—for he had neither a good seat nor good hands—but simply by the result of the most careful previous preparation of the horses designed for his use. They were drilled to stand immobile by the hour, in the midst of the most fearful tumult, noise and excitement—for it would not have been easy for Napoleon to survey the battleground through his field glasses on the back of a champing, pawing and caracoling animal—and yet the horse must have a lively step in walking and a swift gallop on the moment of need. In the glimpses one obtains of Napoleon during the progress of a battle he seems either to be immobile or statuesque, or galloping recklessly at headlong pace.

With respect to his seat in the saddle it is worth while to consider the matter in detail. Napoleon himself used to take pleasure in describing the astonishment of the Mamelukes, after the battle of the Pyramids, when they beheld that this bold and irresistible conqueror was a little man, who rode like a butcher. Yet, to begin with, some reservation must be made as to the popular notion of Napoleon's exiguity of figure. At the time of the Egyptian campaign, and also, of course, at Lodi, where he gained the title of "Le Petit Caporal," he was slight and extremely thin; but considering that on his deathbed his physician found his measurement to be 5 feet 6 1-2 inches, he could hardly be very deficient in stature. In the prime of life he must have been appreciably taller, and, with his square shoulders, broad chest, and commanding bearing, looked, no doubt, extremely well on horseback. This is the more easy to believe when it is known that the shortness of his figure was due entirely to the lack of proportion of his lower limbs. His torso was that of a fairly tall man.

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The Chinese shake their own hands instead of the hands of those they greet.

The Chinese dress in white at funerals and in mourning at weddings, while old women always serve as bridesmaids.

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Barbara Frietchie Would Rejoice.

The Colonel Henry Kyd Douglas, who is rumored to be engaged to Mrs. Nellie Grant Sartoris, is the Confederate soldier who took such umbrage at Whittier's "Barbara Frietchie" ballad. Barbara's adjuration to his fellow soldiers, "Spare your country's flag," seems to have stung this gallant but mistaken man with a bit of remorse. It would do Barbara Frietchie's soul good to know that he was going to marry General Grant's daughter. —Boston Transcript.

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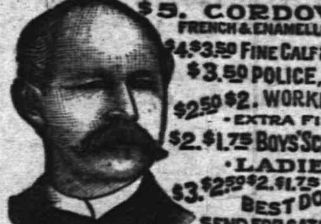

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Leave New York from foot of Liberty street 4 30, 6 00, 7 15, 8, 8 40, 9 10, 10, 11 45, A. M., 1 10, 1 30, 2 30, 3 30, 3 45, 4, 4 30, 5, 5 15, except Saturday, 5 30, 5 45, 6, 6 15, 6 30, 7, 7 30, 8, 8 30, 9 15, 10 15, 11 30 P. M. 12 15, 1, night. Sunday—4 30, 7 15, 9 30, 9 15, A. M., 12 M., 1, 2 15, 4, 5 30, 7, 9 00, 10 00 P. M., 12 15 night. 1 A M.

PLAINFIELD AND NEWARK.

Leave Plainfield 5 59, 6 29, 6 59, 7 26, 7 59, 8, 8 48, 9 29, 10 04, 10 27, A. M., 12 06, 1 18, 2 07, 2 30, 3 12, 3 51, 4 50, 5 54, 6 54, 7 09, 8 30, 10 17, 11 28 P. M. Sunday—8 01, 8 59, 10 08, 11 28, A. M. 12 59, 1 45, 3 30, 5 36, 7 11, 8 29, 8 33, 10 17 P. M.

Leave Newark 6 10, 7 15, 7 55, 8 39, 9 08, 10 08, 11 35 A. M., 1 15, 1 35, 2 20 Saturday only, 3 50, 3 35, 4 05, 4 40, 5 04, 5 24, 5 50, 6 20, 7 15, 7 35, 8 40, 10 05, 11 35 P. M. Sunday—7 30, 8 45, 9 35, 11 35, A. M., 1 10, 2 35, 4 10, 5 40, 7 20, 9 35, 10 30 P. M.

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Leave Somerville, 6, 6 30, 7 00, 7 25, 7 38, 7 48, 8 20, 9 05, 9 48, 11 40 A. M., 12 57, 1 45, 2 05, 3 25, 4 25, 5 28, 6 35, 8 47, 8 45, 11 05, P. M. Sunday 8 25, 9 45, 10 55 A. M., 12 08, 1 20, 5 05, 6 45, 8 02, 8 05, 9 40 P. M.

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Leave Plainfield 5 45, 8 16, 9 54, A. M., 12 46, 2 08, 5 05, 5 14, 6 38, 8 21 P. M. Sunday—5 45, 8 26 A. M., 2 08, 6 35, P. M.

Leave Easton 6 05, 7 00, 8 53, A. M., 12 32, 4 04, 7 00 P. M. Sundays—7 15, 10 52, A. M. 6 40, 7 30, P. M

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5 45 A. M. for Flemington, Easton, Allentown Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Mauch Chunk Williamsport and Tamaqua.

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8 16 A. M. for Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R. Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9 54 A. M. for Flemington, High Bridge branch D L & W R R, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Pottsville, Nanticoke, Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c. Through coach to Williamsport.

12 46 p. m. way for Easton, connecting at Junction for stations on D. L. & W. R. R.

2 08 P. M. for Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Sunbury and Williamsport, Wilkes-Barre and Scranton. Buffet parlor car to Mauch Chunk.

5 05 P. m., way for Easton, connecting at High Bridge for stations on High Bridge branch

5 14 P. M. for Flemington, Easton, Bethlehem, Bangor Allentown, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, Mauch Chunk Shamokin and Tamaqua, Buffet parlor car to Scranton.

6 19 P. M. for Flemington.

6 38 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading and Harrisburg.

8 21 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

5 45 A. M. Sunday for Easton, Bethlehem Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Wilkesbarre and Scranton. 8 26 a.m. Sundays for Easton, 2 08 p. m. Sundays for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Reading and Harrisburg, 6.35 p. m. Sundays for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, &c. and at Junction for D. L. & W. R. R.

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For Perth Amboy, 3 37, 5 38, 8 10 27 a. m., 1 18, 3 51, 4 50, 5.54, 7 08 p.m. Sunday—8 52, a. m., 3 30 p. m.

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THE CAUSE OF STRIKES.

The Insatiable Greed of Capital Which Resorts to Unjust Methods.

Supreme Court Justice William J. Gaynor, who discovered John Y. McKane and drove him to Sing Sing, has written a letter to the Board of Arbitration giving his idea of what caused the Brooklyn strike.

It was an answer to a request made by the State board, and it will be presented to the Legislature along with the report of the board. In the course of the letter the judge says that the cause of the srike lies in a state of disquiet and moral protest, not confined to the employees of the company, which was caused by recent speculative uses and manipulations which the companies have been subjected to by certain individuals who have come into control of them. He then discusses the Brooklyn City Railroad company. Until three years ago, he says, it had $2,000,000 in stocks and $3,000,000 in bonds and paid big dividends. Then its bonded indebtedness was increased to $6,000,000, and its capital stock to $12,000,000.

"It is true," says the judge, "that a change was made from horses to electricity at this time. Whether the cost was equal to the actual increase is a question for railroad builders."

The two steps after this, the judge says, are what accuse the public conscience. Those in control of the company leased it for 999 years to the Brooklyn Heights company, which they got control of. By the terms of the lease, the Heights company agreed to pay the interest on $6,000,000 in bonds and $10,000,000 in stock. It was to keep all the overplus.

"Thus this little company was made the absorber of all the earnings of the Brooklyn City company over and above what would have to be taken to pay the interest and dividends, but this did not satisfy those who had gone that far."

The judge tells next how the Long Island Traction company was organized in West Virginia, with a capital of $30,000,000. "I need hardly say this huge paper company had not a day's work or a dollar back of it. It did not own a steel rail, a stick of wood, or anything in the world. All that there was of it was on paper. It was not a railroad company, but a business, its very name being a falsehood. It was brought up to Brooklyn, and those who created it, and also owned and controlled the little Brooklyn Heights company, turned over to it the certificates of stock ($300,000) of the latter company, and thus, connected by these two links and the Brooklyn City company, this West Virginia company, with its paper capital of $30,000,000, became the absorber, through the little Brooklyn Heights company, of all the earnings of the Brooklyn City company over the interest on bonds and the 10 per cent. on stock."

The object of this, the judge goes on to say, was to absorb a surplus out of the Brooklyn City company large enough to pay a dividend on the $30,000,000 of paper stock of the West Virginia company, thereby to make that stock worth par and enrich the holders thereof out of the industry of others. To do this it was necessary to cut down expenses to the lowest point. The history of the Atlantic Avenue company, he says, is the same.

"Thus, with this just apprehension on the part of the employees, and the impulse on the other hand to cut every expense down, it was natural that even a small dispute should become a serious rupture. Nothing else could be reasonably expected from such feverish and unhealthy conditions."

Next the judge says that all the transactions were lawful; but he asks is the law always right in what it permits, and he answers that if it were so we would never need a change. A little later he says that the transactions are not singular to Brooklyn, and that in place of being checked by laws they are often fostered by laws.

"If this condition were to continue," he says, "what the end would be no one who has studied over causes and effects in history can fail to perceive with clear vision. The prime object of government is to promote distributive justice and thereby make the governed stable and content, and no government which does not do this may, in the nature of things, long endure."

The judge concludes by saying that the immediate dispute which led to the strike didn't deserve serious attention, and under healthy conditions the dispute should not have lasted a single hour, if it arose at all. "Until the cause is removed," he said, "it is idle to try to prevent the effects."

Keep the Church Open.

Bishop Vincent, in speak recently upon "The Church as a Social Institution," is reported to have said: "Our young people pass along our streets at night and behold the theaters, saloons, and many shops ablaze with light. They do not pause at the doors of our churches. And why? Because they are closed, cold and dreary looking. I tell you it is a great mistake. Let our churches be opened three hundred and sixty-five days in the year. Let there be no vacations. Then our young people will go to the churches, and not to other places."

Watches as Compasses.

The following useful bit of informatio is probably new to many:

All watches are compasses. In explanation: Point the hour hand to the sun, and the south is just half way between the hour and the figure XII on the watch. For instance, suppose that it is 4 o'clock. Point the hand indicating 4 to the sun, and II on the watch is exactly south. Suppose that it is 8 o'clock, point the hand indicating 8 to the sun, and the figure X on the watch is due south.

War Correspondents' Pledges.

It will be seen from the conditions all the newspaper correspondents have to sign before being allowed to accompany the Japanese army, published by the "Overland China Mail," that the war correspondent's life in the East is not a happy one. The correspondent must especially pay attention in writing the correspondences to the following: To limit the correspondences about the movements of the troops to things past and not to mention the matter concerning the future. Never to mention the place and time of sending out the letters. To give careful attention not to mention clearly the strength of the troops or the names of regiments, etc., of our army, in order to conceal our strength and the distribution of troops, etc.—London Globe.

Pat—Yez know thot wake Oi tould yez Oi wor goin' t' invoite yez t'?
Mike—Yis.
Pat—Well, it graves me heart t' disapp'int yez, but th' docthor sez now thot me woife will git well.—Judge.

FORTUNE IN A SONG.

A SUCCESSFUL AUTHOR WHO DON'T KNOW ONE NOTE FROM ANOTHER.

Three Million Copies of "After the Ball" Have Been Sold. Words and Music Written in an Hour When the Author Was in a State of Physical Collapse.

Mr. Charles K. Harris is a man who has earned popularity by writing a famous song. As the author of "After the Ball" he has made himself both famous and rich. And yet he is not a musician, doesn't know one note from another, and turns out entirely by ear the airs that later are sung up and down this broad land, and are printed by hundreds of thousands.

Mr. Harris was an obscure banjo teacher in Milwaukee. He had written several ballads, but none of them "caught on" until one morning in the spring of 1893 he awoke to find himself famous. Orders for "After the Ball" came from leading dealers in 5,000 lots, and he began to enjoy an income of over $1,000 a day.

His first songs were sold to publishers, but he decided to become his own publisher, and one of his songs, written before "After the Ball," and entitled "Kiss and Let's Make Up," netted him $8,000. Mr. Harris is about 30 years of age. He lives in Milwaukee in a sixteen-room house, built by him a year ago. He is married.

When asked by a correspondent about his method of composition, he replied: "There are weeks at a time when I do not touch a piano or think of composing. I play by ear only, and do not know a single note. My arranger, Mr. Joseph Clander, who is, in my estimation, one of the best arrangers in the country today, is the leader of the orchestra at Davidson's Theater. Whenever I have a song to take down I send for him. I play it off by ear to him, and he jots it down. Then he plays it over in the right key, and if there are any mistakes I correct them.

"I do not write vulgar songs. My songs are found in every home in the United States which has a piano or a parlor organ. I write for the people and my subjects are taken from life. I receive hundreds of letters daily from all classes of people, from bootblacks to society belles, who desire me to put music to their poems. I have tried it several times, but have always found it an utter impossibility.

"I write both words and music at the same time, and if you will pick up any of my songs you will find that the words and music harmonize closely. In composing a song a man must have musical ability, and must also be something of a poet."

"Will you tell how you came to write 'After the Ball?'"

"I attended a ball in Chicago given by one of the prominent clubs there, and stood talking to a handsome business man. I noticed that his eyes constantly followed a certain young lady in the ballroom. I found out subsequently that they had been engaged, but had parted through some lovers' quarrel. While he was dancing with other girls she would anxiously watch him. I knew by the expression of their faces that their hearts were aching.

"On my return home I was in my office completely tired out when a member of the Wheelmen's club came and asked me to compose a song for an entertainment to be given by the club. I told him I was too tired after the ball, but if he would leave me alone I could perhaps compose something for him in time for the entertainment. The words 'after the ball' kept ringing in my ears, and I could not rest. I sat down at the piano, and at that moment I had the entire idea, music, subject and all. In an hour the song was finished."—

LACE COLLARS AND ECONOMY.

One of Them Will Make a Simple Wardrobe Seem Elaborate.

Lace collars are no longer regarded as luxuries—they are considered economical investments. One lace collar, if ingeniously treated, is capable of varying the effect of half a dozen different waists.

Every woman knows that if the bodice of her gown appears like new her entire costume is stamped as such. Therefore, great is the value of a lace collar. It must be a large collar of some heavy lace like Russian thread, and should fall well over the corsage and form epaulettes over the sleeves.

When it is purchased it should be worn untrimmed over a dark waist and will give a stylish effect to the whole costume. On its next appearance it may be joined to a gay little stock of chiffon or velvet;

again it may appear lined with any of the new shades of silk. This will give a charming touch of color to a black bodice. It may also be made effective by turning it with ribbons, as shown in the illustration, having the loops stand up high on the shoulders and the longest ends reaching below the waist line. These ribbons should appear to be fastened to the collar by small bunches of flowers. Imagine a cream white lace collar trimmed with heliotrope ribbons in this manner and fastened with dainty clusters of forget-me-nots. This collar crowned with a forget-me-not blue chiffon stock would be an addition to any costume.

After a lace collar has been treated in these various ways as a last resort it may have the design outlined in jets, gold threads or tiny colored beads. Then again it will appear like new and fulfill its economical mission.

It is the cynical Boston Transcript that says of a certain woman that she carries her age well because she has been doing it for a long time.

FORTUNES WON AND LOST.

Speculators Who Have Tried Their Luck in Wall Street.

Wall street is generally set down as a place where money is to be made easily and in large amounts. As a matter of fact, comparatively few men have made money there. Speculative ventures long continued are apt to show a loss. It may be that a profitable "turn" or two will be made in the stock market, but it is the exception rather than the rule that the account, at least of an "outsider," is closed with a gain for him.

To the name of the stock exchange broker attaches not a little glamor, and not without reason. He is supposed to be fairly rolling in wealth, and it is fair to say that the average broker really has his share of this world's goods. It is not, however, from speculation that he derives his income, but from commissions on orders which he executes for others—to a large extent, speaking in a general way, from the people who "pay the fiddler's" in the street.

A "turn in the market" is either a purchase and a subsequent sale, which is a deal on the "long side;" or a sale and a subsequent purchase to "cover," which is a deal on the "short side." If the transaction is in one hundred shares, the commission which the speculator has to pay the broker is $12.50 "each way," or $25 altogether. Whether the adventurer in stocks is successful or not, the broker is, of course, sure of his $25. That much is to be taken from the profit or added to the loss of the speculator.

There are men, undeniable, who have made great fortunes in speculation. Foremost of these at the present day is Addison Cammack, the "bear" leader. The short side, on which the bears operate, is supposed to be the most difficult one, and, indeed, it is. Mr. Cammack is a man of remarkable judgment and acumen.

James R. Keene is another example of speculative ability, yet he "went broke" six or eight years ago. His loss figured up the enormous sum of $13,000,000, and left him heavily in debt. He did not despair, but set to work to recoup his fortune. He has paid all his obligations and is once more worth, perhaps, $1,000,000. His forte seems to be in engineering "deals" in special stocks rather than in "playing" the market as a whole. Mr. Cammack, whose fortune is estimated at $10,000,000, "followed the market;" that is, he descries the natural tendency of values and risks his money accordingly. Naturally he makes mistakes at times, but he is quick to discern them and to correct them.

A figure in the street, both prominent and picturesque, is Deacon S. V. White, a pillar of Plymouth church, who has had had his ups and downs on an extensive scale. He has failed three or four times, but he is a man of indomitable will, and when he meets with a rebuff he promptly starts in again to replenish his bank account. It was only three or four years ago that he lost $4,000,000 or $5,000,000 in corn. His confreres in the street considered it an error for him to disgress from speculations in stocks, and so, apparently, it was. The Deacon quickly redirected his attention to stocks, and in cordage, sugar, whisky, Chicago gas and St. Paul, before many months rolled around, he had made enough to settle in full with every creditor. Nevertheless, misfortune again overtook him, and he was compelled to suspend payment within two years. He has since been slowly recovering his financial position and is again an extensive operator.

There are many men in the street who have not been so fortunate as Mr. Keene and Mr. White, but who cling to the speculative center on the theory that where you lose your money is the best place to look for it.

Samuel Mills, who was formerly one of the biggest brokers of the street, but encountered adversity, has made a manly struggle to get on his feet again, but the fates have been against him. He acted for Jay Gould when the latter was the ruling power in the street. The commissions he received from Mr. Gould were enormous. They amounted to hundreds of thousands of dollars annually. A difficulty arose between Mr. Gould and Mr. Mills which resulted in the severance of their relations.

Mr. Mills undertook deals in the market on his own hook, and it is said, whether true or not, that Mr. Gould used his tremendous power to defeat them. Be that as it may, Mr. Mills lost all he had, and was compelled to surrender his membership in the stock exchange. He is now a man of middle age, and it may be that it is not too late for him to come once more to the front in the street.

The Cheerful Idiot.

"Do you know," said the Cheerful Idiot "that it is the easiest thing in the world to tell whether a man is going out on a journey or returning by the way he carries his valise?"

"I never thought of that," said the youngest boarder. "What is the difference?"

The Cheerful Idiot settled himself a little firmer in his chair and gloated a moment before answering.

"It is just this way," he went on. "When a man is going away he carries his valise toward the railroad station, and when he is coming back he carries it in the other direction."—Indianapolis Journal.

A Mean Trick.

Patrick was one of those witty sons of the Celtic isle whose amusing sayings had entertained many transatlantic travelers.

One day, when the steamer was about leaving port, Patrick received the order to haul in a long cable that dragged astern. Patrick jumped to the task cheerfully enough, and hauled away contentedly. But the excessive length of the cable taxed his patience.

"I wonder what's become of the end of this ould cable, anyhow?" And finally, growing more impatient, he growled out: "Faith, it's no use hauling away at the baste uv a cable. Some divil's cut the end off uv it."—Harper's Magazine.

SOME OF THESE DAYS.

Some of these days all the skies will be brighter,
Some of these days all the burdens be lighter,
Hearts will be happier, souls will be whiter,
Some of these days.

Some of these days, in the deserts upspringing,
Fountains shall flash while the joybells are ringing,
And the world, with its sweetest of birds, shall go singing,
Some of these days.

Some of these days! Let us bear with our sorrow,
Faith in the future—its light we may borrow,
There will be joy in the golden to-morrow—
Some of these days.

—Frank L. Stanton.

A Late Spring

Does not prevent us from displaying new and pretty designs in Spring Suitings. We are receiving new goods daily and the prices we have put on them will prove that we are the leaders of bargains. These are not CHEAP GOODS, but good goods at cheap prices.

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worth	worth	worth	worth
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We will take your order for a silk dress, skirt or waist and guarantee a fit.

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Silk waists $3 49, sold elsewhere for $4 50
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These goods we have in all shades and sizes.

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For one week only we will sell unbleached muslin 36 in. wide for 4½c.

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Any article on our 10c counter for 7c for one week only. On this counter you will find articles that are useful in your kitchen.

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113 WEST FRONT STREET.

Executor's Sale.

The real estate and personal property of the late Mary E. Moore, located corner Chatham and Warren streets, North Plainfield, will be sold at public auction to the highest bidder, on the premises, on Thursday, Feb. 21, 1895, at 2 p. m.

WM. H. COMBS,
Executor.
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2½ yards wide	16c yd

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Van Emburgh,

Corner Store, Babcock Building.

Fanwood Township

ORDINANCE.

Whereas two-thirds of the owners of real estate on streets known as Forest avenue, Forest Road, North First street and Clinton avenue have petitioned the Township Committee of Fanwood Township to change the names of these streets to Forest avenue for the whole length of the road or street, from the intersection of said Clinton avenue with Mountain avenue, to the intersection of said Forest Road with North avenue, the same being a continuous street or road from the points named and being greatly to the advantage of the said petitioners:

It is hereby ordained by the Township Committee of Fanwood Township, that the street or road known by the names mentioned, Forest Road, Forest avenue, North First street and Clinton avenue be and are hereby changed and are to be hereafter known as Forest avenue from the intersection of the same with Mountain avenue to its intersection with North avenue.

EDWARD L. HAND,
Township Clerk.

Dated February 11, 1895. 2 15 5

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Valentines!

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CHAPTER IV.

Angela led the way along the passage and down the steep, narrow kitchen stair.

Already a considerable number of the revellers were refreshing themselves at the well-supplied buffet in the kitchen, and a little further on a successfully-imitated cavern's mouth yawned, showing a dim interior and a solemn, gray-bearded necromancer studying a huge volume.

"I am half afraid of him," exclaimed Angela.

"So am I!" said Forrester. "Are two cowards equal to one 'brave?'"

"No; I am sure they cannot be."

Here they entered the cavern, and the sage closed his book.

"Ask him," whispered Angela, giving him a little push.

"Let down the curtains, young man," said the graybeard, in a deep voice, "if you do not wish the secrets of your future to be heard by all!"

As Forrester obeyed the sage turned up a gas jet close to him, and let a strong light fall on his visitors, which the curtain, drawn across the entrance, hid from outsiders.

"You seek to know what coming years hide in their depths?"

"We do!" returned Forrester, with becoming solemnity.

"How will you have it?" asked the sage as if he were a bank clerk cashing a check. "By the hand or cards, or the magic crystal."

"By the hand," returned Angela, drawing off her right glove.

"I need both hands," said the old man, and proceeded to bend back the pretty white fingers of first one hand then the other, peering through his huge spectacles at the palm, muttering to himself.

"You have a project in your mind," he said aloud; "it engrosses you. Ha, it will not succeed! nevertheless, you'll have a fortunate life. It is not defeat so much as change, change of views, wishes, circumstances—you are much beloved, you have had a peaceful monotonous life—greater brilliancy awaits you, *but* there will be a moment of doubt—of danger—of—" he paused. "Here you must cross the seer's hand with silver, funds appropriated to charitable purposes," he continued in a totally changed voice.

"By all means," cried Forrester, putting a shilling into his outstretched hand. "I quite understand that a silver salve must clear the sight."

"You're right," returned the sage dryly.

"Pray continue your revelations, this lady is trembling for your words," said Forrester.

"Well then, a critical moment will come, when much will depend on your having the courage of your opinions, stick to your own ideas—and—and secure happiness."

"Now, sir," he continued. "How will you have it?"

"Cards! They have generally been on my side," said Forrester.

The seer rummaged in quite a mundane fashion in a drawer and produced a pack, or part of one, which he shuffled, and desired the inquirer to cut nine times. Then he spread them out in the ordinary fashion, shaking his head as he did so.

"Do you object to this lady hearing my revelations?"

"By no means! Pray sit down, Miss Cavallo. You will be tired." And Forrester hunted round till he unearthed a three-legged stool.

"You are in the flush of success, young man!" began the prophet. "It will not last. A severe reverse awaits you. You have an enemy—a cruel enemy!"

"Pray give me his name and address, that I may administer a cup of cold poison to him," said Forrester, smiling.

"This flippancy ill becomes an inquirer," said the seer, with a frown. "A great and sudden change is coming—nay, is close at hand! Let me see. This is strange. You are absolutely in touch with your foe. Can it be that so fair and gentle a creature could work evil to anyone? But the cards cannot lie! Avoid your present companion; close your eyes; avert your head; shut your ears to her voice. There, I can say no more, save this: Hold fast to honor and probity, and peace will bless your latter days!" He gathered up the cards, and bent his head in token of dismissal.

"Good evening," said Forrester, and drawing back the curtain he offered his arm to Miss Cavallo. "By Jove, I have caught it!" he exclaimed as they went into the refreshment room. "I begin to think I am the pluckiest fellow going to trust myself with so dangerous an enemy. As you are strong I hope you will be merciful. Pray what desperate deed are you contemplating?"

"I hope you do not think me capable of making a bad return for your friendliness," she replied with some seriousness, while the color rose in her cheek.

"Our prophetic friend at the end of the passage would say that however virtuous our intentions we are compelled to carry out our destiny," and Forrester continued to chaff and laugh about his fear of so formidable a foe, feeling more strongly attracted than ever by the slight embarrassment with which his companion parried his remarks, for it seemed to render her more vulnerable than usual.

The pounding on the floor overhead and the sounds of dance music showed that a livelier style of diversion was proceeding up stairs. "Nothing short of three consecutive waltzes can assure me of my safety," said Forrester, taking her plate. "Have some more jelly or something and then let us join the revels above."

"I think two will be enough!" She was beginning, when Mrs. Bartlett sailed up majestically. "Are you going to dance, Angela?" she asked.

"Yes! We are just going to the salon!"

"Very well, there is more room just now. Most of the people are down here." With a smile and a nod, she walked away.

"Angela!" repeated Forrester. "What a charming name! I suppose I need not fear an angel!"

"Remember, it was an angel barred the path to Paradise!" she returned, smiling.

"Yes, but an angel with a flaming sword! and you are incapable of handling such a weapon! Come, let us waltz while there's breathing space."

Forrester was an excellent partner, and Angela found that she had never before enjoyed a dance so much. Certainly her experiences were few—some school fetes and a rare "*soiree dansante*" now and then at the house of some school friend. There was a degree of frank familiarity in Forrester's manner which in no way diminished its respectfulness, yet which put her at her ease and won a certain amount of confidence. In the hour or two which ensued Forrester suggested many sight-seeing plans, and secured more than one rendezvous, subject to the approval of Mrs. Bartlett.

"I NEED BOTH HANDS," SAID THE OLD MAN.

It was a fine, soft night when Forrester strolled into Maida Vale to look for a hansom. He felt in a blissful state of harmony with himself and the world in general. He was deeply smitten with the sweet, sedate Angela, and yielded to the delicious intoxicating passion unresistingly. There he was free to indulge his fancies; where could he find a more charming companion to share his fortune and do credit to his house? True he knew little of her surroundings or belongings, but such a girl could not have been brought up save by refined and respectable people. That was enough for him. What a delightful occupation to teach her to love him. And she would want some teaching, perhaps a good deal! Still love lay sleeping in her eyes, and what a charming companion she would be, no empty chatterbox; speaking only when she had something to say, and then with a certain freshness and originality; a steady observant little woman who would help to keep him straight, and he was perfectly free to make all these perfections his own or to try to win them. What a splendid thing life was, to be sure, when a fellow had money. How fervently he hoped that old Selwyn was comfortably in Heaven as a reward for his admirable conduct in dying intestate.

Forrester's intimacy with Angela went on at a rapidly increasing ratio after this evening. They met frequently with and without the presence of Mrs. Bartlett, and to his joy Angela seemed ready enough to trust herself with him unchaperoned. He gradually gathered the facts of her simple life. Her mother was English, her father Italian and a courier. She was an only child, and having a good voice it had been carefully cultivated at great cost, her father considering this outlay an investment. She was in London to seek an engagement for concert singing and appeared much cast down by the great difficulty of finding one. She spoke with warm gratitude and affection of her parents and the sacrifices they had made for her, and regretted her mother's absence occasioned by a bad attack of gout from which her father was suffering, which detained his wife in Paris.

It had been a lovely warm May day and Forrester had presented himself almost immediately after breakfast driving a high phaeton with a fine pair of horses—a new purchase—for, in spite of his friendly lawyer's warnings, he could not keep his hand out of his pocket.

"It is such a delightful morning," he exclaimed as soon as he had shaken hands with Angela, that it's a sin not to take advantage of it! So I want you and Mrs. Bartlett to come down with me to Hampton court. You will never find a better day for it. The palace is not open on Fridays. So we will not have the usual crowd."

"It would be charming," exclaimed Angela. "I will go and ask Mrs. Bartlett, but I am afraid she cannot come."

"But that need not prevent you going? You don't mind coming without her?"

"No—I don't suppose I need mind!" and she went away, returning with her good-natured hostess, who deeply regretted that an important engagement at home obliged her to refuse.

In another quarter of an hour Forrester had the joy of driving off tete-a-tete with the quiet little girl who had bewitched him.

What a delightful expedition it was. A day to be remembered, a memory to throw its refreshing light over the more prosaic life. They wandered through the beautiful gardens, through the courts and cloisters of the old palace, along the river under the shade of the trees in the park. Angela was immensely pleased and interested; rather to Forrester's surprise, she knew a good deal more of the history of the place than he did, and when he told her so, she only said that music and reading had been her only occupations. Then they had a dainty luncheon at the Grayhound and drove back to Alma terrace in the cool of the evening.

Mrs. Bartlett was out when they reached home, so Forrester desired his groom to take the phaeton and horses back to the stable and came indoors to make his adieux.

A letter lay on the drawing-room addressed to Miss Cavallo, which she opened at once. Forrester watched her as she read it and saw that the contents distressed her. She slowly replaced it in its envelope, and raising her eyes, which looked suspiciously moist, exclaimed: "It is a great disappointment!"

"What is?" he asked.

"I fancied I was nearly sure of an engagement to sing at the Crystal Palace concerts, and now I find that I have lost the chance! I did hope for some success, to repay my dear father for all the sacrifices he has made! He had set his heart on my coming out in London."

"Why take it to heart!" cried Forrester, profoundly touched by the depression of her tone, and the expressive gesture with which the hand holding her letter fell to her side. "You are a woman formed for the refinements, the shelter of home, rather than the ruggedness of public life. Put the whole thing out of your head. There must be many men who would be proud and happy to give themselves and all they have to your service."

Angela laughed, her eyes sparkling, though the tears still bedewed them. "I am afraid that is rather a wild flight of fancy," she said in an amused tone. "Men are not so ready to take unnecessary burdens on themselves, and they are right."

"I don't think so, if they are equal to it; at any rate I know one who would desire nothing better than to lift all care and trouble from you, and make your life one long holiday." Forrester had got the bit between his teeth, for his heart had been tugging at the reins all day, and he could keep silent no longer, and goaded by her look of half-frightened astonishment rushed on.

[TO BE CONTINUED.]

—The Stars and Stripes float over the Y. M. C. A. Building every fair day.

Unity Lodge, No. 102, K. of P., will confer the third rank on one candidate this evening.

—Hamburg string beans are sold at 10 cents a can by Neuman Bros., the Watchung avenue grocers.

—The display windows of Woolston & Buckle on North avenue are now tastefully decorated with gilt lettering.

—F. O. Smith has commenced excavation preparatory to erecting a dwelling-house on lower West Front street.

—Seaman Williams is engaged in constructing the chimney improvement for the furnace in Trinity Reformed Church.

—This morning painters commenced the work of revarnishing the extra opera chairs in the Y. M. C. A. Assembly Hall.

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WASHINGTON'S BIRTHDAY.

Appropriate Celebration by The Daily Press.

GEORGE Washington refused a crown and sceptre. Nevertheless he was Washington the First. "First in war, first in peace, and first in the hearts of his countrymen." Washington stands unique in American history and his memory is an inspiration to the loftiest patriotism and purity. The annual recurrence of his birthday and the observances with which it is attended have an educational effect not only on the youth but on the mature citizens of our land. The study of history is always interesting and instructive; investigations of the career and character of Washington are especially profitable. Such investigations have been pursued with zeal and intelligence by The Daily Press.

The result is a collection in this issue of six columns of Washingtonia which will be perused with interest by readers of every class. There are many instructive sidelights on the character of Washington, the man, and entertaining pictures of the time in which he lived. Perhaps most valuable of all is the Washington chronology, which records in succinct style the vicissitudes and achievements of his life, from the cradle to the grave. The page is finely illustrated.

Union's Senator's Bill Next Monday.

Senator Voorhees has once more amended his elective judiciary bill so as to make it very similar to its original form, and the Senate adopted the amendment. The grouping of counties together in order to allow more munificent salaries for the judges in the smaller courts, though objected to by those counties, has been decided by the leaders to be the best scheme, and the bill will be pushed on that basis. The bill now allows salaries of $7,500 for the judges in Essex and Hudson, $5 500 in Passaic, $5,000 in Camden, $4,500 in Mercer, $4 000 each in Monmouth, Union, Bergen, Burlington, Morris and Middlesex; Atlantic and Ocean are made into one district, and the judge's salary at $3,000; Gloucester and Salem, $4 000; Cumberland and Cape May, $4,000; Hunterdon and Somerset, $4,000; Sussex and Warren, $4,000.

This bill and the bill abolishing all fees and compensation now paid to the judges of the Orphans' Courts were made a special order for next Monday night.

Senator Ross of Cape May objected to the amendments, and said the board of freeholders of his county had voted that they would be willing to pay a salary of $1,500 in order to have a judge of their own.

Lost at Whist Also.

The Park Club played a good game at whist last night, but the Newark Whist Club played a better, and won by the following score:

PARK CLUB.		NEWARKS.	
McCutchen		Lewis	
Townsend	8	McKensie	7
Rogers		Reynolds	
Howell	12	Smith	7
Drayton		Williams	
Leonard	4	Strong	15
	24		29

To Elevate Athletics.

During the convention last week a State League of Y. M. C. A. Physical Directors was organized with the following officers:

President—Edward Smith, Newark.

Secretary—J. G. Bluck, Rahway.

Treasurer—D. A. MacPhie, Plainfield.

The officers also act as executive committee. An annual meet in which all association members can compete is planned for some convenient point in September. A meeting of the physical directors of all associations in the State will be held March 4 in Newark.

Arrangements Completed.

Two members were adopted into Iona Council, Degree of Pocohontas, last night. The report of the Entertainment Committee was made, which showed that arrangements were completed for their dance and reception next Thursday night. It was decided to permit members to attend free of admittance fee.

Against the Dollar Gas.

The Committee on Municipal Corporations will present three reports on the dollar-gas bill. Three members of the committee will sign an adverse report, one will sign a favorable report, and one will submit a report in favor of $1.50. These reports will be presented to the House today.

Four Big Successes.

Having the needed merit to more than make good all the advertising claimed for them, the following four remedies have reached a phenomenal sale. Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption, coughs and colds, each bottle guaranteed—Electric Bitters, the great remedy for liver, stomach and kidneys. Bucklen's Arnica Salve, the best in the world, and Dr. King's New Life Pills, which are a perfect pill. All these remedies are guaranteed to do just what is claimed for them and the dealer whose name is attached herewith will be glad to tell you more of them. Sold at L. W. Randolph's drug store.

THE SAUSAGE CASE.

Jacob Geigher Gets $200 for the Loss of Two Fingers in Endress's Market.

The suit of Jacob Geigher against Frederick Endress before Justice Newcorn yesterday afternoon for $200 damages for the loss of two fingers in a sausage cutting machine, resulted in a verdict by the jury for the plaintiff for the full amount.

From the evidence adduced during the trial it was shown that the plaintiff had been in this country only a short time and was unable to speak English. That he was unacquainted with the methods of running a sausage machine, which is somewhat of a dangerous machine to work about. He commenced work December 22 and the accident occurred January 3, confining him in the hospital till Feburary 3.

The circumstances which surrounded and caused the accident, proved that Endress had given him instructions as to the work that ultimately caused the loss of two fingers.

The jurors were as follows: William H Rogers, Charles Gleantzer, Walter Leland, Charles Rice, Charles Johnson, Daniel Schenck, John VanFleet, James Alpaugh, Edward Wolf, Daniel Taynor, John Ammon, William Pangborn.

The plaintiff was represented by Harry C. Runyon, and the defendant by George W. DeMeza.

"Why? Says Gladys."

"Why? Says Gladys" is the odd title of a novelette by the distinguished English author, David Christie Murray, that heads the collection of attractive productions in the March number of "Tales from Town Topics." It is a beautifully written story of love and matrimonial infelicity, presented in dialogue form, and the author treats his theme with such gayety and eloquence that one cannot fail to be interested and amused. Gladys is a lovely American girl who marries a Reformed English rake, and, as it turns out, the rake proves to be the steadfast and true element of the partnership, whereas Gladys, in an absurd spell of emotionalism, brings disaster into her home. Mr. Murray is at his best in recounting the misadventures of this strangely assorted pair, and produces a very good philosophical arguments on the matrimony question as well as a captivating piece of romantic literature. The volume containing the novelette is crowded as usual with the bright array of stories, sketches, poems and colloquies culled from the back pages of Town Topics. Town Topics Publishing Co., 208 Fifth avenue, New York city.

A LADY OF FASHION

is said to have a rope of diamonds—holes bored through them so that she can put 'em on a string like beads. This is a very poor way in which to treat gems. Yet purely from the romantic point of view,

"THE HOLLOW RUBY"

may possess brilliant and prismatic beauties such as are found in the story of that title which Julian Hawthorne has written and which is to be published in The Daily Press, beginning Saturday, Feb. 23.

It is, of course, a tale of Eastern life and is full of startling incident and humor. Hawthorne has surpassed himself in this novel story, and it has been fully and fittingly illustrated.

Like all the serials published in these columns, it is brand-new and copyrighted.

Splendid Body Development.

Since the gymnasium opened in the new Y. M. C. A. Building five weeks ago Physical Director MacPhie has examined 125 young men and 51 boys. Each examination takes twenty minutes. There is an average of 50 men on the floor every night in the early part of the week, and an average of 40 boys Tuesday afternoon and Saturday morning. As an example of the body development which the exercise affords is the case of a young man who has gained seven pounds with a month's training.

George Washington.

History informs us that you stood on that historical spot—Washington Rock—to witness the landing of the British troops off Staten Island. It would have been a surprise indeed to have informed you, as the ladies of Grace M. E. Church are now informing their many friends, that they purpose giving a tea Friday, Feb. 22, and would be pleased to have all their friends call and assist in adding another success to this already popular chapel. Tea will be served from 6 to 9.

—C. W. McCutchen leads the Third Street Mission tonight.

The experience of Geo. A. Apgar, of German Valley, N. J., is well worth remembering. He was troubled with chronic diarrhoea and doctored for five months and was treated by four different doctors without benefit. He then began using Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, of which one small bottle effected a complete cure. It is for sale at Reynolds's pharmacy, Park and North aves. T. S. Armstrong, manager

ELIZABETH VICTORIOUS.

Tied for First Place by Beating the Park Club Bowlers.

The Park Clubhouse alley was the scene last night of an interesting, although not a particularly close bowling game between the club team and the Elizabeths. It was full of interest because of its being the last of the regular series between these two clubs of the Amateur Bowling Association, but from start to finish the men from Elizabeth outplayed their opponents. The best feature of the game was Davis of Elizabeth scoring 224 on the last frame.

The club team were badly handicapped by Dr. Thiers smashing a finger between two balls in the early part of the game. By winning this game Elizabeth ties the Oritani Field Club of Hackensack for first place in the league games.

The score:

ELIZABETH.		PARK.	
Ellis	146	Lyman	139
Russ	145	Brooks	142
Davis	224	Hegeman	106
Bogert	124	Erickson	133
Kline	145	Randolph	128
Wells	190	VanBuren	164
Heilmer	141	Faber	137
Pope	163	Brown	149
Love	115	Thiers	154
Dimock	147	Matthews	169
	1570		1471

BY FRAMES.

Elizabeth. 154 301 491 661 828 984 1146 1310 1459 1570
Park..... 143 293 467 606 746 887 1065 1199 1318 1471

Scorers: For Park—Walter J. Murray; for Elizabeth—F. D. Morse.

Referees: For Park—Percy Sanford; for Elizabeth, J. VanSickle.

ROBINS AS SNOW BIRDS.

The Harbingers of Spring Winter North When They Are Well Fed There.

A number of robins remained all Winter in and about Percy Ohl's farm. Grain and bread crumbs are scattered about, and shooting is prohibited. Mr. Ohl says that while it is the nature of the robin to go South during the Winter it is not on account of their inability to stand the cold. When the thermometer was nine degrees below zero, these socalled harbingers of Spring were particularly merry, picking food thrown upon the snow.

At the Rancocas game preserve, which was the most extensive private enterprise of this kind in the country, and of which Mr. Ohl had the entire supervision, many other birds which usually leave us when the cold weather sets in, remained quite willingly as long as food was plenty and in sight.

A PLAINFIELD GENIUS.

VanEps an Adept at Making Intricate Mechanism.

J. VanEps of Park avenue is entertaining his customers and friends nowadays with a vocal variety entertainment, which is sent forth from an Edison phonograph, and the best part of it is that all is local talent. Every day someone who has a delectable piece of "show business" does the talk act into the phonograph funnel, with the result that is soon after repeated to admiring friends. Mr. VanEps has now in course of construction a phonograph, every piece of which is of his own making, and when finished will be fully as perfect as those manufactured by the Wizard himself.

Generous Mr. Marsh.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE DAILY PRESS:—I am not entitled to the credit which you gave me yesterday of securing the Schoonmaker Collection for the Public Library. The suit between Mr. Schoonmaker and the estate of Job Male and the Library was settled out of court. The credit for bringing about that friendly settlement belongs to Charles A. Reed, the heirs of Job Male and the Directors of the Public Library. What I subsequently did in frustrating the attempts of certain of the next of kin of the half-blood to prevent the collection from being turned over to the Library, was too small a service to obscure the real credit due to others. Very respectfully,

CRAIG A. MARSH.

Only a Few Days More.

It will be necessary for hackmen, draymen and peddlers to make application at the Monday night meeting of the Common Council for their annual permits, as the time limit for such applications expires March 1. There is still a number who have not complied with the law in this particular.

Up-to-Date Martin.

Machinists yesterday placed an electric motor in the bicycle repair shop of Frank L. C. Martin, which will be used to furnish the propelling power for the machinery. It will also be used to pump air into the pneumatic tires.

Mrs. Emily Thorne, who resides at Toledo, Washington, says she has never been able to procure any medicine for rheumatism that relieves the pain so quickly and effectually as Chamberlain's Pain Balm and that she has also used it for lame back with great success. For sale at Reynolds's pharmacy, Park and North aves. T. S. Armstrong, manager.

FELT MORE AT HOME.

A Small Attendance Gives Increased Profit at the Y. M. C. A. Meeting.

Last night was an "off night" at the Y M. C. A. meeting conducted by Frank B. Hoagland, the usual attendants going to the various prayer meetings in their respective churches. However, it was an "off night" only in numbers, for more interest, enthusiasm and profit were extracted than at any of the previous nights. There were just enough present to make all feel at home and free to speak at the impulse, and then it was that a number of experiences were related that set non-believers considering as to taking the first step quicker than visiting a dozen other meetings where long faces and solemn manner predominated. Somewhat out of the ordinary testimonials were related when two white-haired men arose and stated the number of years that they had been trying to live Christian lives—one for 60 years and the other 62 years. And they had found the last year easier than the first.

THREW UP THE JOB.

Plainfield Contractors Found East Orange Work Unprofitable.

[*From The Newark Advertiser.*]

McGuire & McKnight, a firm of contractors from Plainfield, notified the East Orange Township Committee last night that they had given up their contract for the construction of the South Arlington avenue storm-water drain. They claimed that the supervisor over the work had interfered with them in requiring a number of things done not called for in the plans and specifications.

A resolution was passed instructing the contractors to proceed with their work at once and saying that if they did not begin again within ten days the Township Committee would consider their contract forfeited. The clerk was then instructed to notify the American Surety Company that the Township Committee would proceed against them for the amount of their bond. Committeeman Lang stated that the contractors had removed all their material from the excavation on South Arlington avenue, and that the trench was unguarded. The Sewer Committee was authorized to take action to protect the property adjoining the drain.

HIGH SCHOOL NOTEBOOK.

There will be no school tomorrow and in consequence the Kappa Delta Phi and High School Lyceum will hold their next meeting a week from Friday.

The P. H. S. A. A. will hold a meeting next Wednesday afternoon, when the question of uniting with the schools in Plainfield to contest against the other schools of the State will be discussed.

Mr. Travell is reported to be slightly better.

Superintendent Maxson is in Trenton.

Somerset's Senator's Insurance Bill.

Opposition was developed in the Senate yesterday morning to Senator Thompson's bill permitting the information of insurance companies on the Lloyds system. The bill passed the Senate without much opposition on Tuesday, but Senator Kuhl moved a reconsideration yesterday for purposes of amendment. He said there was no security provided for the insured and no individual specified against whom process could be served. Irresponsible persons could form a company.

The motion to reconsider was defeated, but Senator Thompson finally consented to it and subsequently offered amendments allowing the Commissioner of Banking and Insurance to decide whether the company formed is a responsible one, and who is to be the person against whom process may be served.

A Law to Be Enforced.

The Firemen's Relief Association intend enforcing the law this year in reference to the two per cent. collection on premiums of local insurance agents, which are used for the relief of indigent firemen. Only two or three agents in Plainfield have failed to comply with this ordinance in years past.

Grace Church.

By special request Dr. Barrett will hold a service tonight at 8 as well as at 4 p. m. The subject for tonight will be the last days of our Lord's life here on the earth.

—All drugstores will close tomorrow from 1 to 6 p. m.

A Des Moines woman who has been troubled with frequent colds, concluded to try an old remedy in a new way, and accordingly took a tablespoonful (four times the usual dose) of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy just before going to bed. The next morning she found that her cold had almost entirely disappeared. During the day she took a few doses of the remedy (one teaspoonful at a time) and at night again took a tablespoonful before going to bed, and on the following morning awoke free from all symptoms of the cold. Since then she has, on several occasions, used this remedy in like manner with the same good results, and is much elated over her discovery of so quick a way of curing a cold. For sale at Reynolds's pharmacy, Park and North aves. T. S. Armstrong, manager.

THE OLD BUGBEAR.

Taxation Was a Tribulation to Our New Jersey Ancestors As Much as It Is to Their Descendants.

A portion of a copy of "The Political Intelligencer and New Jersey Advertizer" published in Elizabethtown February 8, 1786, was recently unearthed in this city.

From it The Press learns that the same amount of political trouble existed then, particularly with our New Jersey Legislature, as now.

An article condemning the taxation of land and predicting trusts, is worthy of consideration, and probably it is not too late to profit by its advice. While condemning the land taxes, it favors imposts on transportation companies, expresses, etc., and says:

"Can there be fairer or a more productive subject for taxation than stages, ferries and taverns, (those more particularly which are enroute of, and generally used by, foreigners and persons traveling through the State)? * * * * * These imposts apparently trifling as they are would produce a yearly revenue to the State that would be astonishing to all, and would at least diminish that ruinous and suicidal policy of any government in taxing the land and homes occupied by their owners. Rented lands and houses should be subject to taxation. Let also the produce of our lands, but a government should assist its people for its own protection in maintaining their homes. But what is the present conduct of the Legislature, if for the sake of seeking a particular specie of paper currency, or paying the interest upon the debts occurred by the war, new taxes are called, they lay them without hesitation upon the lands, and if the contingent expenses of the government increase, lands pay all. Lands are their ways and lands are their means, nor will they take the trouble of casting about for expedients to lighten the burden which is laid upon them.

"How long my countrymen will you sit by and tamely suffer these impositions? Measures like these if persisted in will bring on a commotion and hurry you into revolution. If the taxation of lands is so continued, who say in 150 years will be the possessors of these properties? It will, my countrymen, be either the Government itself or some wealthy foreign corporation, and our children's children instead of inheriting our farms, and working with an interest in the agricultural presents, will be but tenants or laborers; and if so impoverished and forced to work for a salary, what will become of our spirit of independence? This promotion and premium to combine, and foreign capital will follow the same course of events and our mercantile business will be likewise controlled by a monopoly, and make it impossible for a man of small means to do an independent business. If ambitious to be drygoods men or grocers, they can, but they must work for the combine, and be to them their slaves. * * * * The foundation of this prediction is based on the taxation of our homes, and while in favor of paying our just debts, by taxation if necessary, our home and farms, as the nation's safeguard both in time of war and peace should be exempt.

"It is no more outrageous of the pirates seizing upon your person and demanding a ransom for your release than the government leveling a tax upon your homes and selling them or putting you in jail if not paid. We know there are times when the payments of these taxes cannot be met, and for a government to demand the same or force its occupants to leave, to be made paupers, is, as I say, a suicidal policy."

An Entertaining Address.

In the lecture room of the First Presbyterian Church last night Adjutant Edith Marshall, who is the head of the auxiliary department of the Salvation Army, spoke to a good-sized audience on the rescue and slum work of the army. She is an entertaining talker and had an entertaining subject, so that all were well paid in attending the event.

Ensign McKensie, who is in charge of a corps on Fifth avenue in New York, also spoke of her work among the aristocracy.

At the close of the addresses a number of new members were secured for the auxiliary, which now brings the total Plainfield membership close to 100.

Crescent Club Membership Increased.

A meeting of the Board of Governors of the Crescent Bicycle Club was held last night, and the following members were elected: Patrick Kiely, Herbert Schutt, E. B. Mundy and Walter L. Price. Besides the transaction of some routine business, plans for the coming season were generally discussed.

They're Real Good Over the Brook.

Thus far this month not a single arrest has been made in the borough, the only inmates of the station house being an occasional itinerant. Chief Marshal Pangborn told a Press reporter that this was almost an unprecedented record.

—Two well-known commuters will speak at the young men's meeting conducted by F. B. Hoagland in the Y. M. C. A. Hall this evening at 8. The Park sisters, cornetists, will be present.

HUNTED WITH STEAM POWER.

Gas Got No More Game Than with Dog and Gun.

While his train for Philadelphia neared Pemberton, a few days ago, Engineer Charles Houston noticed a number of crows had settled on the rails, while on either side the snow was higher than the cab window of the engine, which is over 12 feet from the ground. In the cab was also the veteran conductor Billy Clark, who, like Charley, enjoys anything in the way of sport, and when it was noticed the crows had to raise 12 to 15 feet to get away from the approaching engine Charley let her go at a 60-mile an hour gait. This was decidedly too rapid a move for the crows, but to chase crows with a locomotive was at least a novelty, and to chase them through this cut for several hundred yards was quite exciting as the crows' only alternative was to go straight ahead. The engine passed through and under them, but none was killed, as those that were hit, owing to the momentum of the birds being in the same direction, were only knocked without injury to one side.

So these time-honored sportsmen got no more game hunting with steam power than they did last Fall with dog and gun. But 'twas lots o' fun.

On March 6 we shall begin publication of a detective story by Nym Crinkle, entitled

"EIGHT MINUTES TO THREE".

A. C. Wheeler, who uses this pseudonym, is one of the best known journalists in the United States. He has been for many years the dramatic critic of the New York World, and is today one of the most brilliant writers on the American press. It is to his inimitable sketches o New York life that the Sunday World owes a considerable part of its popularity. Mr. Wheeler has written many successful stories, of which the best known is perhaps "The Great Laran Rebellion".

"Eight Minutes of Three" is in every way a remarkable piece of fiction, and deserves to rank with some of the weird tales of Poe. It will run five days, and will be followed by a short story of New England life by Mary E. Wilkins.

This story, like all the Daily Press serials, is brand-new, and copyrighted to Daily Press use.

$200 From the Fair.

The supper and bazar in the Vincent Chapel was continued last evening, and proved more successful than the night before, though the attendance was not as large as deserved. An excellent musical programme was arranged, and thoroughly enjoyed by all those who were present. Conde's young men's orchestra started the evening's entertainment with several selections, rendered in the customary excellent manner. A vocal solo by Robert Douglass followed, after which William McKillop rendered a violin solo in a very artistic manner. He was accompanied by Walter Reynolds.

A vocal solo by William Holmes was the next number on the programme, and it was enjoyed as are all of Mr. Holmes's songs. Miss Lillian A. Force accompanied him.

Another selection was given by the orchestra, and Miss Force played a piano solo and responded to an encore.

A recitation by Miss Etta Raybert and another number by the orchestra ended the progrogramme.

The proceeds from the two nights is estimated at about $200. The exact figures will be announced later.

Mr. Titsworth to Move.

Alexander Titsworth will shortly remove his tobacco, candy and newspaper business from his present location on North avenue opposite the station, to the store property formerly occupied by Gilbride & Lodge, near Park avenue, on the same thoroughfare. He contemplates establishing a lunch-counter.

—The Daily Press will not be published Washington's Birthday.

—The Y. M. C. A. Building will be open all day tomorrow, and Mr. Hoagland and the Park sisters will be in the large hall in the evening as usual.

—The Junior Endeavorers of the Congregational Church will not hold their meeting on Friday as announced, as that is a holiday.

Marvelous Results.

From a letter written by Rev. J. Gunderman, of Dismondale, Mich., we are permitted to make this extract: 'I have no hesitation in recommending Dr. King's New Discovery, as the results were almost marvelous in the case of my wife. While I was pastor of the Baptist Church at Rives Junction she was brought down by pneumonia succeeding la grippe. Terrible paroxysms of coughing would last hours with little interruption and it seemed as if she could not survive them. A friend recommended Dr. King's New Discovery; it was quick in its work and highly satisfactory in results. Sold by L. W. Randolph druggist. Regular size 50c and $1; our price 45c and 90c

IN MEMORY OF THE DEAD

Lamenting Loved Ones Who Were Lost at Sea.

Beautiful Address at the Gloucester Memorial Meeting by the Rev. A. S. Gumbert, of Boston—Man's Obligation to His Fellow Man—The World in Sorrow—A Call for Aid.

Gloucester, Mass., Feb. 22.—The Rev. A. S. Gumbert in his speech at the Gloucester memorial meeting said in part:

To-day as we look over the broad expanse of the waters and strive to conjure up the sad scenes that call us together this evening, mingled with the mighty roar and music of the ocean's orchestration, we hear the sorrowing misere of the sailor's death song.

As the obligato in music is the one independent voice or sound we hear above all the others, so to-night we hear only the obligato of the fisherman's last despairing cry before he sank into that cemetery of the countless dead, the secrets of which will never be known until in the last great day the earth and the sea shall give up their dead.

No heavenly messenger has brought us their last message; the winds refuse to tell it, and the water keeps their secret; but we can guess it. We are men of like passions with those who have been lost. If we had been in their place we know what thoughts would have filled our minds, what prayers would have ascended to almighty God, for the loved ones that must suffer—for father, mother, sister, wife and children; and to-night we shall translate the dying fisherman's obligato as our obligation, an obligation which we assume in the name of Him who was and is the fisherman's friend, and who said: "Inasmuch as ye did it unto one of the least of these, ye did it unto me."

Crying for Loved Ones.

As we sit together for a little while, let me call your attention to these voices of the sea:

First—A voice of brotherhood. Who were these brave men who gave their lives while toiling for the necessities of life? They were your brothers and mine. Let no man call himself a Christian, aye, let no man call himself a man who, in this present obligation fails to recognize the application to himself of this principle of brotherhood.

All through your bereaved city there are mothers and wives and sweethearts and children who stretch out their arms over the sea in vain for their loved ones who will come back no more; and we must do all we can, in the name of God and man, to wipe away their tears, to sweeten their bitter cup, to ease their burdens and to comfort their troubled hearts; and as we give of our love and of our means to accomplish this, we also lift up our hearts in prayer that He shall help who in olden times stood in the bow of the Galilean fisher-boat and, stretching His hand over the troubled waters, spake those magic words of power: "Peace; be still! and a great calm followed," so that the troubled waters sank into rest and lay as calm and peaceful as a sleeping babe.

God's Sympathy.

Second—There is a voice of sympathy. True sympathy is Christ-like. If there was one trait of character that stood out more prominently than any other in the life of our blessed Lord, it was His wonderful sympathy.

There are scores of sorrowing ones in whose name we have gathered together to-night who will never greet their loved ones again until, by the love of God, they meet in that better land where there shall be no more sea; and some of them—God bless them!—will have a hard time of it between now and then. There will be heavy weather, darkening skies, head winds, merciless waves, and, with it all, tired bodies and weak hands. In God's name, in the name of our common humanity, let us put larger gifts into the treasury of the relief association than ever before. God pity any man who can find an excuse for not giving to the utmost of his ability in this present emergency.

Jesus as Captain.

Third—There is a voice of God. It is hard for us to believe that God was in the disasters which have brought bereavement to so many hearts, but that is only because our vision is so circumscribed. If there were no telescopes, we should say there were no stars save those which present themselves to human vision; if there were no microscopes we should say there is nothing in the flower save that which the naked eye can see. Yes, God was there, and He who holdeth the waters in the palm of His hand was not unmindful of what happened. Not a sparrow falleth to the ground without our Heavenly Father's notice, and the least of those who perished in the waters was of more importance than many sparrows.

I ask you to-night, will you take Jesus Christ on board as your captain? I cannot promise you that if you will do this there will be no storms, no trials, but I can promise you that if you will take Jesus Christ on board, he will bring you in safety through every storm into the haven of extreme rest.

Gerry's Whipping Post Bill

Albany, Feb. 21.—The senate judiciary committee will to-day report favorably Senator O'Connor's Gerry whipping post bill, amended so that corporal punishment may be inflicted on persons assaulting a female or child of either sex under the age of 16 years. Wife-beaters, whom Mr. Gerry was anxious to reach as well, are exempted from the provisions of the bill.

Employes Dissatisfied.

Providence, R. I., Feb. 21.—Thirty-five weavers in the employ of the Geneva Worsted company went out on strike yesterday against an order requiring them to run two fancy looms each at increased wages. The weavers objected to this plan for the reason that it would reduce the working force, and that the additional pay was not commensurate with the extra labor

GENTRY'S STATEMENT.

Had Been Drinking To Excess, Making Him a Total Wreck.

Philadelphia, Feb. 21.—Gentry in his statement regarding the murder of Miss Yorke says:

"I was insanely jealous. I had known Madge Drysdale since August, 1893. We became friendly and were engaged to be married, and she wore my ring on her finger. She also bought me a ring which she paid over $100 for. I was to have met her in New York on Sunday. Her letters had turned cold and I had wired her a number of times to let me know the cause of the sudden change, which was natural, my thinking as much of her as I did. Her telegram read: '12:03, I leave here at 10.' I had journeyed all night from Boston, and was very sleepy when I got to New York and did not get there until 12:43. I arrived there and did not see anything of her in the 12:43 boat. I couldn't do anything, was a complete wreck, and went to her father's house and asked if he had heard anything of her coming to him. He said no; I had better go down again; there were some more trains and I might meet her. I went down again, and not seeing her bought a round-trip ticket and took a train for Philadelphia. In the meantime I had been drinking on being disappointed. On arriving in Philadelphia I went to Irving house, and then to Miss Dietrich's, and heard she was next door. Went into Zeiss'; met Mr. Zeiss and asked where was Miss Yorke's room. I had a pistol in my pocket which I had borrowed from a man named Hackett in our company. I said in my mind I may have to shoot some Romeo in the foot. I fully expected to find a man in her room, a little blonde fellow.

"I went up stairs and walked into the room, and when I saw her, was very much delighted. I said: "Well darling, I have come.' I had lived on beef and clam broth for a week previous. I was completely upset. I said, 'Are you glad to see me?' She seemed to be awfully disappointed at my appearance. She said, 'Oh, why, what are you doing here?' I said, 'darling, won't you kiss me?' She said 'I will not' (as I remember). I said, 'You won't?' She replied 'No.' These seemed to be her last words, and the result followed. I was insanely jealous. I had no intention of shooting her when I left Boston. But I was so enraged, for I loved the woman."

COMMENT ON CHARITIES.

The Good Samaritan Should Give to the Poor Direct.

New York, Feb. 21.—"Charity Balls," now seem to be the order of the day. The sufferings of the poor in the dreadful storms that have swept so fiercely over the country, have been beyond the power of words to describe. Men, women and children, half-clad and hungry, have been frozen in schools. Ears, arms and feet, have been cut away by the stabbing cold, and the "charitable societies" have for the most part looked on and said, "How sad."

The failure of organized charity to deal with destitution has been complete. Yet great granite buildings well heated and imposingly furnished, have stood empty, while the homeless froze outside on the street in this "free country." It is a practicable impossibility to relieve distress through the medium of these organizations, since a deluge of red tape is necessary to pass the portals.

People who wish to give to the poor should give directly, not second hand, thus saving the ornamental "expenses" of "charitable" societies. Such societies seem to do but little good, besides eating up revenues that should go to the destitute people.

BEATEN INTO INSENSIBILITY.

Masked Burglars Attempt To Rob an Old Man.

Springfield, O., Feb. 21.—Last night about midnight two masked men visited the log house in which William Thomas lives alone, a few miles from this city. Thomas is old and eccentric and has lived in the house for the past forty years, though he has accumulated a fortune in that time.

Thomas screamed lustily for help when the burglars burst in upon him and he was beaten into insensibility with a stone. An old chest was broken into without finding any booty, and then the robbers became alarmed and fled. Thomas revived and again called for help. E. Paynter and Carp Titus went to his assistance.

SUING FOR BACK SALARY.

Reporters Employed on the Co-operative Plan.

Newark, N. J., Feb. 21.—J. J. Farrell has begun suit in the second district court to recover $42 back salary said to be due from Thomas E. Barr, proprietor of the defunct Newark Times.

When the paper was started a second time, after proving a failure as a morning sheet, the men were employed on the plan that they were to receive half of their salary in cash and the rest in stock. Farrell claims that he received half of his salary and half stock, but he now wants the money represented by the stock.

An Orator Dead.

Washington, Feb. 21.—Frederick Douglass, the colored orator, died here at 7 o'clock last night, in his 78th year. He has been for over fifty years in the foremost rank as an orator. He was born a slave, worked in after years at the ship-carpenters trade for the benefit of his owner. He escaped from slavery in 1835, entered upon a lecturing tour through Europe, which gave him a world-wide prominence.

What Will He Do with Her?

Southampton, Feb. 21. — Howard Gould will sail for America on the steamship New York next Saturday. The United Press correspondent made many inquiries here as to the report that the yacht Vigilant would be taken back to America at once, and was informed that no instructions whatever as to her future movements had been received.

Twenty-five Years for His Crime.

Boston, Feb. 21.—Yesterday in the superior court before Judge Lilley, a jury found John J. Mooney guilty of breaking and entering the store of Charles B. Hunting, on the night of Jan. 15, and also for being an habitual criminal. He will receive a mandatory sentence of twenty-five years in state prison.

WIRE MEN RESOLUTE

The Strike Extending in the Building Trades.

Six Thousand Men Stopped from Work by the Board of Walking Delegates To Aid the Electricians. Contractors To Employ Non-Union Men After Monday.

New York, Feb. 21.—Matters took on a lively aspect yesterday in connection with the strike of the Brotherhood of Electrical workers.

While the board of delegates were holding a prolonged and exciting session in 59th street the Electrical Contractors' association in 23d street were tuning things up for a lively tussle in the building trades.

First blood was drawn Tuesday evening by the contractors' rejection of Local No. 3's compromise allowing the eight-hour day to go into effect April 1.

Delegates Retaliate.

The board of delegates, who have shouldered the Electrical workers' trouble, came to time in the second round by calling out all the men employed on the Presbyterian building, at Fifth avenue and 20th street, and the Tract society's building, at Spruce and Nassau. This was done at 1 o'clock yesterday.

The telephone in the office of the Builders' club, where the contractors meet, brought news of this action to them while in session.

They had just figured up that the largest builders would loose about $2,500 by granting the men's demands, while the rest would lose a hundred or two dollars apiece by it when they heard of the two strikes being called.

In a twinkling they had another gun wheeled into position and fired off the following resolution:

Resolved, That the Brotherhood of Electrical workers be officially notified to-night that on and after Monday, Feb. 25, the members of this association will begin to fill places of the wire men now on strike failing to report for duty. That in addition to this notice the resolution shall be advertised in the press of this city.

Another Surprise.

The ink was scarcely dry before the board of walking delegates had planned another surprise by ordering a strike on two more large buildings—the American Surety, at Pine and Broadway, and St. Luke's hospital, 116th street and Western boulevard—to go into effect to-day.

Then the board of delegates felt that they were even and could indulge in a quiet smile at the action of the contractors.

These strikes include all the men in the building trades engaged on the buildings mentioned, and are ordered because of the action of the contractors in refusing the demand of the Electrical workers.

The leaders of the brotherhood men state that they have little to fear as to the outcome of the struggle.

On All Buildings.

In the last "misunderstanding" with the bosses they had not much support from the board of delegates, who have greatly increased in power of late, and will fight to the utmost for them, calling strikes on every building in town if it found necessary to do so.

There will be a special meeting of the board of delegates late this afternoon.

Nearly 6,000 strikers were last night added to the Electrical workers who quit Monday. They are members of the building trades unions, and they were ordered out in sympathy by the board of walking delegates at a meeting held at 139 East 59th street.

STOLE $10,000 IN GOLD BULLION.

A Trio Under Arrest, One of Whom Is a Dishonest Employe.

Newark, N. J., Feb. 21.—Three persons named John Schick, Faedel Bishop and Herman Crushager were arraigned in the police court here yesterday charged with stealing $178.35 worth of gold bullion from the Balbach Smelting & Refining works, but it is said that the thefts will amount to $10,000 in all. The men pleaded not guilty and were held for trial. Some months ago the men in charge at Balbach's began missing quantities of bullion and placed the matter in the hands of detectives. Suspicion pointed strongly to Bishop, who was employed in the works. After watching for some time the detectives discovered that Bishop secreted the gold and silver in his shoes and clothing. In this way, it is said, he got the stuff out of the works and turned it over to Schick and Crushager, who, the police declare, melted the stuff and sold it to various concerns. About $1,500 worth has been recovered.

Iron and Steel Industry.

New York, Feb. 21.—The Iron Age will say to-day: "In spite of the continued low price of iron and steel products, a more hopeful feeling is spreading among eastern manufacturers. This is due principally to the fact that costs have been steadily crowded down until now makers feel that they are partly safe in their own territory. This applies to pig iron as well as to steel. In the latter the basic open-hearth furnace has become the salvation of the eastern maker. Pig iron for this purpose is being delivered at a low price, while cheap melting scrap has been available in quantity in their territory. On the whole the market is steady."

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Ship Yards on the Mississippi Entitled to a Share of the Work—The Price of Armor Plate Considered. Will Cleveland Call an Extra Session—The Time Getting Short.

Washington, Feb. 21.—So far as the house is concerned, the navy will be further increased by the construction of three battle ships and nine torpedo boats. At the close of four days' deliberation on the bill making appropriations for the navy and naval establishment for the year ending June 30, 1896, the house passed the measure practically as it was reported by the committee after having refused by a vote of 199 to 67 to recommit the bill, upon motion by Mr. Sayers (dem., Tex.), with instructions to strike out the provision for the battle ships. An amendment offered by Mr. Sayers was agreed to providing that the secretary of the navy should not contract to pay a higher price for armor plate or gun steel than paid for the same articles by private parties or foreign governments. It was also provided on motion by Mr. Dolliver (rep., Ia.), that two of the nine torpedo boats should be constructed on the Mississippi river. Efforts by Mr. Cannon (rep., Ill.) to make the bill carry an appropriation of $20,000,000 or of $5,000,000 towards defraying the cost of the battle ships were unavailing. In this connection a letter was read from Secretary Herbert stating that if the construction of the battle ships was authorized in the pending bill here would be expended in the year ending June 30, 1896, on that account only $513,200.

Want Their Share.

When the item for the increase of the navy was reached Mr. Dolliver moved that two of the nine torpedo boats shall be constructed on the Mississippi river. He said that the ship yards of the Mississippi valley were able to do the work and were entitled to share in the profits of the shipbuilding industry. Responding to a suggestion by Mr. Sayers, Mr. Dolliver said the boats must be built at prices satisfactory to the secretary of the navy. The building of two or three naval ships on the Pacific coast had resulted in a great development of the ship building industry in that section of the country and if the encouragement he proposed, said Mr. Dolliver, were extended to the Mississippi valley the interest would be greatly stimulated there to the prosperity of the people thereof. The amendment was agreed to.

Mr. Sayers moved to strike out the authorization for the three battle ships On this motion, Mr. Money (dem., Miss.), referring to the statements made by Mr. Simpson (pop., Kan.) in his speech the other day, said Mr. Simpson was "literally gorged with misinformation." He said that no battle ships had been sunk at the battle of Yalu and Mr. Simpson denied having made that statement.

"Scamp or Scoundrel."

Mr. Henderson (rep., Ia.) said he wanted to protest against the sentiment expressed in some quarters regarding the American navy. "It would satisfy some people best," he said, "if every man in that branch of the service bore on his back a tag reading: 'This man is a scamp or a scoundrel.' The gentleman from Kansas (Mr. Simpson) says the republicans might naturally be expected to vote for the proposed increase of the navy, because they are in favor of a strong centralized government. I don't know whether the gentleman is on the verge of secession or not. He knows. But I want to say that I am for a strong centralized government of which each state and every citizen shall be a royal and interested party; a government that shall be able to protect every citizen from the outside to the centre, wherever he may be."

Tired of the Cry.

Mr. Sayers, in an earnest speech, said he was tired of hearing men denounced as unpatriotic because they would not agree to the proposed large expenditure. He denied that men were unpatriotic because they stood on the floor and said that the expenses of the government should be kept within its receipts in time of peace; because they refused to sanction contracts between the government and its citizens by which it was compelled to pay more than the same citizens contracted to furnish the same article for to foreign governments, (referring to the reported contract by which the Bethlehem Iron & Steel company was to furnish armor plate to the Russian government); and because they insisted that the congress which authorized great contracts should also appropriate money necessary to carry out those contracts.

A Provoking Discussion.

Senator Chandler (rep., N. H.) had well nigh a monopoly of the attention of the senate yesterday, in so far, at least, as political controversy was concerned. He made two speeches, one on the silver question and the other on the likelihood and desirability of an extra session in April or May next. In the first speech he took an advanced position in favor of bi-metallism, and stated his belief that the adoption of the single gold standard had helped to produce the financial troubles. The time was approaching, he said, when it would be necessary for the republican party to present some affirmative measures of bi-metallism; otherwise the American voters would decide between gold mono-metallism as the one alternative, and silver mono-metallism as the other.

Knights of Pythias Convene

Trenton, N. J., Feb. 21.—The twenty-eighth annual meeting of the New Jersey Grand lodge of the Knights of Pythias convened here yesterday and will remain in session until this afternoon. The attendance was good and Grand Chancellor George T. Cranmer presided. George E. Pierson, grand keeper of records and seals reported the total membership in this state to be 12,622. The total amount paid for relief during the year was $60,530.51. The total number of lodges in the state is 141.

THE MINERS AGAINST HIM.

Check Found for a Large Sum Indorsed by McBride.

Columbus, O., Feb. 21.—The charges of bribery made by Mark Wild, president of the Columbus Trades assembly and state organizer of the American Railway union against John McBride, president of the American Federation of Labor, were not satisfactorily disposed of by the recent miners convention which exonerated McBride, and now those who believed McBride guilty will take advantage of existing circumstances to sift the matter to the bottom. Already some very damaging evidence against McBride has developed and this investigation bodes no good for him.

Next Monday night Mr. Wild will tender his resignation as president of the local trades assembly pending a full investigation of the McBride charges, and a committee will be appointed to go to the bottom of the affair. As nearly all the unions connected with the trades assembly belong to national organizations affiliated with the American Federation of Labor great importance attaches to this investigation. It is of national importance in the labor world, and will settle the fate of either Wild or McBride.

At one of the banks of this city has been found a check for a large sum of money made by a prominent coal operator and indorsed by John McBride. It was paid about the time of the settlement of the miners big strike last summer and an effort is to be made to have McBride account for the money. That the Ohio miners believe McBride guilty and mean to stand by Wild is evidenced by the fact that the latter is daily receiving scores of letters from labor leaders throughout the country commending him for the stand he took in the McBride affair. He has been invited to visit the Hocking Valley and address the miners at New Straitsville, Nelsonville, Shawnee, Jacksonville and Trimble. The writers say that the alleged vindication of McBride by the convention has failed to vindicate him among the miners of the valley and they promise Mr. Wild an ovation if he accepts their invitation to address them.

IN A PECK OF TROUBLE.

Couple Arrested in Newark Charged with Many Crimes.

Newark, N. J., Feb. 21.—Mrs. Fannie Castle and Robert Morton, of New York, called yesterday at the Third precinct station house, where both told Lieutenant Prout of marital difficulties.

Mrs. Castle has been searching for her husband, Gabriel Castle, while Morton has been looking for his wife, who had with her his little son. He said he wanted the boy back, but cared little about his wife. His wife, it seems, left him four years ago, and soon after his home was entered during his absence and his son abducted. Mrs. Castle said that some years ago she had her husband arrested for non-support, in addition to which he was guilty of desertion. He could not get a bondsman as surety for alimony, so he was kept in jail for a time.

Finally his wife secured his release on his promise to provide for his family. For two weeks he kept his promise, and then deserted his family. Some time ago he came to this city. Mrs. Castle located him here, where he had been living with a woman whom Mrs. Castle learns was the missing Mrs. Morton, and located the woman's husband in New York. By agreement Morton and Mrs. Castle came here together yesterday. A complaint by Mrs. Castle against both her husband and Mrs. Morton was taken and a warrant issued. Two officers then went to the house in Ferry street and arrested Mrs. Morton. Castle was sick in bed. Mrs. Morton was brought to the station house and an officer remained to watch Castle. Mrs. Morton, it is alleged, is also wanted by a New York furniture firm, while the Fifth Avenue Stage company, as well as his wife, wants Castle. Mrs. Morton is reputed to be the mother of nine children, her son already mentioned, being with her. Castle has been employed here on the Bowery street trolley line. Mrs. Morton was held in $500 bail for examination Saturday. The New York police had been instructed to arrest her for kidnappng.

WANTED FOR EMBEZZLEMENT.

Lejeune Not a Successful Drummer. Thousands Missing.

Providence, R. I., Feb. 21.—The police are looking for Louis P. Lejeune for alleged embezzlement of several thousand dollars from the firm of Waldron, Wightman & Co. Lejeune for five years was employed by the firm but in June last was discharged. Since he has been acting as Chicago representative of several jewelry firms but as a drummer was not a success. When the yearly accounts were made up recently the alleged shortage was discovered. The whereabouts of the much-wanted man is not known.

All Coal Mines Busy.

Columbus, O., Feb. 22.—A special from Selinville, O., says that every coal mine in that important vicinity is in full operation for the first time in ten years. These mines have a capacity of more than a hundred cars per day and they furnish employment for about 600 men, most of whom were sorely in need of some means of earning a livelihood. Indications also point to an early resumption of work at the plant of the Selinville Furnace company, which has been idle for the last six months.

A High Toned Prisoner.

Chester, Pa., Feb. 21.—John F. Gilmore, the Williamsport bank clerk, who was arrested yesterday for forgery and attempts to fraud, was brought to this city and given a hearing on the charge of attempting to obtain money by false pretenses from the Delaware County Trust company. He was put under $1,000 bail and committed in default. Gilmore begged the officers to let him go to a hotel, as he did not want to sleep in a cell, but his pleadings were in vain.

They Advance the Price of Oil.

Columbus, O., Feb. 21.—The Buckeye Pipe Line company, the purchasing department of the Standard Oil company, advanced the price of oil at Lima, O., yesterday 2½ cents per barrel making the price for the North Lima product 62½ cents and South Lima 57½ cents per barrel. It is predicted that it will reach $1 by April 1.

WOMEN'S CONVENTION

What Modern Education Is Doing for Our Girls.

Still Great Need of Improvement. Good Women Said To Be the Salvation of the Human Race—Mrs. Gates Advocates Equal Suffrage and Equal Privileges to All.

Washington, Feb. 21.—One of Brigham Young's daughters, Mrs. Susa Young Gates, of Provo City, Utah, read a racy and highly suggestive paper on the question: "What is Modern Education Doing for American Girls?"

She said in part: Fifty, one hundred, yea one thousand years ago, no thought save that of dependence ever entered into the ideal life of woman. The clinging vine was the accepted standard of womanliness. The ideal of our girl to-day is the exact opposite. From utter dependence she has emerged to a too complete independence. Girl bachelors are as plentiful as male bachelors. The fin de siecle girl is loath to give up her cozy rooms in the luxurious flat, her tiny cottage home, shared no doubt by a companion of her own sex and of similar tastes, to take upon herself the heavy burdens of housework and home management.

Will Not Be Mothers.

She is positively determined that she will not allow herself to become the mother of children. The reproach of old-maidenhood has so far receded into the past, and the selfish serving of selfish wants has so far spread from masculinity to femininity, that the cities are even more crowded with young women from city and country who refuse to marry than they are with young men who share with them these egotistic views.

What is the effect physcally of modern education upon our girls? Who that meets the pink-cheeked lassie upon her wheel, that visits the popular gymnasium, that shares with our summer girl her climbs and mountain junketings; who that gazes upon the sparkling eyes and rosy lips of the country girl, or her prudent city cousin who has utilized all the modern health-promoting methods, will deny that physically our once thin, pale and delicate girl is improving?

American Girls Extinct.

There is still great need of improvement. The physical status of woman to-day is so low that motherhood is almost, if not quite, an impracticability. Witness the flat-chested and poorly developed maid, be she rich or poor, country born or city bred, who tread the halls of our eastern schools and colleges. The occasional well-developed and round-limbed girl is sure to be only one generation removed from her mother's European home, or she has been reared on a western farm and has not had higher educational advantages or disadvantages.

Physicians are not slow to assert that the American girl, as a species, is almost extinct. What are the causes? Some state that the older eastern families have intermarried so extensively as to produce sterility. Others affirm that selfish parents freely avail themselves of known mechanical methods of prevention; while still others say that at that critical period in a girls life when all the vitality of her body should be occupied in establishing her proper bodily functions, she is at school with her brain hot, her feet cold and every nerve and blood-drop a tingle to perform the heavy mental tasks assigned her. All three have doubtless had their deleterious effects, and all have combined to produce a condition appalling to the American citizen.

The Nation's Salvation.

There are always in every condition of life a majority of good women. This is the salvation of the human race. In the case of our nation, these good women are tottering upon the crumbling precipice of old creeds and secretly longing to affiliate themselves with the more plastic theories of the modern religious world. The girl of to-day is uncertain what she will be, what she wants to be spiritually. She is not at all uncertain about her determination to grasp every opportunity which comes near her for physical and mental independence, nor is she uncertain as to her willingness to accept the counsel of her senior and avoid all possibility of maternal worry and care; she is even mildly willing to remain single and free to pursue her own selfish course, for it is the spirit of the age.

Nothing but an overpowering impulse of the divine passion can influence her to marry, and even then she will so catechise herself and her lover that it requires all her own peculiar tact to make him or even herself forget that she is giving much to receive little.

Exchange Occupations.

Why should not such an institute be so arranged that the girls and the boys shall attend together? Will not as many boys turn out excellent milliners as there will be girls who can administer medicine or plan a house? Why must we go on thinking that it is all right for women to do men's work, but it will never do for men to choose the occupations now monopolized by women?

And as such a revolution is pending, I prophesy that there will be as many mild-mannered men who will cling lovingly for support to the future architect or cabinet maker as there are now depending upon the wife's washing or following woman lecturers from pillar to post.

Some noble hearted women are freely devoting life, time, money and influence to converting other women's sons and husbands to the necessity of equal suffrage and equal privileges for the sexes. I am practically educating my boys to understand and share in the problems and wearisome cares of the household. I am not afraid that in their manhood they will fail to insist upon my sharing with them the responsibilities and honors of town, state and nation.

Two Years for Criminal Assault.

Waterbury, Conn., Feb. 21.—John Baily was yesterday sentenced to two years in the penitentiary for attempted rape on an old colored woman.

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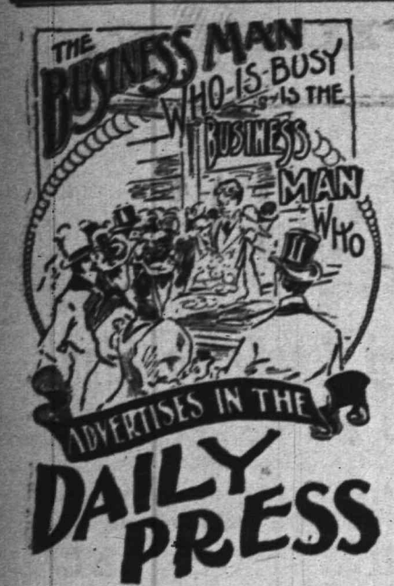

A Battle on the Border.

On Feb. 21, 1862, the Union and Confederate forces on the southwestern border met in combat at Valverde, N. M. The troops on both sides were chiefly local volunteers, although the Union ranks were led by regular officers, and many of the Confederate officers had served in the old army. The campaign opened with the advance of General Sibley up the Rio Grande from Texas with 2,000 men to seize or capture the Union posts on the river. He arrived opposite Fort Craig on the 21st. General E. S. R. Canby commanded at the fort. A part of the garrison, which numbered 4,000 men, crossed the river and drove the enemy from his chosen positions. At 3 o'clock the victory seemed to hang over the Union banners. In desperation Sibley sent two storming parties against the Union flanks. The stormers were on foot, armed with shotguns, squirrel rifles, revolvers and lances. On the Union right Hall's battery, supported by Kit Carson's Colorado volunteers and a battalion of regulars, drove back the stormers with fearful slaughter, but on the left there was another story to tell. Captain Alexander McRae's battery formed the chief element of strength on that flank. It was manned by regulars and defended until every horse and half the cannoneers had been shot down. Major S. A. Lockridge, an old army officer and former comrade of McRae's, led the charge. McRae stood by the last gun, surrounded by his fallen braves. Lockridge placed his palm upon the muzzle of the piece and demanded surrender. The two were not three feet apart. Looking each other in the face, both raised their revolvers and fired. Together they dropped dead in their tracks. The disaster to McRae turned the tide in favor of Sibley.

GEORGE L. KILMER.

"Must Be Fighting Done First."

Feb. 22 is the anniversary of Major Forsyth's gallant attempt to hold Ogdensburg (1813) against the British attacking the village in two columns, north and west. Forsyth defended the west approach on the point beyond the Oswegatchie. Behind an old mansion wall he formed his men, with a six pounder on the right and another in the center. The first volley, held until the enemy was close up, threw his line into confusion, and all the assailants ran out on the ice to escape the cannonade. In the village proper were three cannon at different points, manned by a few men. At daylight over 500 British marched in, overwhelming the first battery encountered before a shot was fired. At the next battery the elevating screw broke after a few shots, and the captain and his men crossed the river to join Forsyth. The third and last piece held out until overpowered, and the British column paraded on the ice in front of Forsyth. Summoned to surrender under pain of having his band put to the sword, the gallant American replied, "There must be more fighting done first." A few shots from the guns sent the enemy to cover among the houses. While marksmen kept up a fire on the American gunners the main body of British advanced over the ice to storm the position. The gun captains had both been shot down, besides some 20 men, and with the odds of eight to one against him Forsyth sounded retreat, declaring that if 300 soldiers would rally to his flag the lost ground should be retaken and more with it, or he would die in the attempt.

GEORGE L. KILMER.

Getting Ready for Spring Sport.

Charles Noble was elected treasurer of the Plainfield High School Athletic Association yesterday, and was ordered to assess each member.

—The third rank was conferred on one candidate by Unity Lodge, K. of P., last night.

—Do you want a room papered free? Then consult the advertisement of E. E. Marshall & Co., 167 North avenue, and they will do just as they promise.

O. W. O. Hardman, sheriff of Tyler Co., W. Va., appreciates a good thing and does not hesitate to say so. He was almost prostrated with a cold when he procured a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. He says: "It gave me prompt relief. I find it to be an invaluable remedy for coughs and colds." For sale at Reynolds's pharmacy, Park and North aves. T. S. Armstrong, manager.

FOUND A BABY'S BODY.

Dogs Dug It Out of a Panwood Swamp.

Mrs. Ernest L. Kieb yesterday saw dogs busy over a strange object in the swamp back of her house, and investigating found their prey was a baby's body.

The body was not decomposed, but the dogs had torn it considerably.

Dr. Westcott was notified, and an investigation is in progress.

EARLY INTELLIGENCE.

—The local banks will abolish days of grace under the new law after July 4.

—75 inclined seats have been placed in the balcony of the Casino for tonight.

—Monte Scott has been suspended by the L. A. W. for two months, from Feb. 16.

—The first masquerade ball of the Aetna Social Club takes place in Central Hall tonight.

—A countryman's buggy ran into a Somerset street trolley car today and wrecked its top.

—Italians were engaged this morning in repairing a break in the water mains on Liberty street.

—In Justice Nash's court summons has been issued in the case of Vail against McInnis, landlord and tenant, returnable Feb. 27, at 2.

—Don't be frightened if you see a big crowd at Peck's; that French hair cloth has arrived, also his customers who have been waiting for it.

—The Dunellen Gun Club hold their last shoot on the present grounds Feb. 22, as the grounds are too close to the town. They now have superior grounds more secluded.

—The Sunshine Mission Band of the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian Church will hold a sale of homemade cake and candy in the church parlors Saturday afternoon from 2 to 6.

—The anniversary services of Grace M. E. Church and Sunday-school will be held on Sunday night. Rev. Dr. A. H. Lewis will deliver the address. Special musical service. Services to begin at 7:45 p. m.

—The Queen City Double Quartette, Messrs. E. E. Vail, J. G. Coes, H. R. Roberts, C. H. Farlee, H. L. Spencer, C. A. Hudnutt, J. C. Martin and C. J. Ackerman, Jr.; Dr. Bedford, John Carney, Mr. Bullock, and Eli Odam, gave a rare good programme at the Paugh-Caugh-Naugh-Sinque smoker last night.

Detective Corea has resigned from the force of the Jersey Central to enter the New York street-cleaning department. He received a highly flattering letter from Chief Detective J. K. Large regretting his departure and assuring him of a place at any time.

A False Diagnosis.

La grippe is confounded by many persons with a severe attack of catarrh, which in some respects resembles the former. These individuals suffer severely with pain about the forehead, eyes and ears, with soreness in throat and stoppage of the nasal passages and in fact, are incapacitated for work of any kind for days at a time. These are catarrhal sufferers. Ely's Cream Balm has been used with the best results in such cases. The remedy will give instant relief.

A Timid Merchant Marine.

Is the American merchant flag being swept from the seas by the British lion? During the year 1894 not a bushel of grain was carried across the Atlantic in a steamer or sailing vessel under the United States flag. Of the millions of bushels of cereals grown in the United States, but 600 bushels of peas were exported last year under the American flag, and even that consignment was carried in an English built steamer which had been granted an American register—the American liner New York. That particular shipment of 600 bushels comprised the small surplus which could not be stowed away in the already overstocked hold of an English craft. The American ship took the leavings.

Tomfool Legislation.

Of course, if the high hat is to be legislated out of the theater, the big sleeves should be treated in a similar manner. And then musk as a perfume, and so on, until every prospect pleases and only man is vile. Of all tomfool legislation this is the Tommiest and the Foolest.—Rochester Democrat.

Fogg—Since Tom has married that rich Miss Munniworth he leads a regular dog's life.

Figg—It's always the way.

Fogg—Yes, he does nothing but sleep and eat.—Boston Transcript.

Our Cook Book

contains 400 select recipes, viz.:

Soups,	14 receipts.
Oysters and Fish,	14 "
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Cleveland's Baking Powder

"Pure and Sure."

Cake,	60 receipts.
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Children Shrink

from taking medicine. They don't like its taste. But they are eager to take what they like—Scott's Emulsion, for instance. Children almost always like Scott's Emulsion.

And it does them good.

Scott's Emulsion is the easiest, most palatable form of Cod-liver Oil, with the Hypophosphites of Lime and Soda added to nourish the bones and tone up the nervous system. The way children gain flesh and strength on Scott's Emulsion is surprising even to physicians.

All delicate children need it.

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Scott & Bowne, N. Y. All Druggists. 50c. and $1.

DEATHS.

SEADER—In North Plainfield, Feb. 20, 1895, Elizabeth M. Seader, wife of Peter Seader, aged 28 years 2 months and 27 days.

Funeral services Saturday, Feb. 23, at 1 p. m. from the residence of her father, John Emmons, 134 Rockview avenue, and 2 o'clock from Warren Chapel.

Friends and relatives are invited to attend. Interment in North Plainfield.

WANTS AND OFFERS.

Advertisements under this heading, 1 ct. a word, each insertion. (Less than ten words, 10 cents.) Cash must accompany ads.

LOANS NEGOTIATED. J. T. Vail, broker. 2 21 tf

MONEY to loan. Mulford, broker. 2 1 tf

TABLE boarders wanted in private family. Apply 303 West Fourth st 2 7 tf

I HAVE 25 houses and lots and 100 building lots for sale cheap on the instalment plan. Charles H. Hand, 317 Watchung ave. 2 20 5

WANTED—A colored girl as chamber-maid and waitress. 216 West 8th street. 2 21 2

FOR SALE—$4,250; easy terms; an attractive home, well built and in perfect condition; No. 123 Plainfield ave., near Front st; all improvements, including city water and electric lights; ten rooms and laundry. Inquire 129 Plainfield avenue. 2 21 3

TO LET—10 room house cheap; or will sell low on very easy terms. C. B Cliffton, Park ave., opp. North.

TO LET—One of the best flats in Cliff ton block; steam heat and all improvements. C. B. Cliffton, Park avenue, opp. North.

YOUNG colored girl wants situation to assist with housework. 212 East 4th street.

YOUNG woman offers her services as companion and reader to elderly lady or invalid; if preferred, would occupy only a few hours each day. Address M. L., care Press. 2 21 tf

TO LET—An 8 room house, 530 East 2d street; large lot; well set in fruit trees and berries; rent $15 Apply on premises or address H. C. C., care Press 2 21 3

WANTED—Girl for general housework; small family; reference required. Call 41 Willow ave.

FLATS to let in Manning's block, West Front st. 2 20 6

LOST—Pair of gold link cuff buttons, in Vincent Chapel last night. Return to this office. 2 20 2

FOR SALE or to let, new house on Stone street; house contains 7 rooms. Apply 196 Somerset st. 2 19 3

STORE to let, No. 325 Watchung ave; rent $25 per month. Charles H Hand. 2 20 5

BOARD wanted for middle aged lady in small family; house with furnance heat and conveniences; location east of Park avenue near Front st. preferred; state terms, etc. O. G., care Press. 2 20 2

SIX-room flat to let; city water; first floor; $10. Charles H. Hand. 2 20 5

SIX room flat to let, April 1; all improvements. Inquire 200 West 2d street. 2 20 2

5-ROOM flat to let from April 1; city water; in new building; rent $12 50 per month. Charles H. Hand. 2 20 5

FOR SALE or to let, a house and barn with about one acre of ground, situated on Grove street, Dunellen, adjoining residence of O. Schepflin; house contains 11 rooms and attic and all modern improvements, including gas. Address or call on Eugene Runyon, Dunellen, N. J. 1 29 4 oaw

STABLE to let, room for 3 horses and 3 wagons; $8 per month. Charles H. Hand. 2 20 5

EXPERIENCED woman would like position as seamstress or nurse by day or week. Apply 140 North ave. 2 19 3

WANTED—By an English person, a situation as working housekeeper. Please address Priscilla Negus, Bound Brook. 2 19 6

7-ROOM house and stable for sale or to let; 69 Manning avenue; rent $17 per month. Charles H. Hand. 2 20 5

WANTED—House for small family; possession April 1; reasonable rent. Address, stating terms and where located, "House," care Press. 2 11 tf

YOUNG woman wants office work. Address Capable, care Press. 2 4 tf

OFFICES and flats to rent in Babcock Building. Inquire of J. A. Hubbard or W. M. Stillman. 1 30 tf

CASH buyer can get first-class upright piano at bargain Address Starr, care Press. 2 2 tf

3 7-ROOM houses for sale or to let; E. 5th st., near Berckman; rent $15 per month. Charles H. Hand. 2 20 5

Central Employment Office

218 Liberty st. Gibson & Cable, agents.

All kind of help furnished on short notice. We have first-class help always on hand or can be had on 2 days notice. Satisfaction guaranteed. 1 19 2m

REMOVAL.

Dr. Lighthill begs leave to give notice that he has removed to

NO. 132 CRESCENT AVE.

(a few doors from his former location) where he can be consulted on all chronic diseases of whatever name and nature.

Dr. Lighthill refers with pardonable pride to the success of his practice in Plainfield and submits below a few of the many testimonials which he has received from grateful patients. A mass of similar ones can be seen at his office.

AN ALMOST MIRACULOUS CURE.

The Statement of Mr. Edward Teel, Jr., of Dunellen, N. J.

TO THE PUBLIC:

From a sense of duty I desire to call public attention to the almost miraculous cure which Dr. Lighthill effected in the case of my wife. For eleven years she had been afflicted with piles of an unusual severe and distressing character. She suffered every day of her life the most intense pain, attended with frequent and profuse hemorrhage. This state of things debilitated her entire system until she became a perfect wreck of her former self.

We made every effort to obtain a cure but they all resulted in bitter disappointment, although a number of physicians of excellent reputations for skill in that direction had treated her case. She grew worse and worse all the time, the pain became perfectly unbearable and I felt she could not bear the strain of her condition much longer. In this extremity, a friend of mine, Mr. W. E. Dilts, a resident of Roselle, N. J., a passenger conductor on the New Jersey Central told me that he had been similarly affected, and had been permanently cured by Dr. Lighthill, after other medical skill had failed. He assured me that the doctor would cure my wife, no matter how severe her case may be, and his prediction proved perfectly correct. In spite of her desperate condition, Dr. Lighthill, I am glad to say, has effected a complete and perfect cure in her case, and has given her new life.

Since the cure has been effected she has gained in health and strength and is so improved in appearance that her friends scarcely recognize her. They all consider her cure as almost miraculous, and Dr. Lighthill's praise is heard on every side. Our gratitude to Dr. Lighthill is unbounded and we only hope that other sufferers may be benefited by this publication.

EDWARD TEEL, JR.

A Flattering Testimonial from Colonel John Dietrich, One of Plainfield's Oldest and Best Known Residents.

16 ARLINGTON PLACE,
Plainfield, N. J., July 17, 1894.

I am profoundly grateful to Dr. Lighthill for his speedy and radical cure of a most painful malady of over ten years standing with which I was afflicted.

I deem it proper to say to all afflicted to place themselves under the care of this skilful physician and be permanently cured.

I will cheerfully impart any information I possess when called upon.

JOHN DIETRICH.

Mr. Thomas Callahan of No. 214 Richmond street Cured of a Very Distressing Trouble by Dr. Lighthill.

PLAINFIELD, N. J., June 1, 1894.

TO THE PUBLIC:

For some time past I have been greatly distressed with noises in the head. They were all over my head and troubled me constantly; they were loudest at night when everything was quiet and at such times would often keep me from sleep and disturb my rest. In fact they got to be so bad and distressing that they affected my whole nervous system as well as my health. I did not obtain the least relief until I placed myself under the care of Dr. Lighthill, of No. 132 Crescent avenue, who effected a complete cure in my case in a short time and made me a very happy man.

THOMAS CALLAHAN,
214 Richmond street.

A Card From Mr. T. R VanZandt,

of Nos. 304 and 306 Park ave.,

Plainfield, N. J

I certify with pleasure that Dr. Lighthill has effectually cured me of a most painful case of piles. For some time past I had been subject to its attacks, but the last attack was so exceedingly painful that it completely upset my whole system. The pain extended to my legs and in many other directions, and made me so nervous that I could neither sleep, sit down, lie down or move about without serious discomfort and distress. Such was my condition when I applied to Dr. Lighthill for relief, and I am glad to say that as soon as he took hold of my case, I began to improve, and in a short time found myself completely cured. Dr. Lighthill has also effected a radical and permanent cure in a most terrible case of piles on my cousin, Mr. J. V. E. Griggs, of Rocky Hill, N. J., whose flattering testimonial is in Dr. Lighthill's possession.

T. R. VAN ZANDT,
304 and 306 Park avenue.

Dr. Lighthill

can be consulted daily (except Thursdays) on all CHRONIC, OBSTINATE AND COMPLICATED diseases of the human system of whatever name and nature, at his office and residence,

No. 132 Crescent Avenue.

Plainfield, N. J.

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You will find 200 yards of the finest French Hair Cloth black gray and white waiting for you.

For Masquerade Costumes,

we have

Masks in Great Variety and Bells and Spangles.

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Will close the balance of $12 suits for $8.

$15 suits for $10.

$12 ulsters for $8.50.

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Children's overcoats and school suits at cost.

Park Avenue, Packer's Block,

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Hallet & Davis Piano Co.,

Established nearly 60 years.

We sell only high-grade instruments and at as low prices as are charged by many dealers for comparatively worthless ones. Cash or installments.

Warerooms—Babcock Building, Plainfield, N. J. H. C. HADLEY, Manager.

Tuning a Specialty.

Call and secure a copy of the Monthly Musical Guest. 1 23 tf

Commercial Palace, EDSALL'S Babcock Building,

Our Grocery Depatment

is a grand success and grows in popularity every day. This is sample of what customers say: Mrs. Blank who has been in the habit of buying her groceries at a New York department store, said after looking through our department that our prices are lower than she paid there, and in future she will buy of us.

This is only one of many similar cases. Our low prices and fine quality of goods draw the trade. Dollars and cents saved to the buyer means business for the merchant.

Grocery Department

Prices lowest, quality best. Money cheerfully refunded on all goods not satisfactory.

75 CASES MORE CANNED GOODS JUST RECEIVED.

At 6c Can { 25 cases string beans, tender at.....6c / 25 cases sweet corn .....6c } At 6c Can

At 10c Bottle { 50 dozen Durkee's famous Challenge Sauce. This sauce is first class and just as good as the imported, both in flavor and quality; regular price 19, special at 10c bottle. Not more than 6 bottles to each customer. } At 10c Bottle

Chicken Soup special 19c reg. price 34c. { 10 doz. cans of Curtice Bros. White Label Chicken Soup, warranted fresh and pure. Money refunded if not satisfactory. } Chicken Soup special 19c reg. price 34c

Babbitt's best laundry soap 6 cakes for 24c

2½ pound bag finest table salt at 3c bag

Very fine evaporated apricots at 14c pound

Holmes & Coutt's famous banquet wafers at 19c box

" " " afternoon tea wafers at 21c box

Extra quality Bahama pineapple free from cores, reg. price 30c, special 19c can; very good quality mixed tea reg. price 39c, special 24c pound, or 5 pound for $1.00.

New Spring Dress Goods.

Something new and stylish in all-wool effects at 39c; regular 50c goods.

New silk and wool effects at 50c, 65c, 75c and $1.00. Very choice and exceedingly cheap.

New wash silks at 35c; advertised in New York worth 50c.

EDSALL'S

CORK FILLED

During this month we will offer all of our Burt & Packard

Double Sole Cork Filled Men's

$5 Shoes for $3.98 per Pair.

Just the shoe for you to wear without rubbers up to the first of May. Sizes 5 to 11; widths B to E; styles, narrow, round and Common Sense toes.

☞ See our window Saturday for specials.

DOANE & EDSALL.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

Charles Noble of East Fifth street is a victim of the grip.

Arthur W. Vail of Franklin place is suffering from the grip.

Dr. Chas. B. Thiers is now settled in his new office on Grove street.

Harry Finney, an expert Press carrier, is confined to the house by illness.

Frank Connors, one of the faithful Press carriers, is laid up with grip.

Miss Mary Luckey of East Fifth street is confined to her house with a severe cold.

Mrs. Henry A. McGee of Orchard place will give a tea Saturday, Feb. 24, from 4 to 7.

Fred G. Smith is confined to his home on Central avenue with a severe attack of the grip.

Mr. and Mrs. Adams won first prizes at whist at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ladd last night.

Miss Veronie Rickert of Somerset street left yesterday for a week with relatives in Brooklyn.

Mrs. J. O. Campbell of Netherwood avenue is seriously ill at her home with pneumonia.

Mrs. Warren Marsh of Franklin place is able to be out again after a severe attack of the grip.

Miss Maggie Swain of Craig place is visiting her uncle, Rev. Andrew Hagaman, in Belleville.

Dr. O. L. Jenkins, attending physician on Mrs. S. R. Hope, reports her symptoms more favorable.

Wm. Debele has leased the house of Thomas J. Young on Somerset street, and will move there March 1.

Mrs. Hiram Woodland, who has been visiting friends in Brooklyn, has returned to her home on Duer street.

Jacob Benner and Alonzo Ayres, members of Engine Company No. 2, are confined to their homes by illness.

A number of Plainfielders intend to visit New Brunswick this evening for the purpose of attending a masquerade ball.

Mrs. C. E. Rider of East Front street left yesterday for Buffalo, where she expects to remain until the middle of April.

William Blimm of Somerset street is not ill as stated in the columns of another paper, but is attending to his business as usual.

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Patterson leave tomorrow for Hot Springs, N. C. Their stopping place will be the Mountain Park Hotel.

Mrs. Kate Young of Orange returned home yesterday after visiting her cousin, Miss Mary L. VanEps of East Fifth street.

Rev. Franklin G. Warnick, formerly pastor of Mt. Olive Church, Plainfield, is now in Youngstown, Ohio, preaching and editing.

Thomas J. Young of Somerset street will move his family March 1 to Brooklyn, where Mr. Young has accepted a lucrative position.

Miss Adrienne Allieson who has been visiting her sister Mrs. August Trust of Somerset street has returned to her home in Brooklyn.

Gustave A. Sutterlin, son of G. Sutterline of Greenbrook road, who has been confined to his home with the grip, is now convalescent.

George P. Mellick of LaGrande avenue, on his way to the station this morning, slipped and fell, severely injuring himself. Friends assisted him home.

L. B. Blackford, I. U. Wyckoff and Bateman Thatcher are in Trenton in attendance at the State Lodge, K. of P. Mr. Blackford is a member of the State Printing Committee.

A. T. Hinrichs of LaGrande avenue will leave about March 1 for Graham, Young County, Texas. Mr. Hinrichs will be the guest of his old friend, David H. French, on the Fish Creek ranch.

Asa Collier is in Philadelphia in attendance at the sixth annual convention of the Pennsylvania Retail Jewelers' Association, of which he was second vice-president during the past year.

John Angleman of East Second street has rented part of the double house just completed by John H. Staats on Johnston avenue, Netherwood. Mr. Angleman will move his family there March 1.

Master Lennox Barnes of New York city, soprano solo singer in the Church of All Angels, 81st street and the Boulevard, New York, is visiting his cousin, Malcolm Barnes of 30 Norwood avenue.

Rev. Dr. Donahue, who was to lecture this evening in the Catholic Young Men's Lyceum, sends word that he is confined to his home with an attack of the grip. Hence, he is obliged to cancel his engagement in Plainfield.

Robert Cook and family, Mrs. A. D Cook and family, J. B. Coward and family, Miss Freeman, and Miss Boice, were the Plainfielders attending the wedding of Miss Ella Cook to Charles Cadmus of Philadelphia in Bound Brook last night.

The many friends of Morton Pierson, a member of the Junior class in the High School and a resident of Roselle, will be glad to hear that he has recovered from a severe attack of pneumonia, and will soon resume his studies in the High School again.

Several of the young men of Plainfield who attend Lehigh University will spend Washington's Birthday and the following two days at their homes. Arthur H. Serrell of Plainfield avenue brings with him his chum, Mr. Raynolds, and Auguste Saltzman of Sandford avenue will have his chum, Mr. Straub, with him.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U.S. Gov't Report

Royal Baking Powder

ABSOLUTELY PURE

Celebrating the Day.

Washington's Birthday exercises were held in Franklin School this morning as follows:

Chapel Exercises.
Recitation—Our Flag,
Nine Little Boys and Girls from the Sub-Primary.
Singing—Red, White and Blue.....School
Violin Solo.....Master Davis
Recitation — In Seventeen Hundred and Thirty-two.....Miss DeLong
Song—Ode for Washington's Birthday..Chorus
Recitation—Dates in Washington's Life, Five Boys
Violin Solo.....Master Mills
Singing—Flower of Liberty.....School
Sketches from Life of Washington, Pupils of Eighth Grade
Violin Duet—National Airs, Masters Davis and Mills
Singing—America.....School

Walter Raynolds accompanied the violin solos.

Bryant School observed Washington's Birthday today by the following exercises.

Song—"America".....School
Piano solo.....Florence Symons
Selection—"Our Flag".....Sec. yr. a pupils
Washington Maxim.....Fourth yr. pupils
Song—"Star Spangled Banner".....School
Washington Maxim.....Sec. yr. b
Selection—"Our Banner".....Lawrence Miller
Washington Maxim.....Fifth yr. pupils
Song—"Battle Cry of Freedom".....School
Selection—"Washington's Farewell to His Army".....Harold Nomer
Selection—"Washington's Christmas Party" Third yr. pupils
Washington Maxim.....Third yr. pupils
Piano solo.....Clara Crane
Selection—"Washington's Birthday". Sec. yr. b
Song—"Oh Columbia the Gem of the Ocean" School
Washington Maxim.....Sec. yr. a class
Piano solo.....Florence Symons
Selections—Washington's Maxims, Sixth yr. pupils
Song—Battle Hymn of the Republic....School

A Woman Hang

Around the neck of her husband and begged and implored him to go immediately and reserve seats for the pretty and young soubrette, Lillian Kennedy, in "She Couldn't Marry Three." Few actresses at her age are endowed with such transcendent talent; in the whole range of the drama she shines resplendent, exciting tears or laughter at will, and with an ease and absence of effort that disarms criticism.

She sings a ballad or comic song, dances a graceful skirt dance or break down, and all she does is imbued with a spirit of an innate artist, a thorough musician; endowed with youth and uncommon beauty she seems destined at no distant day to reach the very pinnacle of dramatic eminence.

A Popular Ticket.

Old Dominion Steam Ship Company.
New York to Old Point Comfort and Norfolk.
Norfolk and Western Railroad.
Norfolk to Shenandoah Junction via Petersburg, Lynchburg, Roanoke, Natural Bride, The Grottoes, Luray.
Baltimore and Ohio Railroad.
Shenadoah Junction to Philadelphia via Washington and Baltimore.
Philadelphia and Reading Railroad.
Philadelphia to Bound Brook.
Central R. R. of New Jersey.
Bound Brook to New York.

This can be varied to read Old Dominion Steam Ship Co., New York to Richmond, Richmond & Petersburg R. R Richmond to Petersburg thence same route namely: Norfolk & Western R. R. to Shenandoah Junction, &c.

Rate for either ticket $25 round trip.

A side trip from Norfolk to Virginia Beach can be made at cost for railroad fare of fifty cents round trip.

Tickets are on sale all the year round. Those sold in the Winter season are limited to May 31; those sold during Summer season to Oct. 31.

Ticket permits stop over at any of the Summer and Winter resorts on line of the Norfolk and Western Railroad, and at other points named above. This makes the ticket a very attractive one to the pleasure seeker.

It is a good ticket for those going on their wedding trip. Permits visiting all on one ticket, Old Point Comfort, Norfolk, Virginia Beach, numerous Virginia resorts, Natural Bridge, Luray Caverns, Washington and other points.

Frightened People.

A dog supposed to be mad was shot this noon in the yard of 408 East Fifth street by Sergeant Kiely.

—The seventh annual masquerade of the Plainfield Gesang and Turn Verein takes place in their hall on Somerset street tonight. The grand march begins at 9:30.

—The store of VanEmburgh & Son will be closed all day tomorrow.

Shiloh's cure is sold on a guarantee. It cures incipient consumption; it is the best cough cure, only 1c a dose; 25, 50c, $1. Sold by all druggists.

Karl's Clover Root, the great blood purifier, gives freshness and clearness to the complexion and cures constipation; 25c 50c, $1. Sold by all druggists.

Mrs. T. S. Hawkins, Chattanooga, Tenn., says: "Shiloh's Vitalizer saved my life; I consider it the best remedy for a debilitated system I ever used. For dyspepsia, liver or kidney trouble it excels; 75c. Sold by all druggists.

THE WEATHER.

For Tomorrow: Fair; Stationary Temperature; Slightly Colder Friday Night; Brisk to High Southwesterly Shifting to Northwesterly Winds.

—"Hot Tamales", afternoon and evening, will be the attraction in Music Hall tomorrow.

—The annual meeting of the First Baptist Sunday-school teachers takes place Friday evening, March 1.

—G. H. VanNest is fitting up the store 114 Park avenue, near Front street, preparatory to supplying his friends and the public with choice meats and vegetables.

—The doors at the Casino open at 7:30 tonight, for the Muhlenberg benefit. Carriages will approach from Seventh street and depart through Arlington avenue and Sixth street.

—Sam Smith of the gravel pit, proprietor of the Darktown kennels, lost a very valuable skyeterrier last week from poisoning. Mr. Smith still has a number of dogs in his kennels which he will sell or give to all comers.

$100 Reward $100.

The reader of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly on the blood and mucous surface of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer $100 for any case that it fails to cure.
Send for list of testimonial.
F. J. Cheney & Co., Props. Toledo, O.
Sold by druggists, 75c.

MUSIC HALL,
Jos. Sohl, Prop. R. C. Varian, Man.
Telephone 49B.
Special matinee and night.
Washington's Birthday, Feb. 22
"The Kings of Celtic Humor"—N.Y. Herald
Conroy and Fox,
with their surpassing show, in
HOT TAMALES.
Recipe—Wit, Humor, Mirth and Music.
16 A company of singing and dancing comedians, including several European specialty artists. FUN for old ones, for the fair ones, for young ones, for everyone. Matinee prices 25, 35, 50, 75c. Evening prices 25, 35, 50, 75c, $1. 16

EXTRAORDINARY.

Half value sale of new seasonable goods still continues. In addition to the many good values that we have offered for this week we add the following:

66 in. bleached damask in 2 and 2½ yd. lengths at 49c per yd. actual value 75c.
18 in all linen crash, extra heavy 7c. yard.
20 in. all linen glass toweling 8½c.
Imported serges 45 in wide 45c yd. Actual value 65c.
54 in covert cloth 49c yd value 98c.
18 in fancy silks, 39c yd. value 75c.
30 in. China silks, 49c yd value 85c.
2¼x2½ sheets, made of Boston bleached sheeting 44c. each. Value 65c.
100 doz. men's black half hose Hermsdorf dye. Value 25c. Our price 12½c.
100 doz. ladies' full regular Hermsdorf dye hose 19c pair.
Ladies' 5 hook Foster kids 75c. pr.
The greatest bargain in draperies ever offered is what they all say Beautiful styles 40 and 45 in. wide. price 13c.
40 in. apron lawn, checks and stripes 10c.

Granite Ironware

2,3, and 4 qt. Coffee pots 37, 42, 47c.
2,3, and 4 qt. Tea " 37, 42, 47c.
2,3, and 4 qt. Sauce " 30, 32, 35c.
Wash basins, 17c.
Tea kettles, 79c.
Oatmeal boilers, 37c.

Don't you find it satisfactory to trade at a store that will refund you your money for any article you buy and do not want?
That's our way of doing business.

WHITE, of Plainfield.

CLAIRVOYANT.

Prof. Rock, the colored Australian clairvoyant, has returned to Plainfield and will remain for a short time. Due notice of his departure will appear in the evening papers. Remember he will make no charge for sittings until Monday, Feb. 25. Office 201 Plainfield ave., cor. South 2d st. Come up stoop; open from 10 a. m. until 8 p. m. Sunday all day. 2 21 2

IF YOU WANT
ANY REAL ESTATE,

Come and see me. I always keep a good line of houses to rent and for sale. Elegant flats, steam heated, city water and electric lights. Private houses with all modern improvements. Vacant lots, farms, speculative property bought, sold and exchanged.
Now is the opportunity to get a home; prices are away down. Real estate owners need money. Buy this year as you will have to pay 25 per cent. more next year. You hear what I am saying. Take warning and come at once.

F. M. BACON,
Babcock Building, Room 211.

We make prices this week that will move them like feathers before a March wind.

UNUSUAL.

Great reductions, "half price sales," and "goods at cost," usually mean undesirable things that must fairly be kicked out, if they are to go out.
This week we offer two brilliant exceptions—
1st—$12 and $15 Ulsters at
$7.90.
2d—$15 and $20 Overcoats at
$10.90.

WERNER'S, 206 West Front St.

5 CENTS buys at REYNOLDS'S a cake of good Toilet Soap. 5
perfumed and wrapped, made by the best and biggest soap house in America (whose stamp is a guarantee of excellence). We warrant this a sound, pure soap. 1 cake or 100 at 5c each.

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Ginger snaps	5½c	Java and Mocha coffee	32c
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WASHINGTON.

O fatherland, so great and free!
The prize that valiant heroes won,
The joyful harp we tune to thee
Commemorates thy noblest son.
To him we give our thoughts today,
A thankful, childish, patriot band;
We twine the laurel and the bay
And crown him father of our land.

Oh, not like proud Ambition's son
That soared to fame in ancient Rome,
Not like the Mars who battles won
And found Helena for a home.
No chains were forged thy name to raise
Above the legal lords of earth,
No groaning captives sang thy praise
Or flattered crimes to deeds of worth.

Sleep on in peace, O hallowed shade!
Sleep on, the father of the free!
The trees that guard the southern glade,
Their tender sobs are all for thee!
The oak that decks our northern vale
And boldly braves the drifting snows
Through summer calm or winter hail
Shall teach defiance to thy foes.
—M. V. Gormley.

"IN LIGHTER VEIN."

When Washington Felt Like It, He Could Unbend Like Other Folks.

Notwithstanding that it is now generally conceded that Washington was thoroughly human and not at all a man who had his emotions and passions under perfect control, as his earlier biographers would have it, he was not often wont to unbend himself in the presence of any one not of his immediate family. Once, however, when he dined with Chief Justice Ellsworth of Connecticut at the latter's residence in Windsor, he relaxed completely.

During his stay in the house he was taken into the nursery and introduced to the chief justice's twin boys, who were later to be known as Governor Ellsworth

WASHINGTON SINGING "THE DERBY RAM."

and Hon. Henry L. Ellsworth. These boys were taken up by the great man and each placed upon a knee. Then the personage sang to them this version of

"THE DERBY RAM."

As I was going to Derby
Upon a market day
I spied the biggest ram, sir,
That ever was fed on hay.
Tow de row de row,
Tow de row de da!

He had four feet to walk, sir;
He had four feet to stand,
And every foot he had, sir,
Covered an acre of land.

The wool upon his back, sir,
It reached unto the sky,
And eagles built their nests there,
For I heard their young ones cry.

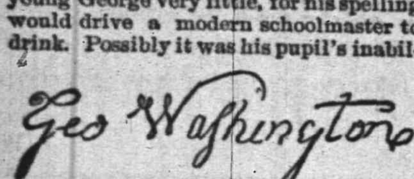
The wool upon his tail, sir,
I heard the weaver say,
Made three thousand yards of cloth, sir,
For he wove it all in a day.

There seems to be no sort of doubt about the authenticity of this anecdote, as it has been handed down in the Ellsworth family from generation to generation to the present representatives thereof.

WASHINGTON'S SCHOOLDAYS.

He Never Learned to Spell, but He Got a Solid Knowledge of Mathematics.

As a matter of fact little is known about George Washington's schooldays. His first teacher was named Hobby, and he was sexton as well as pedagogue of the Virginia parish in which the Washington family settled. Hobby was not a man of wide information or of deep culture. It is to be inferred that he knew how to write legibly and to teach the art skillfully, for the one pupil of his school who was destined to be illustrious wrote a clear plain hand. But, judging from the letters and other writings of the immortal George that are now extant, the teacher knew very little about orthography. At least he taught young George very little, for his spelling would drive a modern schoolmaster to drink. Possibly it was his pupil's inabil-



WASHINGTON'S SIGNATURE AT THIRTEEN.

ity or lack of desire to learn to spell that brought about the lack of cordiality that is said to have existed between them, though it is stated on excellent authority that in a very short time after entering Hobby's school the pupil knew as much if not more than the master.

Washington, pere, died in 1743, when Washington, fils, was but 11 years old. He then went to live with his half brother Augustine and attended a school kept by a man named Williams. There he studied no language but the English, and, the story goes, devoted little attention to that, confining himself principally to mathematics. This stood him in good stead when he became a surveyor.

The future general and first president of this republic, at the time he went to school to Mr. Williams, was tall, active and muscular and was so generally considered quite capable of thrashing any one of his companions that no one ever had the temerity to pick a quarrel with him.

Crushed Again.

We celebrate today with glee
Great George's birth.
Although he could not tell a lie,
Yet most men can and do. That's why
Ere set of sun we'll surely see
Truth crushed to earth.
—Exchange.

THE FIRST ENGRAVING OF WASHINGTON.

Here is a reproduction, without color, of the first engraving ever made of George Washington. The only print known to be in existence at this time is in possession of Charles F. Gunther of Chicago, whose collection of relics of the Father of His Country ranks very high indeed. The original print is all in black, except for the blanket on the horse, which is colored red and yellow, and the rider's coat, which is blue, with yellow epaulets, and a red sash across the breast.

IF HE HAD DREAMED

THE PROPHETIC VISION THAT MIGHT HAVE VISITED WASHINGTON.

The Federation Was to Grow From an Insignificant Power In the Wilderness to One of the Most Powerful and Extensive Nations of the Earth.

Suppose George Washington had dreamed of the future greatness of the popular empire he was so instrumental in founding.

Suppose that when his heart was most cast down, when he and his little army of ragged continentals were freezing and starving through the short days and long nights of the winter at Valley Forge, he had lain down to sleep and been privileged to behold a prophetic vision. It would have been one of the most wonderful dreams that have ever visited mortal man. It would have given him new life, new heart, new strength. Not many of those who will peruse these lines have the slightest idea of the marvels that would have been unfolded to the Father of His Country in that vision even though they daily behold them.

All Americans know abstractly the progress of the republic has been unexampled in the history of the world and the race, but few have any comprehension of the glorious facts, which are really so notable that he who can contemplate them without an accession of patriotic feeling is a poor coot, a crea-

HEADQUARTERS AT VALLEY FORGE.

ture in whose veins there circulates a fluid more like rainwater than the strong and virile blood of healthy manhood.

When Washington was at Valley Forge, the people for whom he was fighting the battles that should weld the colonies into one of the chief nations of the earth occupied, and but sparsely, only a narrow strip of territory along the Atlantic coast. It was but partially subdued. There were no roads worth speaking of, nearly all manufactured products had to be brought from abroad, the institutions of learning were feeble and widely scattered, of culture there was great lack, and the beginnings of art and literature on this side of the Atlantic were yet to be made.

Now—now the United States is one of the dominant powers of the whole earth, and if there is serious lack in any direction of human progress whatever it is only because not quite time enough has yet elapsed since the first blow for American independence was struck. In all considerings of the growth and evolution of this land and nation it should be remembered that the nation is not yet quite 118 years old and that at its birth more than nine-tenths of its territory was a wilderness absolutely untrodden by the white man.

George Washington's dream at Valley Forge would have been of a nation of 70,000,000 souls, or more than 20 times as great as the population then, for in 1780 there were, according to the first federal census, but 3,070,000 inhabitants here. He would have been vastly amazed no doubt by the fact that in less than 120 years the residents of the United States were to bear the numerical proportion of 7 to 4 when compared with the population of the British isles. He would have marveled at the wonderful urban growth of the nation he was founding, and the fact that beside a round half dozen of the cities that were to be in the United States the London of that day was a small town would have seemed incredible.

He could not but have been amazed by the territorial growth of the country as revealed in his dream, for among other things he would have seen that all France could be put down within the area of the largest state of the Union of the future and leave sufficient vacant space from which to lay out a country as large as Turkey in Europe. Yet the figures of such a dream would have been more than true, for the area of Texas is 265,780 square miles, that of France 204,092 and that of Turkey in Europe but 61,200, so that even after taking France and Turkey from the Lone Star State's territory a strip of land 10 miles wide and 48 4-5 miles long would be left over.

Possibly that would have been the most startling of all the features of the dream to him, for France occupied no doubt a very prominent place in all his thoughts by reason of its friendly attitude to the new power this side the sea, but it would have been really of less import than the fact that the distance from the as yet unfounded capital of the new republic to the most remote state thereof was nearly a third as much again as the distance between London and St. Petersburg. And yet that again is true, and the traveler who should journey as far eastward from Paris—then, as now, the capital of France—as from Washington, the capital of the United States, to Tacoma, would pass through Rome, once the capital of the greatest empire of paganism, to Constantinople, the ancient capital of the Byzantine empire, on through Turkey, in Europe, into Persia and to Teheran, its capital, and still more startling comparisons of distances might be made if Alaska, the unorganized arctic possessions of the republic, were to be taken into consideration.

Washington's dream would have shown him, moreover, that in the years to come his country was to lead all others in the production of wheat; of silver; of all but one, the then undiscovered giant island, Australia, in the output of gold; was to be second to Great Britain only in the mining of coal, was to be exceeded in foreign commerce only by Great Britain and Germany, and was to possess a larger internal commerce and better facilities for internal communication than any other nation in the world. He would have seen, too, that his country was to be uniformly successful in whatever wars it became involved in with foreign powers, and that it was to be wrenched and torn by the most stupendous civil strife the world has ever beheld; that, principally owing to its existence and development, a new problem in the affairs of government—the labor question—was to arise and that the differences between kings and potentates were sometimes insignificant by the side of the contests between employers and employees.

In place of the few schools, the scattered writers, who treated almost exclusively of politics, and the almost nonexistent artist classes, he would have beheld vast universities equal in most respects to the most venerable old world institutions of learning and excelling them in some regards, a literary class larger in proportion to population than anywhere else on earth, especially if those in active journalism be included, and a great, enthusiastic and successful following of every so called artistic calling in the world.

Many things would have puzzled him immensely, no doubt. The problems of today, from their very magnitude, if from no other cause, would probably have seemed quite as difficult as those which confronted him at Valley Forge, perhaps more so. There would have been many apparent crudities. The telegraph, the railroad, the telephone, the phonograph, the trolley car, the new woman, the municipal boss, the mop headed football player, the pretty typewriter, the bicyclist of both sexes—all these would have amazed him not less perhaps than the polyglot speech of the vast population and the vastly different costumes and customs of the people.

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Whereas two-thirds of the owners of real estate on streets known as Forest avenue, Forest Road North First street and Clinton avenue have petitioned the Township Committee of Fanwood Township to change the names of these streets to Forest avenue for the whole length of the road or street, from the intersection of said Clinton avenue with Mountain avenue, to the intersection of said Forest Road with North avenue, the same being a continuous street or road from the points named and being greatly to the advantage of the said petitioners;

It is hereby ordained by the Township Committee of Fanwood Township, that the street or road known by the names mentioned. Forest Road, Forest avenue, North First street and Clinton avenue be and are hereby changed and are to be hereafter known as Forest avenue from the intersection of the same with Mountain avenue to its intersection with North avenue.

EDWARD L. HAND, Township Clerk.

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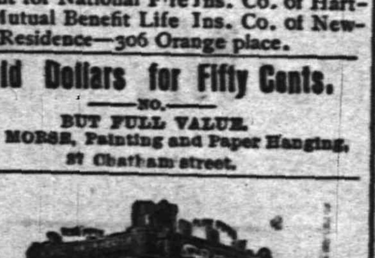

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Leave Plainfield 3 14, 5 37, 5 59, 6 [illegible], 6 [illegible], 7 26, 7 30, 7 59, 8, 8 15, 8 27, 8 31, 8 46, 9 32, 10 04, 10 [illegible] 11 19, A. M., 12 06, 1 18, 2 07, 2 30, 3 12, 3 51, 4 30, 5 04, 6 04, 7 08, 8 30, 9 28, 10 17, 11 [illegible] P. M. Sunday—3 14, 5 37, 8 01, 8 01, 9 52, 10 03, 11 [illegible] 11 28 A. M., 12 33, 1 45, 3 30, 5 26, 5 36, 7 11, 8 [illegible] 8 32, 10 17 P. M.

Leave New York from foot of Liberty street 4 30, 6 00, 7 15, 8, 8 40, 9 10, 10, 11 45, A. M., 1 10, 1 [illegible] 2 30, 3 30, 3 45, 4, 4 30, 5, 5 15, except Saturday, 5 [illegible] 5 45, 6, 6 15, 6 30, 7, 7 30, 8, 8 30, 9 15, 10 15, 11 30 P. M. 12 15, 1, night. Sunday—4 30, 7 15, 9 30, 9 15, A. M., 12 M., 1, 3 15, 4, 5 30, 7, 9 00, 10 00 P. M., 12 [illegible] night. 1 A M.

PLAINFIELD AND NEWARK.

Leave Plainfield 5 59, 6 29, 6 59, 7 26, 7 59, 8, 8 [illegible] 9 32, 10 04, 10 27, A. M., 12 06, 1 18, 2 07, 3 30, 3 12, 3 51, 4 30, 5 04, 6 04, 7 08, 8 30, 10 1[illegible] 11 28 P. M. Sunday—8 01, 8 52, 10 03, 11 28, A. M. 12 33, 1 45, 3 30, 5 36, 7 11, 8 28, 8 32, 10 17 P. M.

Leave Newark 6 10, 7 18, 7 55, 8 39, 9 08, 10 06, 11 35 A. M., 1 15, 1 35, 2 20 Saturday only, 3 [illegible], [illegible] 4 05, 4 40, 5 04, 5 34, 5 50, 6 20, 7 15, 7 [illegible], [illegible] 10 05, 11 35 P. M. Sunday—7 30, 8 45, 9 35, 11 [illegible], A. M., 1 10, 2 35, 4 10, 5 40, 7 30, 9 35, 10 20 P. M.

Passengers for Newark change cars at Elizabeth.

PLAINFIELD AND SOMERVILLE.

Leave Plainfield 5 45, 7 10, 8 16, 9 54, 11 a.m. 12 [illegible] 2 05, 2 32, 3 45, 4 36, 5 05, 5 14, 5 34, 6 04, 6 19, 6 36, 7 12, 7 [illegible] 8 21, 10 26, 11 23, P. M. 12 38 night Sunday—5 45, 9 [illegible] 9 54, A. M., 2 02, 3 36, 5 14, 6 35, 10 15, 11 14 P. M.

Leave Somerville, 6, 6 30, 7 00, 7 26, 7 [illegible], 7 [illegible] 8 20, 9 05, 9 48, 11 40 A. M., 12 57, 1 48, 2 [illegible] 3 25, 4 25, 5 28, 6 26, 6 47, 8 45, 11 05, P. M. Sunday 8 25, 9 45, 10 55 A. M., 12 08, 1 20 5 05, 6 45, 8 02, 8 [illegible] 9 40 P. M.

PLAINFIELD AND EASTON

Leave Plainfield 5 45, 8 16, 9 54, A. M., 12 46, 2 05, 5 [illegible] 5 14, 6 39, 8 21 P. M. Sunday—5 45, 8 26 A. M. 2 [illegible] 6 35, P. M.

Leave Easton 6 05, 7 00, 8 53, A. M., 12 52, 4 04, 7 00 P. M. Sundays—7 15, 10 52, A. M. 6 40, 7 30, P. M.

PLAINFIELD AND LAKE HOPATCONG.

Leave Plainfield 9 54, a. m., 5 05 p. m.

WESTWARD CONNECTIONS.

LEAVE PLAINFIELD.

5 45 A. M. for Flemington, Easton, Allentown Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Mauch Chunk Williamsport and Tamaqua.

7 10 a. m. for stations to High Bridge, connecting for stations on High Bridge Branch.

8 16 A. M. for Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R. Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9 54 A. M. for Flemington, High Bridge branch D L & W R R, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Pottsville, Nanticoke, Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c. Through coach to Williamsport.

12 46 p. m., way for Easton, connecting at Junction for stations on D. L. & W. R. R.

2 05 P. M. for Flemington, Easton Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Sunbury and Williamsport, Wilkes-Barre and Scranton. Buffet parlor car to Mauch Chunk.

5 05 p. m., way for Easton, connecting at High Bridge for stations on High Bridge branch

5 14 P. M. for Flemington, Easton, Bethlehem, Bangor Allentown, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, Mauch Chunk Shamokin and Tamaqua, Buffet parlor car to Scranton.

6 19 P. M. for Flemington.

6 39 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading and Harrisburg.

8 21 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

5 45 A. M. Sunday for Easton, Bethlehem Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Wilkesbarre and Scranton. 8 26 a. m. Sundays for Easton, 2 05 p. m. Sundays for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Reading and Harrisburg, 6.35 p. m. Sundays for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, &c. and at Junction for D. L. & W. R. R.

For Atlantic City, 3 37 a. m. 1 18 p. m.

Long Branch, Ocean Grove, &c

Leave Plainfield 3 37, 8, 10 27, a. m. 1.18, 3 51, 5 04, p. m. Sundays—(except Ocean Grove 8 52, a. m., 5 30 p. m.

For Perth Amboy, 3 37, 5 45, 8 10 27 a. m., 1 18, 3 51, 4 50, 5.34, 7 08 p.m. Sunday—8 5[illegible] a. m., 5 30 p. m.

For Freehold, 3 37, 8, 10 27 a.m., 1 18, 3 51, 4 50, p.m.

ROYAL BLUE LINE.

Leave Plainfield for Philadelphia, 5 45, 8 [illegible] 9 48, 10 45, a. m., 2 05*, 5 34* 6 [illegible] 6 21, 9 37* p. m., 1 12, night. Sundays—5 45, 9 [illegible] a. m., 2 05*, 5 14*, 6 45 p. m., 1 12, night.

For Trenton 5 45, 8 44, 9 40*, 10 45, a. m., 12 4[illegible] 2 05*, 5 34*, 6 36*, 8 21, 9 37* p.m., 1 12 night, Sunday—5 45, 9 34, a. m., 2 05*, 5 14* 6 35 p. m., 1 12 night.

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Reading terminal, 4 10, 8 30, 9 30, 10 11, 11 35 a.m., 1 30 [illegible] 5 15, 6 04, 6 36, p.m. 12 10, night.

Sundays—4 10, 8 30, 9 30, 12 35 a. m., 3 50, 6 00, 8 [illegible] p. m., 12 10 night.

From 24th and Chestnut—3 55, 7 58, 9 21, 11 19 a.m. 3 10, 4 19, 3 10, 11 45 p. m. Sunday—3 5[illegible], 7 58, 12 19 p. m., 3 30, 6 19, 8 10, 11 45 p. m.

Leave Trenton, Warren and Tucker sts., 1 [illegible] 4 58, 8 06, 10 25, a.m. 12 15*, 2 10, 4 28*, 5 54, 9 [illegible] p.m. Sundays—1 00, 4 58, 9 06, 10 27 a. m. 1 16*, 4 [illegible] 6 45*, 9 03 p. m.

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WHEN WASHINGTON WANTED MONEY

During His Retirement at Mount Vernon the Sheriff Was Constantly Threatening.

Down to the date of his leaving the command of the continental troops and "retiring" to Mount Vernon the life of Washington had been one continual series of anxieties and conflicts, but these had been borne on behalf of the public and not himself or any of his friends or family. He was to find, however, that contests and struggle come to the private individual as well as to the man of affairs, and these smaller matters were to greatly try his soul, whereat perhaps many of the rest of us, who are sometimes unduly worried by small matters, may take courage to begin anew.

It may have been anticipated by Washington that after a military career with a triumphant termination he might find plantation life a little irksome, but he never complained of that. He did complain, and bitterly, however, of his lack of money. His complainings were not unnatural, seeing that not before since his fifteenth birthday had he been hard up, and that both he and his wife had begun life in the possession of what were in those days "ample fortunes." Washington's straitened circumstances at this time were not in any sense due to extravagance or to lack of attention to business. On the contrary, he appears to have been one of the most industrious, most methodical and most frugal planters going. Every morning he was up at 4 o'clock, and clad in the coarsest homespun he rode daily 18 or 20 miles over his plantation, inspecting the crops and the work that was being done on them. Mrs. Washington was as industrious as her husband, as indeed she had to be, looking after the household on a plantation of thousands of acres like Mount Vernon. There were, however, times that might have been spent in recreation or possibly rest, but we are told that neither repose nor pleasure was indulged in at these times. Instead she devoted herself to "knitting fine woolen hosiery" for herself, her family and its friends. One would at first imagine that the Father of His Country and his spouse lived the lives of a pair of money grubbers but for the further recorded fact that at least once a week "the horns rang out through the merry glades, ladies and gentlemen in scarlet coats and dresses followed the baying hounds, the gray fox doubled through the mazy woods, and Washington, with shouts and cheers, mounted on his fleetest horse, was always in at the death."

The administration of the estate and household at this time is reported to have been almost perfect. Visitors were charmed with universal order and simplicity, but the cruel fact remained that the man who had won the American Revolution could not pay his bills and was constantly being annoyed by the sheriffs, who threatened with a "distress," whatever that may have been. Washington tried hard to sell a part of his land in order that he might meet some of his more pressing obligations, but in vain. He had plenty of money, such as it was, awarded to him by congress, but it was nearly worthless through depreciation.

He wrote to his mother, then an old woman, and described his situation tersely, saying that he knew not "where to find a shilling." Finally in 1788 he had to borrow a few hundred pounds of a neighbor, to whom he wrote in apology for soliciting aid: "I have put off the sheriff of the county three times. If he comes again, I must suffer him to make distress."

Just when his personal affairs were at the lowest ebb he was again called by his country, but not to war. This time his services were needed at the constitutional convention, and the results of that gathering are well known. The constitution was adopted, Washington was made president, and the life of the federal government was begun.

Didn't Admire Washington's Taste.

Billy (who has been taken by his mother to see a woman 104 years old)—Ma says George Washington kissed old Mrs. Centuria when she was a baby.

Bobby—I always did think he was a fool ever since I heard about the hatchet and the cherry tree, and now I know it!

Washington's Dress and Manners.

Washington was neat and careful in his dress, but not the least inclined to foppishness. Whatever he made use of or wore he wished to be in good taste and the best of its kind. He was fond of children, considerate of the feelings of others, kind and liberal to servants, punctual to engagements, circumspect in his intercourse with people in general, painstaking and explicit in his business transactions. A memorandum in his journal of 1748 gives minute directions to his tailor, which begins as follows: "Have my coat made by the following directions, to be made a Frocke with Lapel Breast," etc. The memorandum is long and very specific in its directions.

Fast.

Red's a fast color—yes, fast to run.
Vide, the fight at Lexington.
—Floating.

HE HAD HIS FAULTS.

ONE OF THE GREATEST OF MEN, WASHINGTON WAS QUITE HUMAN.

The Tendency of Modern Historical Investigation Is Not to Lift Men Upon Cold and Snowy Pinnacles—His Strong Will, His Energy and His Perseverance.

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The tendency which promoted great leaders to the honors of the godhead did not altogether cease with the mythmaking period. Carlyle emphasizes hero worship as the salt which saves poor human nature from dry rot. In other words, it upholds concrete ideals as object lessons to fire the imagination, singing the chant:

On one clear harp of many tones
That men may rise on stepping stones
Of their dead selves to higher things.

It is more than an open question whether this instinct is not easily carried to excess vitiating its own purpose. The idealization of the hero, if it petrifies its object and lifts him above the blood warmth of the human atmosphere, makes the pattern man less virile and vital. Such until a recent period was the tone of historic discussion dealing with George Washington. Chief Justice Marshall, then Jared Sparks, then Washington Irving, who wrote the standard lives of our pater patriæ, followed this method of conception and planted a marble colossus high up on a pedestal in the freezing cold. It was an impeccable deity, before which humanity should bow down and burn perpetual incense, half stifling itself in the fumes.

The more recent tendencies of historic study, what we may term the realistic school, take Washington down from his arctic perch, and without lessening his genuine greatness make him vastly more lovable. He is presented to us in flesh and blood and not in stone. We find that he was a man of very human faults as well as of virtues; that he could give way to fits of fiery wrath and could swear terribly in such moods; that he was very sensitive alike to applause and criticism; that he was often hasty, even harsh, in his judgments, and that he loved dearly to have his own way and could enforce it with an imperious will.

Washington's lack of schooling was quite as complete as that of Abraham Lincoln. He never knew much about that magic wand, the pedagogue's birch. His learning was the fruit of attrition, contact with men and affairs, and he was plunged into a very whirlpool of it when scarcely more than a lad. He was only 23 when he saved the beaten remnant of Braddock's forces, and this was by no means his first trust of importance. With the bluest blood of the colonies running in his veins, he was naturally an aristocrat in the conventional as well as the nobler sense of the word. Noblesse oblige, to live up to the finest there was in him, was a law of life as natural as breathing. Probably none but an aristocrat, one forced by social position from mere boyhood into a great number of public responsibilities, would have had the chance to have so proved his sterling value. This stamp on the coin made him by general choice the picked man of men to lead the Americans in the field when the thundercloud of the Revolution burst. All the traditions of his family and training molded him into a conservative. By instinct and preference he was a royalist. But when he reluctantly felt himself lifted on the tide of public sentiment, swelling through all the colonies, he gave himself heart and soul to the work. It may be too nice a point of speculation, but one is tempted to believe that had Washington been one whit more of the demagogue, one whit less of the aristocrat, he would have failed to have welded that permanent adherence of men of blood, family and social prestige to the Revolutionary cause on which success so much depended.

Judged by all the laws of military probability the American Revolution should have been a failure. It was a house divided against itself. There were almost as many Tories as patriots. The enemy was the greatest power then existing by land and sea. Among the chief causes which finally assured the triumph of the colonies, the personal factor, the leadership of George Washington, was not the least important. As a military genius he does not rank among the first 10, scarcely perhaps among the world's second 20 great soldiers. Yet critics of the art of war, if they find few magnificent coups, can scarcely point to a mistake in his military plans. In the talents of the statesmen he was not great—scarcely even commonplace as orator and writer. He was essentially the man of affairs, not the man of words. It was his profound and imperturbable sagacity, a lighthouse shining serenely above the beat and roar of the waves, that made him a master of men. It was common sense raised to its superlative and become genius. Temperament and character entered into it equally with mind. The final product was one of those personalities so symmetrical and balanced as to stand isolated among the world's leaders. Perhaps nowhere else in history do we find a great man with whom the absolute touchstone of right and wrong was the golden test, one in whom the perception of right and wrong was so luminous and direct. All classes, plebeian and gentle, poor and rich, felt that here was a tower of safety, rock bottomed in integrity and strength,

Four square to every wind that blew.

So Washington has continued to the world's eye a type of the public servant whose patriotic devotion never bends from the straight line of what is essentially and eternally true. He was not a typical American, for Americanism has crystallized since his day. He was far more nearly an Englishman in taste and habit. But he is in no sense national or racial as a historic figure. He belongs to the whole world as much as Homer or Shakespeare.

G. T. FERRIS.

WASHINGTON CHRONOLOGY.

Born in Westmoreland county, Va., Feb. 22 (old style Feb. 11), 1732.

Made commander of the northern military district of Virginia by Lieutenant Governor Dinwiddie when but 19 years of age, in 1751.

Sent to warn the French away from their new forts in western Pennsylvania at the outbreak of the French and Indian war in 1753.

Made commander in chief of all the Virginia forces in 1755.

Commanded the advance guard of the expedition that captured Fort Duquesne in 1758, shortly after which he married Mrs. Custis.

Wrote concerning the "nonimportation resolution," which had just reached him, advising opposition to the policy of the ministry April 5, 1769.

Appointed as one of seven delegates by the Virginia convention to the continental congress in 1774. His national career may be said to have begun with this appointment. He had previously served as a member of the state legislature for several terms.

Commissioned commander in chief of the continental troops June 15, 1775, after the fight at Lexington and Concord. Reached Cambridge July 2, after the battle of Bunker Hill, which occurred June 17.

Jan. 2, 1776, Washington hoisted the Union flag, consisting of seven stripes, like in the flag of today, but with the crosses of St. George and St. Andrew in the field of blue in the corner.

After nearly a year of the most trying sort drove the British out of Boston, March 17, 1776. After this Washington went to New York, signed the Declaration of Independence, which was adopted July 4, and had the document read to his soldiers July 9, 1776.

Battle of Long Island Aug. 28. Evacuation of New York by Washington.

Crossed to New Jersey, was pursued across the state into Pennsylvania, recrossed the Delaware Christmas night, captured Trenton and 1,000 Hessian soldiers. Battle of Princeton, Washington victorious, Jan. 3, after which his headquarters were established at Morristown, N. J.

After various maneuvers, lasting through the spring and summer, and accepting the proffered aid of DeKalb,

HOUSE IN WHICH THE FAREWELL WAS WRITTEN.

Kosciusko, Pulaski, Steuben and Lafayette, Washington engaged Howe at Brandywine Creek, Sept. 11, 1777. Attacked British troops in Germantown Oct. 4, but was driven back, after which headquarters were established in Valley Forge.

Suffered great hardships with his men all that winter, was plotted against, but not abased, by his rivals for the place of commander in chief, fought the battle of Monmouth early June 28, 1778, and after a summer and autumn devoid of any great battles in which Washington took part went into winter quarters near Middlebrook, N. J.

Seventeen hundred and seventy-nine was marked by no special battles in which Washington was commander, and the same was true of 1780, but it was his firmness and everlasting watchfulness that forced inaction on the part of the British. The capture and execution of Andre and the flight of Arnold, the traitor, occurred in 1780, and both years there were notable successes on the part of the continental troops in the south and elsewhere.

Surrender of Yorktown and Gloucester, Va., by General Cornwallis to Washington, Oct. 19, 1781.

British evacuated New York Nov. 25, 1783. Washington as commander in chief bade farewell to his officers Dec. 4, and resigned his commission as commander in chief to congress Dec. 28, after which he returned to his home at Mount Vernon.

Sent by Virginia to the constitutional convention held in Philadelphia in May, 1787.

Elected first president of the United States by the unanimous vote of the electors in 1789, he was formally inaugurated in New York April 30, 1789. He was re-elected in 1792 and retired from the presidency in 1797.

Made commander in chief of the provincial army, raised in expectation of a war with France, in 1798.

Died, after a brief illness, Dec. 14, 1799.

Washington Sometimes Despondent.

It is the fashion to speak of all who have succeeded in writing their names high on history's page as though they never gave way to the temptation to be despondent. Yet if the facts could only be known it is the very men who have within themselves the ability to finally win the victory that are apt at times to become most deeply involved in the sloughs of despond. Washington himself was subject to periods of the most intense depression, as witness this passage from a letter to a friend, written at Valley Forge:

"The history of the war is a history of false hopes and temporary expedients. Would to God they were to end here."

In another letter he said after a most gloomy recital of the reasons he had for being low spirited:

"To me it will appear miraculous if our affairs can maintain themselves much longer in their present train."

But Washington possessed the power of recovering from these fits of the blues and of putting forth every effort, after they were over, as if they had never fallen to his lot, and therein lay the true secret of his final triumph and his imperishable glory.

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CHAPTER V.

"Is it possible that you do not know, that you do not *feel*, I love you, Angela? That my most ardent desire is to call you my wife! to have you with me always, sweet one. I have longed to tell you so a dozen times, but I was afraid of speaking too soon!"

He paused abruptly and stood looking at her anxiously. Angela had turned very white, and did not speak for a moment.

"I am greatly surprised," she said, at last, meeting his gaze with grave, steady eyes. "I did think you liked me, and was pleased, for I like you; but that you would make up your mind to venture on marrying a girl you know so little—it is little more than a month since we met—a girl not even in your own rank of life—seems incredible! It is the wildest imprudence!"

"That is your fault!" exclaimed Forrester, bluntly. "It may be imprudent or what you like, but I am ready to run all risks, for I know you are the only woman I ever met who seemed to be indispensable to my happiness! Don't tell me you cannot care for me, or that you love any other fellow. Speak to me, and let me know how I stand!"

"I do not love anyone in the way you mean! Not even you"—the color rose slowly and softly in her cheek—"but I think you are kind and true. Still I dare not promise to marry you all at once! You must take time to think and so must I. You must go away and consult your friends."

"Not I!" he exclaimed. "I am a free man, and able I think to promise you most of the comforts and pleasures that money can give, but, to be perfectly frank, I am not quite sure. A relative is asserting a claim to a fortune I thought my own. However, my legal adviser thinks there is but small cause for alarm." Angela did not appear to heed this. She stood in deep thought looking down. Forrester ventured to take her hand.

"What is your decision, then?" he asked.

"Oh! let us both take time to think," she said, in an unsteady voice, while her hand closed nervously unconsciously on his. "Do not come to see me for—oh! for some time. Go away among your own kind of people. See other women. Make sure that you really need me, and I will think of you. I do not want to love you. I dread being unhappy. It would annihilate me."

"And when may I return?" asked Forrester, kissing the hand he held, thrilled by her admission that she feared to love him.

"Oh! I cannot say. A fortnight; three weeks. How long do you think?"

"Twenty-four hours," he replied, laughing. "No! I accept the test. I will go out of town for a fortnight. At the end of my banishment I will come up to hear my sentence. Keep me in your mind, I beseech you, and think favorably of all I have said. I wish you could read my heart."

"I wish I could. I wish I understood my own," she said, softly, earnestly. "Good-by, Capt. Forrester."

"Good-by, Angela! I will not call you Miss Cavallo. I trust that you will be 'Angela' to me till death us do part. I should like to write you a letter you could show to—"

"No, no!" she interrupted, decidedly. "We must both be perfectly free, and a fortnight is too slight a test! You must be away a full month, indeed you must!" Forrester pleaded a little longer, but Angela was firm, so again kissing her hand, he reluctantly departed.

It was a bad time to leave town, as most of Forrester's friends were themselves in London, save a few votaries of fishing.

"It's an absurd freak this of yours," said Dixon to his friend and c'ient, as they sat together in the former's private room, the day after the foregoing interview.

"Oh! I am not a London man; I like a scamper in the country, and I'll have a look at that place on the borders. I see it is advertised again."

"Pray be cautious. Our opponents seem very cocksure from some items of information that have reached me. I am rather sorry I sent off that money to India."

"I'm not! Even if I am robbed of my inheritance my kinswoman can well afford a couple of thousand."

"That's rather an unprincipled speech, Forrester. I am afraid it will be some time before you are put out of suspense, for there is a heap of business just now in the probate court."

"It is all an infernal nuisance," cried Forrester, impatiently.

"Very natural you should think so, but 'time and the hour run through the darkest day.' It is well you took my advice and postponed sending in your papers."

"Oh, don't croak, Dixon! I believe it will all come right, so good-by, old chap. I will let you know my movements from time to time."

"Yes, do, and I'll keep you informed of the state of affairs here." They shook hands, and Forrester went on his way—if not rejoicing, at least not seriously disturbed.

The succeeding weeks left an impression of restless discontent on the gallant lancer's memory. He wandered to and fro, finding one place more intolerable than another. He tried his hand at fishing, and vowed old Johnson was right when he described it as a rod with a fly at one end and a fool at the other. He visited various shooting boxes advertised for sale, and arranged in his own mind how the most attractive of them should be refitted and decorated to receive his bride—if Angela would consent to be his—of which he felt less and less secure as time passed by. He began letters to her and tore them up, second thoughts suggesting that he must not disobey her injunctions; but the longer he was absent from her the more intensely he longed to see her again, and the more his heart and his thoughts dwelt upon every minutiae of their meeting and acquaintance. At last he began to revive, as his term of banishment was more than half over, and the companionship of an old friend, the ex-surgeon-major of his regiment, who had retired and settled himself in good sporting quarters to enjoy the sweets of a comfortable bachelor existence, helped him not a little to get through the days, and especially the evenings. From this retreat a letter from Dixon summoned him.

"I wish you would return at once. I have a letter from Henderson, the Selwyns' solicitor, who asks for an

"GOOD BY, CAPT. FORRESTER."

interview to-morrow. I fancy he has something important to communicate. you had therefore better be on the spot," wrote the lawyer, and Forrester jumping happily to the conclusion that his opponents had found their position untenable and wished to make terms of some kind, and rejoicing at any necessity for returning to London, packed his portmanteau and drove off across "moor and mountain" to catch the night mail train at the station nearest his friend's house, where he had been staying for the past week.

"You have bad news for me, Dixon!" was Forrester's exclamation as they shook hands next morning in the former's office, where he hurried after making his toilette and eating his breakfast with appetite unimpaired by the anxiety, which nevertheless had grown on him through the darkness and silence of his journey.

"Yes, real bad news, I am sorry to say," returned Dixon, gravely.

"Out with it, then," said Forrester, laying aside his hat and drawing a chair opposite his friend.

"The interview proposed by Miss Selwyn's solicitor was prompted by an unusually conciliatory spirit. It was to show me the overwhelming proofs they hold of her priority to yourself as heir to your late grand-uncle, and propose an amicable settlement of the affair, so saving law expenses."

"What the devil! Do you mean to tell me that I must give up the fortune and go back to the old battle with insufficient means, without making a fight?"

"I am afraid, my dear fellow, there is nothing else for it," and Dixon proceeded to lay the facts of the case before his client. It appeared that Miss Selwyn *was* legitimate. The certificate of her father's and mother's marriage in an obscure village church, as well as her own birth, a couple of years later, in a German town, were in her solicitor's hands.

George Selwyn, a man of weak character, had been overwhelmed with grief when his wife died, not long after the birth of their daughter, and gladly accepted the offer to adopt her made by the child's maternal aunt, who was housekeeper in a noble family, and well off for her station. From thence forward he seemed to forget that he was a father, and his sister-in-law, never quite believing in the legality of his marriage, and too glad to keep the motherless little girl as her own, lost sight of Selwyn until, about a year before his death, she received a packet addressed her in his handwriting and accompanied by a letter in which he directed that the packet should not be opened until the little Sarah was nineteen, or his brother John was dead. He had always cherished the hope of reconciliation with his wealthy, powerful brother, who would never have forgiven him a low marriage. But death took him from mundane hopes and schemes.

The news of John Selwyn's death did not reach his niece till a considerable time after the event. Then her aunt opened the packet and found the papers now in her solicitor's hands, nor did the fact that his intestacy transformed her adopted daughter into an heiress occur to her till suggested by a friend of her husband who also recommended her to a solicitor.

[TO BE CONCLUDED.]

NOTICE

As directed by a resolution of the Township Committee of the township of Fanwood, county of Union, State of New Jersey, notice is hereby given that an application has been made to the Township Committee of the township of Fanwood aforesaid, by the New York and Philadelphia Traction Company, for permission to construct, operate and maintain a street railroad, with one or more tracks and necessary turnouts, to be operated by electricity or other motive power except steam, and to erect necessary poles, conduits and wires, power plant and necessary buildings along the following routes:

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The name of the corporation making the application is the New York and Philadelphia Traction Company.

The application was filed on the 15th day of February, eighteen hundred and ninety-five and will be considered by the Township Committee of the township of Fanwood, at a meeting to be held on the 7th day of March, eighteen hundred and ninety-five, at Excelsior Hall, at Scotch Plains, in the township of Fanwood aforesaid, county of Union, at 8 o'clock in the evening.

EDWARD L. HAND
Township Clerk.

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THE GERMAN BALL.

MUCH MERRY SPORT ON WASHINGTON'S BIRTHDAY EVE.

Members and Guests of the Gesang and Turn Verein Enjoy a Masquerade Dance and Supper.

The seventh annual masquerade ball of the Plainfield Gesang and Turn Verein took place in their hall on Somerset street Thursday evening. The entire hall was crowded to its utmost capacity, between 300 and 400 being present. The grand march started precisely at 9:30, led by Chas. Meyer, who was followed by the rest of the committee arrayed in gorgeous costumes, made especially for the occasion.

On entering the hall it was a beautiful sight to see the merry masqueraders at their height of frolic, under the glaring gaslight. On the walls were sketches of numerous funny people. Some very fine costumes were worn by those present, noticeable among those being Miss Sadie Connors and Mrs. Charles McIntosh, who were undoubtedly leading belles of the evening. At 12 all unmasked, and a march was again played, and all went down stairs to partake of an excellent supper.

The women who looked after the interests of the inner man were Mrs. William Belter, Mrs. Geo. Feller. Mrs. Bechtel, Mrs. Andrew Schlick and Miss O. Kellar.

After supper, dancing was again resumed until early morning.

Following are many of the dancers and their costumes:

Miss Minnie Kiely, Queen of the May
" J Waters, Princess
" S Dorfeer, Spanish Baby Girl
" A Seidling, Flower Girl
" A Haurand, Domino
" M Waters, Summer Girl
" Mamie Kiely, Maid of Athens
" A Doyle, Dancing Girl
" Grace Huff, Actress
" L Muldowney, Texas Steer
" M Muldowney, Ballet Girl
" F Flynn, Ballet Dancer
" A Feiring, Tambourine Girl
" M Diem, Tambourine Girl
" Ada Fallar, Mountaineer
" Minnie Bachtle, Mountaineer
" Marienscheck, French Queen
" Pauline Mercier, Drummer Girl
" Lillie Woodland, Italian Girl
" Edith Thatcher, Spanish Dancer
" Lena Weber, Dancing Girl
" L Rafferty, Ballet Girl
Mrs H Wedemeyer, School Girl
" Pedefious, Star Spangled Banner
" N Daly, Dancing Girl
" T Marley, Peasant Girl
" Feiring, Martha Washington
" Theo Vroom, Gypsy
" H Klinsman, Fairy Girl
Miss Jennie Henderson, Ballet Dancer
" A Duzenbury, Flower Girl
" Nellie Parkinson, School Girl
" M Oge, Tambourine Girl
" P Frantz, Gypsy Girl
" Freda Frantz, Swiss Bride
" A Scheelein, Empire Costume
" L Scheelein, Checker Girl
" S Jones, Old-Fashioned Girl
Mrs George Richter, Empire Costume
" Chas Myers, School Girl
" Jacob Schlick, School Girl
" E Hoerster, Turkish Girl
" Johnson Wilson, Circus Rider
" Charles McIntosh, Dreams of Spring
P Blimm, Aunt Dinah
W Kennedy, Minstrel
Jacob Schlick, Baby Esther
John Wirth, Charles II
A B Carpenter, Cadet
Geo Jones, Dude
Wm Boe, Militiaman
H Klinsman, Hunter
Frank Foster, Clown
A Hoffman, Gambler
H Foose, Uncle Sam
H McComas, Waiter
Henry Sodeur, Clown
A McComas, After the Ball
Geo Kieding, Summer Sport
J. Conneely, Clown
M Cannon, Fat Boy
H Bogart, Dude
Frank Kellar, Impersonator
Fred Bowden, Clown
Chas Kellar, Dr. Parkhurst
Chas McIntosh, English Soldier

Following was the committee in charge:

Floor Manager—Chas. Meyer.
First Assistant—E. Hoerster.
Second Assistant—Ed Schierboetz.
Floor Committee—M. Schoettlin, John Roetzer.
Reception Committee—A. Wolff, George Richter.

The officers of the association are:

President—Chas. Dresselt.
Vice-president—Geo. Richter.
Recording Secretary—M. Schoettlin.
Financial Secretary—Chas. Felber.
Treasurer—A. Wolff.

The committee, in costume, were photographed yesterday.

Nothing happened during the entire evening to mar the pleasures of the merry crowd. The ball was in every way a success. Good order was maintained all the evening, and the committee deserve credit for the manner in which the affair was handled.

A Des Moines woman who has been troubled with frequent colds, concluded to try an old remedy in a new way, and accordingly took a tablespoonful (four times the usual dose) of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy just before going to bed. The next morning she found that her cold had almost entirely disappeared. During the day she took a few doses of the remedy (one teaspoonful at a time) and at night again took a tablespoonful before going to bed, and on the following morning awoke free from all symptoms of the cold. Since then she has, on several occasions, used this remedy in like manner with the same good results, and is much elated over her discovery of so quick a way of curing a cold. For sale at Reynolds's pharmacy, Park and North aves. T. S. Armstrong, manager.

LIVING PICTURES OF 1776.

A Martha Washington Tea Gives an Idea of Colonial Society.

Powdered hair and colonial costumes, together with a liberal display of the red, white and blue, gave the parlors of the First Presbyterian Church an air of patriotism last night, when the women of the Sunday-school served a Martha Washington tea, that was appropriate to the day.

The character of Martha, who was the presiding functionary of tea, was portrayed by Mrs. J. M. Bettman, and that of George by George O. Stevens.

At the head of the serving table Martha poured coffee and at the other end Mrs. Ladd poured tea, while flitting in and out among the seven other tables the following young women served the guests: Misses Blish, Ladd, Overton, Herring, VanWinkle, Vermeule, Petrie, Dayton, Glenn and Remsen.

The following were the committee who had general charge of the affair: Mesdames Bettman, Ladd, Dunn, Pope, Misses Blish, Remsen, Blair and Petrie.

The supper was given for the benefit of the carpet fund, and a handsome sum was realized for that purpose.

THE SECOND BAKING.

Bread Wagon Burned in North Plainfield's Leading Thoroughfare.

The curious sight of a wagon enveloped in flames was a spectacle that greeted the vision of pedestrians and residents of Somerset street near Warren Engine House at 8 yesterday morning. The vehicle belonged to Henry A. Voehl, baker. It was his best wagon, and had just returned from the early morning delivery, preparatory to starting on another route. Like all bakery wagons, it was a covered one, and on the inside was a lighted lantern which is used for illumination before daylight, and which had not yet been extinguished.

It is evident that the lantern exploded while the driver, Mr. Voehl, was in the bakery, for the attention of several bystanders was attracted by smoke and fire coming from the inside of the wagon. Before water could be obtained and the flames quenched the upper portion of the wagon, which was a new one, was destroyed, together with a small amount of bread, etc. The horse was prevented from running away, and taken from the shafts.

WASHINGTON SUPPER.

Grace M. E. Church Has a Patriotic Entertainment.

The supper and entertainment given by the Ladies Aid Society of the Grace M. E. Church last night was well attended, and afforded a pleasant evening to the members and friends. From 6 to 9 the supper was served in the parlors under the supervision of the following women: Mrs. J. Valiant, chairman; Mesdames J. Lunger, W. Lunger, Sheppard, Carroll, Morton, L. Hummer, C. Hummer, Schuck, Vermeule, Winckler, Carney, Demott, Loomis, Garry, Nelson, Most, Griffin, Randolph, Taft and Miss Belle Lunger.

After the refreshments had been cleared away the following programme was rendered in an excellent manner:

Piano Solo—"Song of the Birds,"
Miss Bessie Valiant
Solo.....Miss Alice Carroll
Dialogue, "An Afternoon Out"—Misses Addie Carney, Carrie Pangborn, Nellie Vermeule, Hattie Messerschmidt and Nellie Valiant.
Recitation, "The Wedding Bee",
Miss Edna French
Singing, "America".....Queen Esther Band

Danced in Memory of George.

To the tuneful music of Windnagle's orchestra 75 merry couples tripped in with fantastic steps the 163d birthday of George Washington in the T. A. B. Hall on East Fourth street Thursday night. The dance was given by the T. A. B. society, and the committee of arrangements was as follows: P. J. Reville, P. J. Mack, C. McCarthy, P. Cullen and M. O'Keefe.

The dancing commenced at 9:30, and during the intermission between 12 and 1 an entertainment was furnished by a colored quartette, which afforded a pleasant change to the programme. A number was present from Bound Brook.

The management of the floor was in charge of P. Reville and C. McCarthy.

Lawyer C. L. Murphy.

Among the successful applicants to the Supreme Court in Trenton for admission to the bar of New Jersey was Clarence L. Murphy of this city. Lawyer Murphy will practice in this city, and intends to open an office about March 1.

—Rev. Dr. Barrett will close the Mission in Grace Church tomorrow.

The experience of Geo. A. Apgar, of German Valley, N. J., is well worth remembering. He was troubled with chronic diarrhoea and doctored for five months and was treated by four different doctors without benefit. He then began using Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, of which one small bottle effected a complete cure. It is for sale at Reynolds's pharmacy, Park and North aves. T. S. Armstrong, manager

GAY MINSTRELS' NIGHT

With Wild Delight to See the Show the People Flock.

FOR EVERYONE 'T WAS LOTS OF FUN

Except the "Tea at Four o'Clock"—Though Play Fell Flat, the Songs Were Fat, and All the Jokes Made Laughter Loud—But 'Tis Confessed That Some Liked Best the Rough and Tumble of the Crowd.

As the sands pour down in the hourglass, so poured the people into the Casino of the Union County Country Club Thursday night, when the Muhlenberg Hospital Benefit took place. You who have seen the mass of minute particles push at the tiny opening and pile up with amazing rapidity in the other bulb, can imagine how the crowd surged through the door of the cozy playhouse and took possession. Those of you who were there, need no description to remind you of the football rush in which you participated.

A big attendance had been expected, from the first mention of the project. Amateur performances by Plainfield society talent have never known failure, and the Hospital has a big place in the popular heart. All the members of the Woman's Auxiliary Board, and other prominent women in addition, were patronesses, the drug stores had tickets for sale, and the newspapers were advertising the affair liberally.

Lewis G. Timpson, who was hustling the business management of the show, saw how things were going, and advised that Music Hall be engaged because it was so much larger. That was vetoed, and he suggested that the Casino seats be reserved. The Board of Governors of the Hospital said no, that everyone must stand an equal chance of getting a good seat. So the sale of tickets went merrily on without reserve. There were 70 patronesses; and with that eagerness to sell all her allotment of tickets which characterizes the Plainfield patroness and makes her an invaluable adjunct to a social charity entertainment, each industriously performed her part, generally with calm disregard of Manager Timpson's frantic appeals to render him an accounting a few days before the performance. Many of the fair ticketsellers had not made returns up to the night of the entertainment, and 15 had n't been heard from up to last night, so no one knew how many seats had been disposed of. Provision was made for an extra crowd, by the placing of 75 more seats, the weather was doubtful, and the management trusted to Providence, and to the hard times that make amusement managers mournful, to keep the attendance within the capacity of the house.

But the dark skies and the rain and snow squalls gave place to beautiful starlight; the electric street lighting circuit of the Casino district broke down, giving to a promenade or a drive that additional attraction of a spice of adventure and romance which black night under a brilliant heaven always inspires; and the Country Club's home was a pretty blaze for the society butterflies to flutter to.

At 7 those wise in their generation began to gather. The fiat had gone forth that the doors would be opened exactly at 7:30, but previous experiences had taught some that there was a way to the Casino through the clubhouse. This precedent, however, appeared to have been abrogated, the order being that not one person should be admitted to the Casino till the 7:30 stroke; and so the earlycomers just had to accumulate, and struggle, and pound on the doors that were shut in front of them.

The ticket-takers peeped with alarm at the fast-gathering crowd, and went through a series of athletic drills and braced their backs with oak planks, preparatory to tackling the oncoming onslaught.

As a result of the indoor council of war, only one narrow door was thrown back when the time for opening came. Even through that the people poured almost too fast for the ticket-takers to handle. Many had tickets ready, and many cast dollar bills instead into the treasurers' hands, and all swept on into the hall and took possession. The ushers made a valiant stand, but in spite of their good looks and politeness they were supremely ignored. It was society's night, the Plainfield public's night, and society and the Plainfield public swarmed everywhere and swooped down upon the seats and forthwith occupied them all without the aid of conventional escorts.

Charles J. Fisk, the Puck of the Country Club, never broke his perennial smile as he said to Manager Timpson "If you want police to keep back the crowd and drive out all those who have n't bought tickets in advance, I 'll get you all the cops you need." One bluecoat was outside, a spectator, and Chief Engineer Doane of the Fire Department was at hand in his handsome uniform and handsome form, ready to bring on the apparatus if the friction of the rush generated a blaze.

There were two streams of people, converging at the door. One line had been formed on the piazza of the clubhouse, headed at the Casino entrance, and the second was massed on the Arlington avenue sidewalk and shoved its way up the steps. The chief ambition of each line was not to let the other get ahead faster than itself. So it was a lively time

Everybody was proud because nobody got mad, and the "characteristic good-nature of American crowds" was extolled as the most admirable of virtues. The elegant finery of feminine skirts was trampled, and the shapeliness of feminine gowns was crushed; headdress and toilettes on which hours had been spent, were tangled and battered into such uncomeliness as is well pictured in the sight of a discarded silk hat: what cared the wearers!—they were going to get there though it cost 'em their wardrobes, and they did n't often get a chance for that kind of fun At 7:50 the Casino was so full that an outsider who was crying "Hot tamales" said the windows bulged out into bows, and it was remarked that the big fat sandwiches of tickets and dollar bills in the hands of the men at the door had stretched their fingers into extension ladders. Every seat was full; every aisle was full; and there were more a-coming. Nobody fainted, and everybody smiled and felt good because no one had said a bad word.

The Casino looked well, as ever; the walls and arches and fireplace were still hung with green; and the animation, and the hum of voices, and the blaze of light, and the soft sweet music, were a rest after the general wrestling tournament. Rose's orchestra was playing, just as it plays in the Lyceum Theatre; the greatest show of the Plainfield season was about to begin; and everybody that knew one another was there to enjoy.

The vibrations of the stage curtains indicated that the performance was about to begin, when Mr. Fisk burst forth like a sunbeam and said:

"Through some fault of the management, the house has been largely oversold. We therefore announce that the entertainment will be repeated next Tuesday evening, and those who wish may retire and receive tickets for the second performance, or may get their money back, as they prefer." This was applauded, but not many went away. The house continued packed throughout. The actual attendance was 620. The seating capacity was 480. Eighty-five people paid at the door, and many latecomers were refused admission. Chief Engineer Doane prudently and firmly kept the aisles free from chairs.

A tinkle of the bell, a preliminary chord of music, and there came the gentle singing of "My Old Kentucky Home". The curtains were drawn apart, and the Plainfield amateur minstrels stood revealed in all their excellence. Blackface were they all, and wigged. The predominant costume was conventional evening dress, which Plainfield young men wear with such accustomed ease and grace. The end men wore white duck coats the fulness of whose skirts betokened that at some time they had done service as sails for Yankee cup-defenders; they were wonderful to behold in their matchless stiffness, and since they were laundered the price of starch must have jumped amazingly. Down the sides of the nether garments, also of white duck, ran gaudy broad red stripes; and red waistcoats peeped forth in glimpses above the collars of the tight-waisted coats whose mammoth wide-spreading skirts stood stiff, out like abbreviated and disarranged hoops. Jumbo chrysanthemums weighted each manly heart, and a tousled topknot stuck up from each crown like a medieval doorknob. The boutonnieres of the others were red and white pinks.

Two Georges were the Bonesee—George F. Schoonmaker and George O. Stevens; and the tambos were thumped and twirled by Howard W. Beebe and Clarence Cree. Mr. Cree was a foreign importation from Elizabeth, to remind Plainfield that she has n't all the brains and brightness of the earth; and all the others were home talent except Messrs. Taylor and Lehman, who had accommodatingly come from Lehigh University to fill the places of Fred G. Smith and C. W. Abbott, unfortunately kept home by illness.

Middleman Fred Walz had grouped about him besides these the following: Geo. B. Schoonmaker, Frank Cokefair, Robert Lewis, Arthur Freeman, Robert Clark, Will N. Runyon, Elmer E. Runyon, John Taylor, Jr., Fletcher D. Hallock, James H. Hallock, Elston French, B. Dalziell Schoonmaker, Nathaniel Miller, E. H. Janes, Frederick Denicke, and P. S. Castleman.

'Twas a bangup minstrel show; the jokes were clean, mostly new; the voices were good, and their songs tuneful; the instrumental music was fine; the local flings were witty without being unkind; there was a lively intermingling of humor and sentiment; the performers showed that it was possible for gentlemen to black up and give a minstrel show without a tiresome abundance of horseplay and without sinking their personality.

The opening overture was a medley of such airs as "There's a Little Spot in Ireland", "Do, Do, My Huckleberry Do", "Go to Sleep, My Baby", and the irresistible "Tommy Atkins", with incidental solos by Messrs. Cokefair, Cree and Stevens, and amusing antics by all the end men. Then, with many witticisms interspersed, the following programme was rendered:

Ballad—"Bedouin Love Song".
Arthur Freeman
Song—"If Barnum Were Alive".
George O. Stevens
Selection.....Banjo Club
Song—"Song of the Steeple".
Columbia College Quartette
A Few Remarks.....George Taggart
Song—"Standing on the Corner".
Clarence Cree
Ballad—"I Wonder".....Elmer E. Runyon
Plantation Medley.....Double Quartette
Xylophone Solo.....Fletcher D. Hallock
Topical Song.....Will N. Runyon
Finale.....Minstrel Troupe and Orchestra

The troupe was an aggregate of exceptional talent, and all won much praise and applause. The soloists all were encored, and all the jokes were laughed at. When there was sentiment, it was appreciated, even by the burlesquing Bonsee and Tambos, who wept crocodile tears. When there was fun—and it was always in evidence in some part of the stage—the buoyancy of hearts inspired forgetfulness of the weariness of standing in a crowd.

Some of the gags were wanderers recaptured—as that of the man who put business before pleasure and so appeared at the show instead of attending his mother-in-law's funeral, and who could find no complaint for her death—but even the backnumbers were given with a refreshing vim, and were spiced by the many new ones. A woman riding horseback up a hill was said to be like a big girl giving a little girl a little dog, because she gave a little gal a pup. Even this did n't cause a stampede for fresh air, but on the contrary the mirthful people cried like Oliver Twist for more.

George Hallock came in for a great ad in one of Stevens's gags. After Bones had wondered why Hallock as a temperance man did n't keep prohibition goods, he went on to explain that owing to the hard times all the goods in the store had taken a drop; that the first time he took one of Hallock's umbrellas out it got soaked; that when he put on a pair of Hallock's pants he found them full and after they had been worn out in the night dew they were the tightest pair he ever saw; that a coat he got of Hallock got on a terrible tear; and that one day when he went in the store he could n't find a collar that would stand up.

This, the audience heard, and shrieked with delight. Perhaps it was the way George told it. He was always funny, and a great hit. He was particularly good in his song, which Wade Whipple wrote especially for the occasion, and for which he was called out again and again. It ran:

IF BARNUM WERE ALIVE.

(AS SUNG BY GEORGE O. STEVENS.)

In traveling through the nation,
Alive to observation,
By day or night
Some novel sight
Will more than common note invite;
And when with application
To study them we strive,
We wonder where some folks would be—
If Barnum were alive.

CHORUS.

Ha, ha, ha! Ha, ha, ha!
There's some funny show,
Ha, ha, ha! Ha, ha, ha!
Everywhere we go.
And when such illustration
Assails our observation
We wonder where some folks would be—
If Barnum were alive.

Our city pas discerning
To trolley progress turning,
Will grant their prayer
If they will swear
To pave with gold the thoroughfare,
And give then of their earning
Per cent 'bout 25—
Now where as sharpers would they be,
If Barnum were alive! CHO—

Just note our Plainfield coppers—
As detectives they are whoppers—
So sleek and sly
When rogues they'd spy
A very shrewd disguise they try,
Brass buttons and blue toppers
To wear they do contrive—
Now where d'ye think these chaps would be,
If Barnum were alive! CHO—

There's Mr. Elmer Runyon—
He's neither corn nor bunion—
Beneath the hat
That covers pat [at,
The man who knows just where he's
Though bald as any onion,
Great thoughts within him strive—
You could not get him in a cage,
If Barnum were alive. CHO—

A health unto our Billy!
The chap who willy nilly
With song and jest
In genius drest
Will jar the buttons off your vest;
And up Fame's pathway hilly
At top he'll soon arrive,
And be the greatest show on earth—
Though Barnum were alive. CHO—

'Twould please me to continue
This song that seems to win you,
But there's no doubt
That I'm about
Of respiration quite played out;
And if my vocal sinew
To strain I'd further strive,
You'd shortly find that I would be,
Like Barnum—not alive. CHO—

Wade Whipple is the pen name for another Stevens, an uncle of George. The score as well as the verse was by him, except that W. E. MacClymont harmonized the chorus.

George Taggart was at his best, and his best can't be beat by any ordinary humorist. He came out in a Paderewski wig, checkered trousers that could be heard clear to Westfield, and a long linen duster that had been shredded into carpet rags. He explained his condition by saying he had been toying with Mr. McQuaide's dog. He said dawg, and looked hurt when some one told him to say dog. "That 's all right",—he replied—"I know that dog is right generally—but you have n't met this animal."

A New York friend of his—he continued—had spent Blizzard day with him, seeing the Plainfield country: they had viewed the City Park, and he being used to Central Perk confessed he had never seen anything like this; after enjoying the fountains and the statues they had taken a glimpse at Hotel Albino, and searched through the Public Library in an effort to find the public. They had inspected the residence of J. Parker Mason, famous for being the place where all the euchre prizes went; and they had skated on the New Brooklyn or New Market lake—he did n't know which, as he never could tell those two cities apart. Mr. Taggart concluded his running fire of witticisms with a realistic recitation of the New York Sun's great new poem "And the Young Man Sat and Waited". He was recalled, and gave a burlesque of Henry Irving, which was admirable and encored.

As if Elmer Runyon had not already been reminded of his Bill Nyeness, a fly was represented as taking possession of his cranium, and saying that as there was no heir apparent it had usurped the crown. Thomas Van Boskerck was reported to have named his horse "Oyster" because he made the saddle rock. Thus with jest and song merry and musical went the minstrel show. One of the chief hits of the night was the original song of Will Runyon, the genius and joker, who is always enthusiastically welcomed in public or private entertainment. He sang, with repeated recalls and amid uproarious applause, the following:

IF THE MAYOR WOULD ONLY GIVE HIS JOB TO ME.

(AS WRITTEN AND SUNG BY WM. N. RUNYON.)

I'll sing, dear friends, of several things that I would surely do—
If the Mayor would only give his job to me;
I'd reform the City Government and all the people too—
If the Mayor would only give his job to me:
I'd appoint J. Parker Mason to be Justice of the Peace,
And Charlie Fisk would get a job as Captain of Police;
With this great pair the greengoods men their victims could not fleece—
If the Mayor would only give his job to me.

CHORUS.

Oh, well, well, I really cannot tell
Of all the changes you would quickly see;
But you bet your hat we would all get fat—
If the Mayor would only give his job to me.

I'd build a fine new Court House and the dearest little Jail—
If the Mayor would only give his job to me:
I'd feed the inmates every day on buckwheat cakes and quail—
If the Mayor would only give his job to me;
I'd make Fred Andrews warden, and his ways so debonnaire
Would give the city prison such a real Hope Chapel air
That all the ministers in town would spend their Summers there—
If the Mayor would only give his job to me.
CHO—

A message to the City Fathers I would quickly send—
If the Mayor would only give his job to me;
And one reform much needed, I should strongly recommend—
If the Mayor would only give his job to me:
I would n't kick because they lay those sewer pipes so slow,
Nor if on Charlie Corwin's head more hair should start to grow,
But I would make that trolley run where someone wants to go—
If the Mayor would only give his job to me.
CHO—

The young men too who live in town, would quickly change their ways—
If the Mayor would only give his job to me;
I'd make a model set of them inside of thirty days—
If the Mayor would only give his job to me:
I'd capture Jimmy Leonard for my confidential clerk,
For Corporation Counsel I would nominate Bill Kirk,
And I'd have the Council pass a law to make Pete Matthews work—
If the Mayor would only give his job to me.
CHO—

The Courier-News and Daily Press would never scrap and fight—
If the Mayor would only give his job to me;
They would print nice things about each other every single night—
If the Mayor would only give his job to me:
I 'd mesmerize the Editors, and then there would be fun—
For out would come The Press and say "The Courier yanks the bun",
And the Courier-News in turn would call The Press "A Number 1"—
If the Mayor would only give his job to me,
CHO—

Now Mr. Gilbert, let me say, that you need never fear—
If you 'll only give your lovely job to me;
I 'll give you lots of work to do throughout the coming year—
If you 'll only give your lovely job to me;
I 'll hire the alleys downstairs, and I 'll set you there to bowl,
I 'll bring the town around each night to cheer you as you roll,
I 'll warrant you a steady line of pleasure, bless your soul!—
If you 'll only give your lovely job to me.
CHO—

Mr. Freeman deserves praise, and won it, for his excellent singing of the difficult "Bedouin Love Song". "I've Been Working on the Levee" was a particularly appreciated melody by the double quartette, Messrs. Walz, G. B. Schoonmaker, Lewis, Clark, Runyon, Cokefair, Freeman, and W. N. Runyon. The Columbia College Quartette, Messrs. Miller, Denicke, Janes and Castleman, gave delightful music. The banjo club afforded full enjoyment through the deft fingers of

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HOW THEY KEPT HIS DAY

They Sit Twelve Hours Discussing Many Measures.

Senate Employes Salaries Said To Be the Best in the Capitol—Breckinridge Criticises—Honors for the Mexican Government—May Hold Sessions on Sunday.

Washington, Feb. 23.—George Washington's birthday was celebrated by the house by sitting almost twelve hours with a recess from 5 to 8 o'clock last evening. It assembled at 11 a. m., under the order made yesterday, and adjourned at 10:30 p. m. The day day, and adjourned at 10:30. The day session was occupied mainly in the consideration of the deficiency bill for the year ending June 30, 1895, which was begun Thursday. There were matters which gave rise to extended debate. The first was the paragraph appropriating $140,000 to be paid by the attorney-general for expenses in enforcing the orders of United States courts for the protection of property in the hands of receivers during the railroad strikes of last summer. This was antagonized by Messrs. Livingston (dem., Ga.) and Boatner (dem., La.), and criticized by Mr. Breckinridge (dem., Ky.), in charge of the bill; and advocated by Messrs. Cannon (rep., Ill.); Henderson (rep., Ia.) and Sayers (dem., Tex.) An amendment was agreed to on motion by Mr. Baker (rep., N. H.) directing the attorney-general to report in detail to congress the disbursements under the appropriation, and in that form the item remained in the bill.

Cannot Get His Salary.

The other matter was a proposition to pay W. Jasper Blackburn salary as a representative from a Louisiana district, from March 4, 1867, to April 16, 1868. This led to a long discussion on a point of order, as to whether or not a vacancy existed in the district for that period, inasmuch as the state was not given representation in congress under the reconstruction acts until the latter date. The amendment was ruled out.

There was considerable discussion in the course of the session also regarding the policy of paving certain employes of the house for extra and special services over and above the salaries fixed. Mr. Cannon (rep., Ill.) took the ground that if it were necessary or desirable to make these offers in order to equalize the salaries of employes of the house, who, he said were the best paid men in government employ, except the employes of the senate, the house should take a day or two and rearrange the whole list.

The bill was not completed when the committee rose.

They Express Gratification.

Speaker Crisp announced the following members on the part of the house of the boards of visitors to the military and naval academies. To West Point—Messrs. Wheeler (dem., Ala.); Washington (dem., Tenn.) and Milliken (rep., Me.)

To Annapolis—Messrs. Sayers (dem., Tex.); Tate (dem., Ga.) and Hull (rep., Ia.)

The concurrent resolution passed by the senate yesterday, expressing the gratification of congress at the honors paid by the government of Mexico to the late Hon. Isaac P. Gray, minister to that country, was agreed to.

Before taking the recess at 5 o'clock, under the rule, the house passed the senate bill postponing, at the request of Great Britain, the enforcement of the international regulations of August, 1890, to prevent collisions at sea.

At 8 o'clock the house re-assembled for a session of two and a half hours to be devoted to the consideration of private pensions bills.

In the Senate.

The session of the senate was taken up almost exclusively with the consideration of the Indian appropriation bill, and yet, when the senate adjourned at 5:35, that bill (after three days being devoted to it) was far from finished, and a proposition that the final vote should be taken on it before adjournment to-day requiring unanimous consent, was promptly negatived with an objection from Mr. Chandler (rep., N. H.)

A prior proposition that the vote should be taken at 3 p. m., to-day had been defeated by an objection from Mr. Pettigrew (rep., S. D.), who spoke of an attempt that was to be made at that hour to get up the railroad pooling bill and to sit it out—holding sessions this evening and Sunday. He gave notice that as soon as the Indian appropriation bill was disposed of legitimately, he would interpose delay in every way possible, and that the pooling bill would not become a law at this session of congress if he could prevent it; much less would it be considered on Sunday.

With business matters in this very unsatisfactory position and notwithstanding a warning from Mr. Call (dem., Fla.)—in charge of the Indian appropriation bill—that if that bill were not passed some of the great appropriation bills would fall, the senate quietly proceeded to the consideration of the executive business and at 5:35 adjourned.

Their Thrilling Ride.

Kent, O., Feb. 23.—John Willards, Harry Stratton, Samuel Parkerson and William Russell were the heroes of a thrilling ride on an ice boat on Lake Brady yesterday. The Russell boy constructed the boat and his companions helped him launch it. Sails were spread, the boys got aboard and away went the boat like a streak of lightning. The lake is about a mile long and it is estimated that the boat was just thirty seconds in reaching the other end where it ran into land and struck a tree. The machine was demolished and the boys were more or less injured.

Senators' Black Eyes.

Denver, Feb. 23.—A disgraceful row occurred in the state senate yesterday. Senator Mills in the course of debate called Senator Peace a liar. Mills then threw a paper weight at Peace and the senators clinched and fought viciously. The result was four black eyes and a lively flow of blood. The contestants were finally separated. The senate ordered an investigation of the fracas and adjourned.

HAVE NOTHING TO ARBITRATE.

Monday To Witness the Greatest Strike in New York.

New York, Feb. 23.—The executive board of the board of delegates of the building trades held a three-hour session yesterday afternoon. Afterwards, Delegate P. J. Anslow, of the stone cutters, said: "The executive board has approved the action already taken workers with all the resources at its and it will back up the Electrical command. The Electrical workers are skilled men, and yet they are the only men in the building trades who are at present compelled to work more than eight hours. Even laborers work but eight hours, while the wire workers have a nine-hour day. The building trades are a unit in their support. At present we are waiting to see what the Mason Builders' association, that is the master builders, will do. Although they have claimed heretofore to stand for principle of arbitration, in this matter they appear to be determined to back up the Electrical contractors, who have refused to arbitrate."

From further statements it appears that the real struggle now is with the builders, and it was said that the question as to whether the contractors were successful in hiring many non-union Electrical workers was really a minor matter.

Mr. Anslow, however, denied the report that this strike was really but a pretext designed to bring on a general trial of strength between the unions and the bosses. Both sides are well organized, and the bosses allege that if they yield in the matter of the Electrical workers, it will be followed by demands all along the line.

The report that the men had been ordered out on the new St. Luke's hospital buildings, and that they had refused to go, was denied in toto "the men are willing to go out at any time," said Mr. Anslow, "but the report that they had already been ordered out was a mistake."

HE WAS BOILED ALIVE.

Fell into a Vat of Boiling Water in a Tannery.

Newark, N. J., Feb. 23.—In Dwyer's lether factory, Newark, are several large vats filled with boiling water covering deposits of tan bark. Narrow boards wet and slippery with steam, are laid across the tops of the vats, and occasionally a workman is hardy enough to cross one of the vats by means of the board. Peter Fitzpatrick, of Newark, was making such an attempt yesterday when his foot slipped and he fell into the boiling water. He sank in up to his armpits, his feet touching the layer of bark. The vat's walls were slippery and its rim above his reach. He splashed about wildly in his awful bath, and when fellow wrkmen who had heard his shrieks, came to his aid, he was still conscious and screaming in agony. His body was literally boiled, skin falling off in large patches, disclosing the raw-boiled flesh. The pain was intense, and Fitzpatrick, still conscious, moaned continuously. It was difficult to handle him as at every touch his flesh, literally cooked, dropped off in large fragments. At length he was got into an ambulance and taken to the City hospital where he was swathed in cotton batting and soaked with soothing oils and salves. This morning he was at the point of death.

"DOES FARMING PAY?"

A Lively Interest Taken at the Farmer's Institute.

Richfield Springs, N. Y., Feb. 23.—The attendance at the Farmers' institute continues to be large. Much interest and discussion was aroused by the question box. Dr. N. Gettman delivered a very able paper on "Does Farming Pay?" in which he proclaimed that the farmer should stay at home and attend to his business and not be spending his time in hotels, at horse races, ball games and other sports, and that he should sell his product when it is ready for the market. He was followed by F. A. Ives on the subject "Some Cause of Failure in Farming." The subjects, "The Silo, How to Build and When to Make it a Success," "Practical Poultry Keeping" and "Small Fruits for the Farmer," were well handled by E. Vanalstine, and J. and F. A. Converse, and with them a very successful institute closes.

Captain Slevin Dead.

New York, Feb. 23.—Capt. Slevin was on duty yesterday and went to bed at midnight in the best of health. About 2 o'clock in the morning his wife was awakened by his restlessness. He complained of violent pains in his stomach but refused to allow his wife to call a physician. At 7 o'clock his condition was so alarming that Police Surgeon Cook was called. He found Capt. Slevin cold and pulseless. He was convinced that he was suffering from the perforation of an intestine and called two physicians in for consultation. They deemed the operation of laparotemy necessary but the captain was so low they decided that he could not survive it. He died shortly afterward. A wife and two children survive him.

Lost in the Flames.

Hot Springs, Ark., Feb. 23.—Fire broke out in the Ledgerwood bakery in this city yesterday. It is in the southern part of the city where boarding houses abound, and in an hour three women had been burned to death, six boarding houses, several store houses, and fifteen cottages, in all worth $100,000 had been swept away. The dead are: Mrs. Laura Scammon Mrs. Henry J. McLood, Augustine Stivetto (colored). Mr. and Mrs. G. H Brownson, of Macon, Mo.; Mrs. Peacock and others were injured, but none dangerously.

He Died of Fright.

St. Louis, Feb. 23.—Henry Quinn, colored, residing in this city was suffering from intermittent fever when a case of small pox was found near his home. The doctors of the health department called to examine him which convinced Quinn he had taken the disease. He became delirious and died last night of fright.

Lost in the Flames.

Princeton, Ill., Feb. 23.—The American house, a four story hotel of this city, was partially destroyed by fire early this morning. Four dining room girls were nearly suffocated and had a narrow escape for their lives. Their exit was made through a portion of the burning hotel.

DISCUSSION ON SILVER

A Banker and Congressman Review the Situation.

Mr. St. John Advocates the Redemption of United States Notes in Silver Dollars and Asks Will the Secretary Neglect His Opportunity—Mr. Springer's Reply.

Washington, Feb. 23.—The following interesting correspondence has been made public:

"Hon. William M. Springer, Chairman of the Committee on Banking and Currency, Washington.

"My Dear Sir—When before your honorable committee in December I commended the redemption of United States notes in gold only, at that time, under the conditions then of extraordinary weakness of the treasury, I added that 'the United States was (earlier) able to redeem greenbacks and treasury notes in silver and laugh at such consequences as could have ensued.'

"Under the profound conviction that the present condition of the treasury reserve and liberal accumulations of idle money in New York and other money centres afford together a new opportunity to do so safely, I write to beg of you to urge the secretary of the treasury to exercise the option conferred on him by law and redeem the United States notes in standard silver dollars. The treasury reserve is now composed of about $105,000,000 gold and only about $15,000,000 of free silver.

"If the secretary will instruct the treasury and every assistant treasurer of the United States to meet demands for the redemption of United States notes in standard silver dollars only and to continue the instruction for a reasonable time, the achievement will be, in all details, and in every respect, a happy one; and no more interest-bearing public debt will need to be created. On the other hand, if the secretary of the treasury shall neglect this opportunity, the neglect may prove one more just ground for fault finding with his administration of our public finances.

"Very respectfully yours,
"William P. St. John.

"New York, Feb. 21, 1895."

Mr. Springer's Reply.

"Wm. P. St. John, Esq., President Mercantile National Bank, New York.

"My Dear Sir—Your letter of the 21st inst., is received. In answer thereto permit me to say: I am under the profound conviction that the present conditon of the treasury reserve and liberal accumulations of idle money in New York afford together a new opportunity for you to exercise the discretion conferred on you by law to pay all checks at the bank of which you are president in standard silver dollars.

"If you should pursue this course for a reasonable time the achievement will be in all details and in every respect a happy one. On the other hand, if you should neglect this opportunity, the neglect may prove one more just ground for fault finding with those financiers who preach one doctrine and practice another.

"I am very truly yours,
"William M. Springer.

"Washington, Feb. 22, 1895."

His Intentions Were Honest.

Minneapolis, Minn., Feb. 23.—A letter from Louis F. Menage, the fugitive president of the Northwestern Guarantee Loan company in which $5,000,000 was sunk, is printed in an afternoon paper. Menage explains at length the real estate transactions of the concern to show how most of them would have been profitable if the panic had not come. He says his intentions were honest and that to have remained meant death or the insane asylum. He proposes to return and settle the affairs of the creditors saving much thereby if prosecution is dropped for five years.

He Is Slowly Sinking.

Troy, N. Y., Feb. 23.—Major General Joseph B. Carr, who was three times secretary of state and once a candidate for lieutenant-governor and who is a member of the Gettysburg battlefield commission, is slowly sinking at his home in this city. He has been confined to the house several weeks by hopeless illness, the result of a cancer which first manifested itself years ago in his mouth and for which several operations have been performed.

Populist Very Much Alive.

Kansas City, Mo., Feb. 23.—The national Reform association, in annual session decided to establish a new daily paper in this city, to be the national organ of populism. The paper will be under the editorial management of Paul J. Dixon, of the Missouri World, of Chillicothe, Mo., and the plate service and syndicate letters of the association under charge of S. W. Morgan, of Hardy, Ark., will also be issued from here.

They View His Remains.

Union City, Ind., Feb. 23.—The Gray funeral train arrived here yesterday at 11 o'clock. Large crowds met the train at intermediate stations. At Winchester the casket was opened and many people viewed the remains. The city is draped in black. The remains were taken to Cadwallader's opera house where services were held in the afternoon.

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A "CUE" FOR THE PUBLIC.

Helen Barry, the Actress, Finds a Splendid Tonic in Paine's Celery Compound.

The play is done, the curtain drops,
Slow falling to the prompter's bell
A moment yet the actress stops and looks around to say farewell.
It is an irksome word and task,
And when she's laughed and said her say,
She shows as she removes her mask a face that's anything but gay.

Acting is not all gaiety, lights, and applause.

There is a deal of drudgery, vexation, and heartache that the people in the front of the house little imagine.

Mary Anderson used to advise young stage-struck girls to keep off the stage. The feverish excitement, the late hours, the drudgery of rehearsals, the unnatural stimulus from new audiences, rivalry and applause, make the life full of perils to health of mind and body. The careless theatre-going public have no notion of the strain on the nerves that is inseparable from a dramatic career.

But members of "the profession" know what it is, and they have, as a body, learned how best to keep their nervous systems strong and capable of doing the hard work demanded of them. That is why Paine's celery compound is so popular on the stage.

Helen Barry, the well-known actress, writes to a physician friend, from Tes Box Cottage, Bellfort:

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Della Fox, when "run down" from overwork, by the advice of the wife of a U. S. Senator in Washington, tried Paine's celery compound. She says: "My spirits picked up, and at the end of two weeks the same old exuberant health with which nature blessed me had returned.

"I ate and slept as I had not done since I was a child, and I have never known since then an hour's inconvenience from nervous prostration.

"The medicine to which I owe so much is Paine's celery compound, and I have recommended it to all of my stage acquaintances who have overtaxed their brains by too close attention to study, and all have experienced the same happy results as myself."

Marie Tempest also, and a host more of the most eminent artists who appear before the public, have recently testified to the wonderful reinvigorating power of Paine's celery compound. Their testimony is noteworthy because no class of women work harder or are under greater nervous strain.

Women in every walk of life have reason to be grateful to Prof. Phelps of Dartmouth, who discovered Paine's celery compound. He understood the peculiar weakness of the sex. He knew that the backache, lassitude, headache, sleeplessness, and loss of appetite all mean that the supply of nervous force is low and inadequate to the demands upon it. The experience of thousands has taught the women of the country that only Paine's celery compound will give health to the nerves, and, through them, to the entire body.

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If only my head did not ache! If only my back was free from pain! If I only had the strength to do my work, and did not get so weak, so tired, so terribly exhausted!

These are distressful cries, heard on every hand from nerve-weakened, brain-fagged and bodily exhausted men, and from weak, tired, nervous and dragged-out women.

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General Celebration of Our Immortal George.

Archbishop Ireland Speaks in the Chicago Auditorium—Patriotic Addresses Delivered by Many Brilliant Men—General Suspension of Business Throughout the Country.

Chicago, Feb. 23.—Washington's birthday was celebrated by the citizens of this city on a more elaborate scale than its predecessors, excepting for the enforced absence of the military parade which has been part of the birthday celebrations for the last twenty years. The reason was that the legislature has failed to appropriate the money needed to equip the Chicago brigade of the national guard with great coats the old ones having been made unpresentable by the railroad strike duty. As in recent years the Union League club took the leading part in arranging the celebrations in the public schools, the patriotic exercises at the auditorium in the afternoon, when Archbishop Ireland was the orator and at the Union League club house at night. Oratory, patriotic speeches and feasting were joined at the latter event.

Religious Services.

At Grace Episcopal church there was a brilliant gathering of the clergy, members of the Loyal Legion and of the Illinois society, Sons of the American revolution. Bishops Hale of Cairo, McLaren of this city, and Seymour of Springfield, were those who took part in the special religious service. Bishop Seymour delivered the oration. Little business was transacted in the city.

Archbishop Ireland spoke at the auditorium exercises on "American Citizenship." Beginning his oration by paying a lofty tribute to the immortal first citizen, he continued: "The republic of America was a supreme act of confidence in man, a confession such as had never been heard before of human dignity and human ability. Its creation was the boldest act recorded in history."

A Valuable Lesson.

The archbishop said in reminding his audience of the responsibility of citizenship: "The American refusing to vote on election day merits disfranchisement or exile. The American boasting of his political indolence proclaims his shame. Thoughtful writers mark as the most pernicious foe of democracy the indifference towards the political life of the country practised by respectable, well-meaning and educated citizens. I am afraid some of us are not altogether free from the undemocratic feeling that we lose our self respect if on election day we mingle on equal terms with all social classes. Far from us be the feeling.

"When we mingle with men as citizens we mingle with noblemen. Among the misfortunes of America I mention the caucus and primary, by which a few are able to impose upon a whole party their own choice of candidates. A royal work of patriotism is to rid the country of them, or so transform them that their verdict shall in some manner be the verdict of the party, and not merely as it now is that of the expert wire-pullers and slate-makers. The political boss is the outgrowth of ignorant and vicious citizenship and his reign fosters the low element which makes it possible. Bribery at the polls is demoniac mockery of manhood. It is execrable to use the power of office to force citizens into making contributions either to purchase protection or to secure exemption from penalties. The people always stamp out such dreadful evils with relentless energy."

Old Glory Floated at the Battery.

New York, Feb. 23.—The most distinguishing feature of the public demonstrations was the usual ceremony of raising the American flag at the Battery. Christopher R. Forbes, the great-grandson of Sergeant Van Arsdale, who pulled down the British flag when the redcoats were leaving New York, performed the duty, as he does each year. The large flag belonging to the park department was raised on the tall pole near the Barge office just at daylight, and there arose a cheer for Old Glory which the cold could not chill.

Flags fluttered from nearly all public buildings and looking down Wall street from Broadway seemed like glancing down an arcade of bright-hued trees, so many were the big flags thrown from the office windows over the narrow street.

Our Immortal George.

The day was generally observed in our sister cities very patriotically. In the City of Churches all public buildings were closed but decorated with flags and bunting. In Philadelphia the principle event was the exercises at the Academy of Music under the auspices of the University of Pennsylvania. Boston had no unusual feature in the celebration of our father's birthday. At the capital, it was elaborately observed by military organizations, parades, speeches &c. At the Women's council, Mrs. Kate Sherwood, of Canton, O., said: "Washington's reverence for his mother was shown when he hastened to her side upon his election as first president of this republic. 'Go George', was her good-bye, 'till the destiny heaven has assigned you, you have your mothers' blessing, you will see me no more.' And with those words he laid his head on her breast and wept like a child."

Very Considerate.

St. Joseph, Mo., Feb. 23.—B. J. Milhouse, a stock raiser living near here, yesterday had his wife arrested on a charge of bigamy. He has since committed suicide, leaving a letter in which he declared that he took his own life in order that his wife might be free to live with the man whom she had married in violation of the law.

At the Last Moment.

Denison, Tex., Feb. 23.—Hunt, the murderer who was to have been hanged here yesterday escaped the gallows at the last moment, the governer having commuted his sentence to life imprisonment.

18,000 MINERS IN DISTRESS.

Future Prospects Look Very Discouraging for Them.

Columbus, O., Feb. 23.—The commission appointed at the instance of Gov. McKinley by the boards of trade and chambers of commerce of Cincinnati, Cleveland, Columbus, and Toledo, to make an official investigation of the destitution of the miners in the Hocking Valley and Sunday Creek Valley, has discovered some startling facts.

In the localities so far visited the commission has discovered that each miner last year earned only from $75 to $125, largely because of the great national strike and that by working regularly they could have earned from $2 to $3 every day.

In reference to the nationality of the miners, it has been learned that in Nelsonville they are almost entirely American and English; in Shawnee the majority are Welsh; in Buckingham, they are largely German, and in Straitsville they are pretty evenly distributed among the English, Welsh, German and Irish.

It was also stated that of the 10,000 or 12,000 miners in the two valleys, fully one-third, representing, with their families, nearly 15,000 persons, are in greater or less distress.

With reference to future prospects, all the miners declare they are not encouraging. They are almost a unit in declaring that there are at least 50 per cent. too many miners in the two valleys for the amount of work that can be supplied, and many of them are making preparations to locate on farms or seek other employment.

The commission hope to get through with the investigation by to-day, when they expect to return to this city and make their report to the governor.

They have discovered that distress exists to a degree which demands more than ordinary attention.

A TERRIBLE EXPERIENCE.

Pilot Beebe Tells of the Rough Trip of the Benlarig.

New York, Feb. 23.—Pilot Franklin Beebe just arrived from Baltimore, is in a very wretched condition physically. His face and hands are badly frostbitten. Under his moustache is a long cut, still bleeding, having been cracked and blistered by the intense cold. His ears and nose bear evidence of the awful experience he has passed through. He says that sixteen men of the crew of the Benlarig were nearly all frostbitten; that half-a-dozen boys aboard, employed in various capacities, suffered from cold and exposure, and that for days only a few men were able to go on deck at all. "The sails were torn into ribbons," said Mr. Beebe, "and how the big craft weathered the gale is a mystery. All the fires were put out except that in one little stove in the cabin, and the twenty unfortunates were almost frozen to death, even while under decks. During the blizzard one of the starboard yawls was smashed into splinters and the same sea crushed the starboard bulwarks aft.

"All the yards were cock-pitted and thrashed about in the gale against the masts, the ropes and rigging, with the tattered sails, finally freezing solidly to the masts. The icy flying spray resembled a tossing iceberg. During the gale, Richard Connors, seaman, was thrown down by a big wave and his right leg was broken. Third Mate Spinler was so badly frostbitten that it was thought that he would not live, but he is now recovering."

In conclusion, Pilot Beebe said that he had never in his life seen such weather, and hoped that he would never again experience what he went through on the Benlarig.

WILL HE RESIGN?

Report Circulated That Strong Is Disgusted With His Office.

New York, Feb. 23.—The Tribune says to-day: "A report circulated about the hotels to the effect that Mayor Strong had found his office so little to his taste, and that attention to its duties had so affected his health that he had determined to resign, was much discussed yesterday by legislators and others. Although there was nothing on which to rest the resignation story, except the merest rumor, supplementing the fact of the mayor's illness, the gossips made the most of it.

Col. Strong's retirement would make President Jerolman mayor the remainder of the year, it was suggested, but without the power of removal held by Mayor Strong. Mr. Jerolman, as acting mayor, could fill vacancies as they occurred, but could create none, as Mayor Strong can do.

"Too Heavy a Task."

Washington, Feb. 23.—As a result of cable communication with his relatives in Moscow, the remains of Mr. Pierre Bogdanoff, first secretary of the Russian legation, were quietly interred in Rock Creek cemetery, this city. Mr. Bogdanoff, suffering intensely from neuralgia, shot himself in his bed chamber on Wednesday morning last, leaving a note saying that "to a long-time dead soul" he found the body "too heavy a task," therefore destroyed himself. What mystery, if any, lay behind this tragic taking off, is probably buried with him. The note which he left for relatives has been forwarded to them unopened.

His Life by a Thread.

Denver, Feb. 23.—Rev. Dr. John P. Coyle died last night at his home on Logan avenue. While preaching to his congregation last Sunday evening, he first became conscious of a severe heart trouble. For several days his life seemed to hang by a thread. During the week he rallied and last Wednesday was able to sit up. Strong hopes were entertained for his recovery, but last night he was seized with the third attack which proved the end. The funeral will be held to-morrow and his remains taken east for interment in the family plot at North Adams, Mass.

Sports Handicaped.

New York, Feb. 23.—A large number of club members and their friends went to the grounds of the Larchmont Gun club yesterday to witness a 100 bird match, thirty yards rise and fifty yards boundary, between J. K. Palmer and George Work. Mr. Palmer was the winner, killing eighty-nine birds and missing eleven. Mr. Work's score was eighty-six killed, fourteen missed. The scores would have been better, but the shooters were handicapped by a strong wind. After the match a number of handicapps were shot by the members of the club.

MADE DRUNK TO KILL

The Murderer Plied His Victims with Liquor.

Enticed from Home They Are Robbed of Papers and Money—Acts as Chief Mourner over the Young Men. With Tears He Sympathizes with the Bereaved Parents.

Brooklyn, N. Y., Feb. 23.—In the strange story which begins with the finding of the bodies of two unknown lads in Miller's hotel, Williamsburg, last Sunday morning, which followed with the identification of the corpses as those of Henry Knoop and John Siems, of Hoboken; which became a mystery when it was learned that the boys had money which could not be found and were accompanied to the place Saturday night by an older man, who disappeared next morning; which gradually developed a theory of crime so monstrous that it staggered belief; which next had to do with the arrest of a young German named Johann Christian Bohemann and the discovery of almost conclusive evidence against him, there were important developments yesterday—developments which strengthen the probability of the guilt of the man in prison, which more than suggest hypnotic influence in the relations which the murderer bore to his victims, and which, for want of a motive adequate to the crime, point to the conclusion of irresponsible madness, that would devise murder for murder's sake.

The Trio at Little Ferry.

It is now known that on Saturday, after Knoop and Siems left home that morning, they were drinking all day in company with Bohemann. Knoop had drawn $125, all his savings, from the bank. Siems had stolen $150 from his employers, the John H. Starin company. From 10 a. m., until after 7 p. m., that day, the three were at Little Ferry, which is about two and a half miles this side of Hackensack, N. J. The first information as to this came from George A. Coe, a farmer, who saw the young men together in a barroom and recalled the incident upon seeing their pictures in a newspaper. Coe went to Hoboken yesterday and thence to the Hudson county jail. The sixty-five prisoners there were drawn up in a line in the corridor. Coe walked the length of the line, passing Bohemann. Coe then came back slowly until he reached Bohemann. There he stopped, putting his hand on the man's shoulders.

"This is the one," he said.

The prisoner's face flushed faintly and one hand clinched when Coe first looked into his eyes, passing by. Then when Coe came back he flushed again, but only sneered and shrugged his shoulders by way of comment. His self-possession was remarkable. His counsel, Senator W. D. Daly, was present when the identification was made.

Coe Talked with Them.

"Bohemann, Knoop and Siems were at Musicus' hotel, Little Ferry, between 10 and 11 a. m.," says Coe. They were late at Collins' hotel, and about 4 p. m., I saw them at Tichmaher's hotel, sitting at a table near the bar, eating sandwiches and drinking. I talked to them some. The little fellow (Siems) told me they had walked from New York. They said they lived in Hoboken. One of them asked me which was the nearer way to Hoboken—to go to Jersey City and then on by trolley car,, or to New York and back by the Barclay street ferry. I said it was nearer to stop at Jersey City. Bohemann said the other way, to cross the river, was quicker. I don't know how they finally decided to go, as I left about 7 p. m., while they remained a few minutes later."

It will be remembered that Bohemann, Knoop and Siems were seen together in Washington street, Hoboken, between 10 and 11 o'clock Saturday night. It was nearly 2 o'clock Sunday morning when they entered the hotel in Williamsburg, the 16-year-old Siems and the 18-year-old Knoop going to one room and Bohemann to another. It was 8:30 o'clock Sunday morning when Bohemann went down, took a drink at the bar and passed out, saying to Clerk Fanning:

"Don't Disturb My Friends."

"Don't disturb my young friends. Let them sleep as long as they will."

It was past 3 o'clock when the chambermaid, Kate Byrnes, opened the door of room No. 1, to be almost knocked down by the stifling outflow of gas. The lads were dead.

Bohemann had gone quietly to his home, No. 327 Washington street, Hoboken. His landlady, Mrs. Florentia Lehbrink, told him that young Siems' father had been there inquiring for Johnny. Bohemann did not wait to hide the money and papers, of which he had robbed his young friends. With these still in his pockets he went to Siems' house and pretended to sympathize with the parents. Then when young Siems' body was brought home Bohemann was a chief mourner. He wept over the corpse and spent $5 for two bouquets. He went about with the detectives and helped them in a search for the murderer. He found time to hide $240 of the money and the tell-tale papers in his room.

When arrested Thursday morning he was not frightened. He laughed at the detective and grumbled over his arrest. When the money was taken from under his carpet, and papers belonging to Knoop and Siems were found in his chest he was unmoved. When he was identified by the Williamsburg clerk he calmly asserted that it was mistaken identity. On the way to prison he smoked a cigar and chatted lightly upon indifferent topics with his guard. In his cell he slept like a child, and waked up in better animal spirits than any other prisoner in the establishment. Yesterday he was less embarrassed by Coe's identification than an ordinary pastor of banker or merchant would be by being pointed out in an ordinary crowd.

He Caused a Sensation.

Raleigh, N. C., Feb. 23.—A great sensation was created here yesterday by the adoption of a resolution in the house introduced by a negro, that when the general assembly do adjourn, it adjourn in honor of Frederick Douglass.

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WON FOR THE CITY.

Counselor Marsh's Point Sustained by the Supreme Court.

Decision was given by the Supreme Court in Trenton Thursday reversing the decision of Judge McCormick in the Michael Watson liquor case. Judge McCormick's ruling was against Counselor Craig A. Marsh's point for the City of Plainfield, and the effect of the Supreme Court's decision is to have a new trial of the case in which Judge McCormick will have to rule as the Supreme Court decided.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

Mr. and Mrs. John W. Murray are home from Rockledge, Fla.

N. T. Pike of Somerset street is confined with rheumatism.

Mrs. Seymour G. Smith is ill with the grip. Fred Smith is recovering.

Mrs. M. H. Piko of Rockview avenue has gone to Baltimore to spend several weeks.

Albert Runyon is again at his desk in Boice, Runyon & Co's office, after a four-weeks illness.

Mr. and Mrs. George W. Rockfellow left today for New Berne, North Carolina, for two weeks.

Rev. George Angleman will talk on "Kansas", in Reform Hall tomorrow afternoon at 4.

Rev. W. C. Kinsey of Dunellen will preach in the Monroe Avenue Chapel tomorrow morning.

Miss Billings of Deerfield, Mass., is visiting her sister, Miss Louise H. Billings of East Fifth street.

Barzila Randolph and family of Dunellen have taken up their residence in their house on Grove street.

The marriage of F. M. Lunger to Adelaide Coriell took place Thursday evening at the parsonage of Rev. Cornelius Schenck.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. H. Williams returned from their wedding tour this forenoon, and took up their home on Madison avenue.

The Whist Club of the Lady Cyclers will enjoy a theatre party March 2, attending "Too Much Johnson" in the Standard Theatre.

Max Hansen, who has been suffering from Bright's disease at his home on Liberty street for three months, is not improved in his condition.

Mrs. Morgan S. Taylor of Rockview avenue, her daughter Miss Taylor, and son Fred Taylor, sailed today by Steamship Kaiser William, for Algiers.

Thomas J. Young of North Plainfield has decided to leave Plainfield April 1, and will live with his daughter in Brooklyn. Wm. F. Debele has bought his house and will reside there.

Whist was enjoyed Thursday afternoon at the home of Miss L. Maltby of Plainfield avenue. Mrs. Auguste Saltzman and Miss Mary M. French won the first prizes, and Miss Arline Crane and Miss Hogan secured the second prizes.

Mrs. Lewis Beigel of Netherwood avenue was agreeably surprised by a few friends who gave her an impromptu social last evening. Among those present were Mr and Mrs Geo Wyckoff, Miss Vine McCord, Miss May Schultz, the Misses Carrie and Jennie Udhal, and Mrs. W. A. Randall of Jersey City.

A delicious supper was enjoyed in the Country Clubhouse after the play Thursday night. Those participating were Mr and Mrs J Parker Mason, Mr and Mrs W L Saunders, Mr and Mrs Irving Brown, Mr and Mrs L W Serrell, Jr, Mr and Mrs F O Herring, Mr Taggart, Mrs Charles J Taggart, Mr and Mrs Henry Bogart, Fred Walz, Richard Colburn and J S Anthony.

Miss Clara Bolby and friends were sweeter last evening than nature had originally made them, inasmuch as they gathered together at her home on Netherwood avenue to participate in a taffy-pull feast evening. Those with their fingers in the molasses were the Misses Josie Banks, Grace Adams, Lillie Bergel, Tiney Smith, Messrs. Will and Herbert Cleaves, Court Adams, and Will Bolby.

In Memory of Their Comrade.

The kindred of the late Charles P. Leggett were touched to the heart yesterday by finding his grave in Hillside Cemetery covered with floral tributes.

It was a worthy remembrance of the anniversary of his death, Feb. 21, 1894.

From Alert Hose Company "In memory of their companion", was a large bunch of calla lilies, each floral cup being filled with violets.

Friends had placed there a cross of roses and pinks, a large pillow of roses, hyacinths and lilies, and two bunches of roses and palm leaves.

O. W. O. Hardman, sheriff of Tyler Co., W. Va., appreciates a good thing and does not hesitate to say so. He was almost prostrated with a cold when he procured a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. He says: "It gave me prompt relief. I find it to be an invaluable remedy for coughs and colds." For sale at Reynolds's pharmacy, Park and North aves. T. S. Armstrong, manager.

GAY MINSTRELS' NIGHT

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Messrs. F. D. Hallock, J. H. Hallock, R. D. Schoonmaker, G. F. Schoonmaker, Taylor, and Lehman. Fletcher D. Hallock spread wonder and amazement by his xylophone solos, performed entirely by peculiar cluckings of his tongue in exact reproduction of the notes of the xylophone, the illusion being heightened and at the same time made amusing by the manipulation of a mallet on chunks of kindling wood strung together and held stretched by the funny end men. Elmer Runyon's sweet tenor voice charmed as ever, and nothing could be funnier than Mr. Cree's thoroughly coon song about "My Baby—my honey—my sweet one—my Zulu!"

The finale was a medley of melody.

A good-enough show for any town, the audience said of the minstrels; and there was more to come. This was a one-act farce-comedy, produced, after a short interval, by the following company of Plainfield amateurs:

Mrs. Effingham, a young widow, Mrs. J. Parker Mason
Mrs. Marabout, a volatile society woman, Mrs. L. W. Serrell, Jr.
Mrs. Coddington, a mamma with a daughter to bring out.....Mrs. Irving H. Brown
Arabella Coddington, a daughter with nothing to say.....Mrs. William L. Saunders
Arthur Rutledge, an innocent offender, Richard L. Colburn
Mr. Walton, a social cynic.....Fred W. Walz
Mr. Grayson, a tender and true young man, Henry L. Bogert
Bertie Appleby.....George Taggart
Gen. Sabretache, a thunder and Mars old man, James Stowell Anthony
Dr. Grantley, a professional button-holer, Irving H. Brown
Thomas, the butler.....William R. Cock

The story of the play has already been told in these columns, and will not bear telling too often, if it is to hold together. Mrs. Burton Harrison is fashionable and clever, and her little social comedies read well enough; but "Tea at Four o'Clock" wasn't worth the effort expended on it by such an earnest and talented cast. The staging was perfect, under the personal supervision of J. Parker Mason, the scene being the walled garden adjoining Mrs. Effingham's Lenox house. It was hard work for the actors to make themselves silly and insincere. Not much, therefore, could be done with any of the parts, though Mr. Anthony did by much energy throw considerable character into the bombastic Sabretache of the fierce mustaches. Mrs. Serrell had the role of a deceitful gadabout, with which she was by nature unsympathetic; her faint and recovery were a clever bit of acting, and gave a glimpse of the ability she would show in a better part.

Mrs. Mason was regal in a rich gown, queenly with the manners of a superb hostess, and altogether admirable in her womanly traits as revealed in her love for Rutledge; but it is not necessary for her to adopt the stage appearance of any of Mrs. Harrison's mild heroines to appear well gowned, cordially entertaining, and womanly. Mrs. Brown had the distasteful task of trying to bury her amiability in the part of an ambitious but ungracious and even vixenish parent. Mrs. Saunders has the ability and experience to give interest to even a trivial assignment, and was amusing with her schoolgirl awkwardness, her society fright, and her fiction about the duel.

Mr. Walz was refreshing because of his personal breeziness, and not through any merit of his role. Mr. Cook was seen to less advantage than in former plays, and thus one of Plainfield's best amateurs was buried. Mr. Brown was compelled by the author to make himself tiresome, and proved his faithfulness to histrionic art by doing so. Mr. Taggart must have been as unpleasant to himself in Mrs. Harrison's creation of a vacuous mentality as his stammering was to an audience already kept too long. Mr. Bogert was at least earnest and persevering. Mr. Colburn had little to do but look handsome and gracefully enfold Mrs. Effingham in his arms; but not every man could fulfil those requirements as successfully as he did.

For the sake of Mrs. Burton Harrison's pride it is to be hoped that her copy of this issue of The Daily Press will miscarry in the mails, for it is not likely to be conducive to her peace of mind or soothing to her nerves to learn that one of her plays fell flat after a minstrel show.

When it all was over, people said little about the "Tea", but they did say much about the mirth and music that preceded it. And most of all they talked about the jam.

PATRONESSES.

Mrs M E Edgerton	Mrs O T Waring
" W E Lowe	" E L Walz
Miss E Schipper	" I H Brown
Mrs G H Goddard	" M W Tyler
Miss E Cook	" J K Myers
" N Haviland	" H O Fleming
Mrs J W Reinhart	" C P Relli
" F B Andrews	" W J Roome
" D T VanBuren	" H M Stockton
" R L Burnett	" E W Hedges
" E N Erickson	" J W DeGraff
" C A Marsh	" H P Talmadge
" F O Herring	Miss Ella Serrell
" W L Saunders	Mrs W Haviland
" G W VanBoskerck	" A Atterbury
" J Parker Mason	" H L Bogert
" J T Scott	" S A Ginna
" L W Serrell Jr	" J Edgar Corlies
" J G Foster	" A C Baldwin
" W E Stewart	" C A Reed
" W P Smith	" G Evans
" L G Timpson	" H Lapsley
" A C Vail	" J B Dumont
" E Woltmann	" S Huntington
" H Hastings	" L N Lovell
" D F Ginna	" E S Ackerman
" G Randall	" J H Ackerman
" F H Wills	" J E Tracy
" J T Baker	" T Rushmore
" M S Ackerman	" R Rushmore
" G W Endicott	" C E Abbott
" C C Cokefair	" E L Finch
" B A Hegeman Jr	" C Wharton Jr
" A Gilbert	" R Cox
" G A Chapman	" M I Cooley

— NOT TO BE REPEATED.

At Least, Not Till After Lent.

It was decided today that the Muhlenberg Benefit would not be repeated Tuesday. No repetition will be given—at least not till after Lent.

Those holding tickets will have their money refunded by applying to Mr. Timpson, 163 North avenue, Tuesday morning from 10 to 12.

—A boys Y. M. C. A. meeting will be conducted tomorrow afternoon by George S. Beebe.

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FLATS to let in Manning's block, West Front st. 2 20 6

STORE to let, No. 325 Watchung ave; rent $25 per month. Charles H Hand. 2 20 5

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Dr. Lighthill refers with pardonable pride to the success of his practice in Plainfield and submits below a few of the many testimonials which he has received from grateful patients. A mass of similar ones can be seen at his office.

AN ALMOST MIRACULOUS CURE.

The Statement of Mr. Edward Teel, Jr., of Dunellen, N. J.

TO THE PUBLIC:

From a sense of duty I desire to call public attention to the almost miraculous cure which Dr. Lighthill effected in the case of my wife. For eleven years she had been afflicted with piles of an unusual severe and distressing character. She suffered every day of her life the most intense pain, attended with frequent and profuse hemorrhage. This state of things debilitated her entire system until she became a perfect wreck of her former self.

We made every effort to obtain a cure but they all resulted in bitter disappointment, although a number of physicians of excellent reputations for skill in that direction had treated her case. She grew worse and worse all the time, the pain became perfectly unbearable and I felt she could not bear the strain of her condition much longer. In this extremity, a friend of mine, Mr. W. E. Dilts, a resident of Roselle, N. J., a passenger conductor on the New Jersey Central told me that he had been similarly affected, and had been permanently cured by Dr. Lighthill, after other medical skill had failed. He assured me that the doctor would cure my wife, no matter how severe her case may be, and his prediction proved perfectly correct. In spite of her desperate condition, Dr. Lighthill, I am glad to say, has effected a complete and perfect cure in her case, and has given her new life.

Since the cure has been effected she has gained in health and strength and is so improved in appearance that her friends scarcely recognise her. They all consider her cure as almost miraculous, and Dr. Lighthill's praise is heard on every side. Our gratitude to Dr. Lighthill is unbounded and we only hope that other sufferers may be benefited by this publication.

EDWARD TEEL, JR.

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I am profoundly grateful to Dr. Lighthill for his speedy and radical cure of a most painful malady of over ten years standing with which I was afflicted.

I deem it proper to say to all afflicted to place themselves under the care of this skilful physician and be permanently cured.

I will cheerfully impart any information I possess when called upon.

JOHN DIETRICH.

Mr. Thomas Callahan of No. 214 Richmond street Cured of a Very Distressing Trouble by Dr. Lighthill.

PLAINFIELD, N. J., June 1, 1894.

TO THE PUBLIC:

For some time past I have been greatly distressed with noises in the head. They were all over my head and troubled me constantly: they were loudest at night when everything was quiet and at such times would often keep me from sleep and disturb my rest. In fact they got to be so bad and distressing that they affected my whole nervous system as well as my health. I did not obtain the least relief until I placed myself under the care of Dr. Lighthill, of No. 132 Crescent avenue, who effected a complete cure in my case in a short time and made me a very happy man.

THOMAS CALLAHAN,
214 Richmond street.

A Card From Mr. T. R VanZandt,

of Nos. 304 and 306 Park ave.,

Plainfield, N. J

I certify with pleasure that Dr. Lighthill has effectually cured me of a most painful case of piles. For some time past I had been subject to its attacks, but the last attack was so exceedingly painful that it completely upset my whole system. The pain extended to my legs and in many other directions, and made me so nervous that I could neither sleep, sit down, lie down or move about without serious discomfort and distress. Such was my condition when I applied to Dr. Lighthill for relief, and I am glad to say that as soon as he took hold of my case, I began to improve, and in a short time found myself completely cured. Dr. Lighthill has also effected a radical and permanent cure in a most terrible case of piles on my cousin, Mr. J. V. Z. Griggs, of Rocky Hill, N. J., whose flattering testimonial is in Dr. Lighthill's possession.

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DRAMA AND OPERA.

GRAND OPERA GIVES PLACE TO EXCLUSIVE GERMAN OPERA.

Mansfield Serves Notice on Nashville that He Won't Play There Any More. Langtry and Potter Come Back With Lustreless Plumes. The New York Programme.

There is one characteristic about distinguished theatrical immigrants to this country which has attracted the attention of veteran theatergoers in New York, and that is the extraordinary repertory which the English players present in the course of a short season in this city. Complaints of American actors about the financial success of such players as Henry Irving, Beerbohm Tree and the Kendals are very bitter, and as a rule it is held that there is something unpatriotic in patronizing English players so lavishly, and treating our own comedians and character actors with indifference. It has been pointed out time and again that the sort of people who visit the theater when alien actors are playing are entirely different from the ordinary attendants when native actors hold the boards. Gray heads are numerous in all the audiences to which Mr. Irving, Mr. Tree and

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the Kendals play. The fact is that the repertory of these actors appeals to playgoers who have had years of experience. The drama is almost a passion with thousands of people in New York, and it is no unusual thing for one man to book seats for every change of play of one of the visiting companies. With the exception of Mr. Mansfield, American actors do not seem to have energy or resources enough to present a series of dramas with completeness in the course of two or three weeks' time. Mr. Goodwin, for instance, plays one drama all the year around, and so do Mr. Drew, Mr. Sothern, Mr. Crane and other stars of their magnitude. Most of them would start back aghast at the idea of setting forth six or eight plays in the course of a month's engagement in any one city.

Mrs. Langtry and Mrs. Potter will both appear in New York before long, but the excitement which once attended their coming is entirely a thing of the past. When these two well known women first appeared with their theatrical companies in this city together there was some attempt at rivalry and a great amount of gossip about them. Mrs. Langtry's movements were followed as though she was a royal personage, and society and the world at large was aghast at Mrs. Potter's move in going upon the professional stage. But since that time these things are accepted as a matter of course. Both ladies now play in little one night towns to small receipts, and their talk is not of the Prince of Wales or society, but of the amount of money which they expect to play to during the rest of the week. It is all done on a commercial basis. Mrs. Potter, like Mrs. Langtry, shows traces of the lapse of years and the hardships of continual traveling and acting.

When the curtain goes up at the Metropolitan on the 25th inst. it will disclose the ship that is bearing Isolde to Cornwall, this being the first time in many years that Wagner's famous love drama has been given here. The work has been fittingly selected by Mr. Walter Damrosch to inaugurate the season of German opera to be given here under his direction. The works to be performed this season consist of "Die Walkure," "Siegfried," "Goetterdaemmerung," "Lohengrin," "Tristan und Isolde," "Tannhaeuser" and "Die Meistersinger."

Preparations are well advanced at some of the theaters for the early displacement of the current plays. A set of new scenery is being painted at the Fifth Avenue for "His Wife's Father," the new comedy which William H. Crane is to produce there. Mr. Crane and his company are rehearsing this piece while finishing a Southern tour. In the meantime, Fanny Davenport is on the Fifth Avenue stage with "Gismonda." At Hoyt's "A Milk White Flag" is holding its place for the short period, at the end of which "The Foundling" is to come in. "The Fatal Card" will soon give way at Palmer's to Mrs. Langtry, who will bring out two or three pieces newly adapted from French and German sources. "The District Attorney" will remain at the American to the end of a fifth week. "The Old Homestead" is going on at the Star, "Humanity" at the Fourteenth Street, "Mme. Sans Gene" at the Broadway, and "Rob Roy" at the Herald Square. It is a bustling week at Abbey's, where Beerbohm Tree appears.

Agnes Booth will appear in next season's production of "The Sporting Duchess." William Lackaye is to go a-starring in "Two of Him," a new piece by William C. Hudson. Charles H. Hoyt is said to contemplate a comic opera. Cissie Loftus will return to the London music halls in April. Irene Perry, who retired from the stage upon marrying Albert Weber, is acting again in Boston. Richard Mansfield wrote to a Nashville journal that he would never act in that city again, because he had been adversely criticised there. Sarah Bernhardt's next role will be in "Tragolbalbus," a new work by a son-in-law of Victor Hugo. Mme. Janauschek is going on a Shakespearen lecture tour. Clara Morris, who has not acted this season, will resume next winter. The Smith-DeKoven opera for Lillian Russell will have Napoleon for one of its characters. Maggie Mitchell has let Gladys Wallace have "Fachon" to use next season. The Kendals have tried in Boston, without success, an English piece called "A Leader of Men."

LINWARD.

Delia Danehay—You needn't put on so many airs, Irene McGinty, 'cause yer got a deth in yer fambly. My aunt ain't expected to live and my brutter Chimmey's got scarlet fever, which is catchin'.

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Splendid Continued Work of the Organized Aid Association.

The District Committee of the Citizens Organized Aid Association met last evening in the hospitable parlors of the Crescent Avenue Church. The agent was present, and reported for two weeks 26 applications for assistance, of which 13 were new cases, making a total of 428 separate cases since the organization of the association. Of the applications ten were for coal, and eleven for food. Assistance had been afforded by the Ladies Relief Association. Two cases were referred to the Congregational Church, one to Monroe Chapel, one to the Roman Catholic Church, and one to the Borough of North Plainfield. The advice of the Committee was asked by the Ladies Relief as to two cases of recent origin, and the request made for the appointment of a friendly visitor in one case.

Park Club Junior Dance.

A very delightful dance was held last night in the Park clubhouse.

The matrons were Mrs. B. A. Hegeman and Mrs. Geo. Evans. The belles of the evening were the Misses Reinhart, Mrs. B. A. Hegeman, Miss Alice Barlow, Miss Safford and Miss Middledith.

The following were others present: Mrs C Stillman, G Rider, J Kirkner, Paul and Louis Toyze, Bert and Francis Foster, Miss E Tracy, A McCreedy, Mr Bodman, Miss E Kyte, Fred Fish, Miss Juges, F Foster, F G Smith, H Patten, H Day, Allan Laing, H Williams, Miss Day, F Baker, Maud and James Middledith, W Abbott, A Woltmann and cousin, A West, J Brower, Dr F C Ard, Carl Brown, Miss Alice Barlow, Howard Turrill, F L Herbert, Kate Miller, Blanche Wells, E Faber, W Place, Miss Safford, W Hull, C McGee, Harry McGee, J Daniels, H Wells, H Rushmore, L Pangborn and Mrs C Lyman.

The waltz and twostep were the favorite dances, and had many encores. The music was furnished by Conde and Rogers.

Blue and Gold.

A card party was held Thursday evening at the home of Miss Mabel Force on West Fourth street.

The following were present: The Misses Mills, L Messersmith, Edith Darby, Etta Raybert, Ida Henry of Bound Brook, Clara Williams, Alice Lee, Harriet Filmer, Lena Smalley; John De Meza, Will Moore, Albert Kershaw, Charlie Close and Bert Henry of Bound Brook, Bert and Will Woodland, Russell Johnson, Will Dunn, Ed. Lane, Robert Clark, Ernest Willard, and Arthur Albertus.

The tally-cards were heart-shaped, those for the men being blue, and for the gentler sex, gold.

The first prizes were won by Miss Lena Smalley and Arthur B. Albertus. The consolation prizes went to Miss Filmer and Charles Close.

At the conclusion of the games, refreshments were served, and Miss Etta Raybert gave a recitation in her usual excellent manner, and Robert Clark sang a solo.

Alone on the Prairie.

The day was in that transitory state when twilight lingers in the lap of day and darkness struggles for the ascendency. The sun hung in a great red ball of lurid flame betwixt heaven and earth; there was a feeling of profound quiet which seemed to settle on all things animate and inanimate. The birds, the insects, the very trees and sprouting plants were for the moment hushed as if in expectancy of some unforseen, some inexplicable something which seemed to pervade the very atmosphere. A bull frog gurgled softly as he fell back into the limpid water. Suddenly, over the brow of a distant hill, there appeared a solitary man, seated astride a great bay horse; he cast one long sweeping glance around him and then went back over the brow of the hill again. And that same night over seven hundred people were turned away unable to gain admission to the Opera House where "She Couldn't Marry Three" was being played to the most delighted audience of the season.

—There will be special music at Holy Cross Church tomorrow afternoon, as it is Quinquagesima Sunday or the last Sunday before Lent.

—Of the many star-spangled American flags fluttering in the breeze yesterday, none looked more beautiful than that belonging to J. Q. Dolliver, on Manning avenue.

Four Big Successes.

Having the needed merit to more than make good all the advertising claimed for them, the following four remedies have reached a phenomenal sale. Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption, coughs and colds, each bottle guaranteed—Electric Bitters, the great remedy for liver, stomach and kidneys. Bucklen's Arnica Salve, the best in the world, and Dr. King's New Life Pills, which are a perfect pill. All these remedies are guaranteed to do just what is claimed for them and the dealer whose name is attached herewith will be glad to tell you more of them. Sold at L. W. Randolph's drug store.

IN THE BOROUGH.

Washington's Birthday Well Celebrated by the School.

Washington's Birthday was celebrated at the North Plainfield Public School Thursday with interesting exercises. A number of visitors attended and enjoyed with the school the entertainment provided.

The programme of the higher classes was as follows:

Music—The National Morn.....School
Recitation—The True Glory of Washington, Miss Susie Milne [Powell
Recitation—The Twenty-second of February, Miss May McLaughlin [Bryant
Recitation—Maxims of Washington, Pupils of Fifth Grade
Recitation—A Boy's Protest, Kenneth Anderson
Recitation—The Vow of Washington, Chas Everett [Whittier
Music—The Ark of Freedom.....School
Reading — Contrast between Napoleon and Washington.....Clifford Braider
Recitation—Ode to Washington.....Holmes Frank MacDonald
Recitation—Maxims of Washington, Pupils of Sixth Grade
Recitation—History of "Yankee Doodle", Edwin Lowenhauft
Reading—History of "Hail Columbia", Miss Tina Voehl
Music—Medley of National Songs.....School
Recitation—History of Our Flag, Fred Bettman
Recitation—Our Flag.....Montgomery Miss Alice Barker.
Recitation—Address to the Flag, Robert Terrill
Recitation—Present Number of Stars in the Flag.....Fred Bonney
Recitation—Flag of the Rainbow, Miss May Conroy
Music—Flag of the Free, Pupils of the Eighth Grade
Recitation—The Good Old Days, Chas. Woolston
Reading—The Declaration of Independence, William Loizeaux
Recitation—The Song of Peace.....Miller Miss Hattie Squier.
Recitation—Ode to Washington..Butterworth Lydie Loizeaux
Music—The Battle Cry of Freedom.....School

The programme of the lower classes was as follows:

Singing—"America".
Opening poem.....Miss Isabel Lane
Washington's Life in Poetry—Edward Overton, Frank Codwise, Albert Utzinger, John VanHorn, Fred Armstrong.
Sketch of his Life—Leonard Mantz, Chris Utzinger, Miss Angelina Jackson, Miss Mary Geiger, Willie Linnett, Frank Rockfellow, Miss Agnes Bailey, Joe Parkinson, Willie Nischwitz, Miss Mary Woolston, Charles Powell.
Singing—"Mount Vernon Bells".
Appearance and Traits—Gussie Korman, Geo. Egel, John Brown, Salve Kiftalli, Thomas MacCallum, Grover Cashen.
My Native Land.....Harry Woodland
Singing—Native Land.
Selections.
Louisa Ebel, Lowndes Smith, Ray Stevens, Lillie Breakey, Stryker Hoagland.
Flag Selections — Edith Kreutzfeldt, Minnie Nischwitz, Hazel Martin, Grace Powell, Edw Springer
Singing—Beautiful Flag Selections — Willie Gaub, Bertie Hanson, Samuel Watson, Chas Smith, Edith Mantz, Raymond Martin, Harry Martin, Kitty Rutledge, Maud Emmons, Mary Cain, Chas Lewis
Singing—Fling Out the Joyful Banner.

On March 6 we shall begin publication of a detective story by Nym Crinkle, entitled

"EIGHT MINUTES TO THREE".

A. C. Wheeler, who uses this pseudonym, is one of the best known journalists in the United States. He has been for many years the dramatic critic of the New York World, and is today one of the most brilliant writers on the American press. It is to his inimitable sketches o New York life that the Sunday World owes a considerable part of its popularity. Mr. Wheeler has written many successful stories, of which the best known is perhaps "The Great Laran Rebellion".

"Eight Minutes of Three" is in every way a remarkable piece of fiction, and deserves to rank with some of the weird tales of Poe. It will run five days, and will be followed by a short story of New England life by Mary E. Wilkins.

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From a letter written by Rev. J. Gunderman, of Diamondale, Mich., we are permitted to make this extract: "I have no hesitation in recommending Dr. King's New Discovery, as the results were almost marvelous in the case of my wife. While I was pastor of the Baptist Church at Rives Junction she was brought down by pneumonia succeeding la grippe. Terrible paroxysms of coughing would last hours with little interruption and it seemed as if she could not survive them. A friend recommended Dr. King's New Discovery; it was quick in its work and highly satisfactory in results. Sold by L. W. Randolph druggist. Regular size 50c and $1; our price 45c and 90c

Grace M. E. Anniversary.

In Grace Methodist Episcopal Church tomorrow Rev. Herbert F. Randolph, pastor, will preach at 10:30 on "The God of the hills, the God of the plains"; and at 7:45 p. m. there will be the anniversary of church and Sunday-school, with address by Rev. Dr. A. H. Lewis.

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EARLY INTELLIGENCE.

—Willie Vail broke into Tier's Lake yesterday and was rescued.

—George R. Nolan has resigned as driver of No. 2 hose wagon, to take effect Feb. 28.

—The North Plainfield School Alumni Association will hold a midwinter reunion in the schoolhouse March 1.

—An illustrated stereopticon lecture on Ireland will be given in the parish building of Holy Cross Church tonight.

—An elegant walnut upright grand piano was delivered Thursday by Vanderbeek & Sattels to A. W. Fish of Franklin place.

—The cessation of business yesterday and the absence of public celebration made the town seem like Sunday. Flags were liberally flown.

—Three hundred people in Reform Hall last night enjoyed an entertainment and supper under the auspices of the Patriotic Order Sons of America.

—Pastor Herring's themes in the First Presbyterian Church tomorrow will be: 10:30, "A Spiritual Investment"; 7:45, first of a series of sermons on The Christian Endeavor pledge.

—An overcoat was taken by mistake at the entertainment of the Patriotic Sons last evening. If the one who took it will return it to 612 New street, he will receive the thanks of the owner.

HIGH MASS, WITH INCENSE.

Father Wattson Tells His Congregation to Pray to the Virgin Mary.

At Kingston, N. Y., the Rev. Lewis T. Wattson celebrated the Feast of the Purification in St. John's Protestant Episcopal Church, by high mass, with incense, and by a sermon, which caused not a little talk, especially among his parishioners who are not in perfect accord with his ritualistic tendencies.

He took for his text or theme the Magnificat, saying that the Virgin Mary, as the mother of God, should be especially venerated. It is time, he said, to lay aside some of the Protestant prejudices on this subject, and, when we pray, to ask Mary to intercede for us with God. At the marriage feast, Christ, at his mother's request, turned water into wine, and, taking this as an example, Father Wattson argued that if Christ listened to Mary then, why would He not now when she is queen of heaven.

Father Wattson said a woman living in Detroit had told him of a holy woman living there to whom many mothers brought their children to be healed of bodily infirmities instead of going to a doctor. If this holy woman's prayers were so potent, he said, how much more so would be those of Mary. In addressing the Virgin, Father Wattson advocated the use of the expression: "Hail Mary, Queen of Heaven, blessed art thou among women. O Holy Mary, pray for us."

It Was Lost, Too.

A young Irishman in want of a £5 note wrote to his uncle as follows:

"Dear Uncle: If you could see how I blush for shame while I am writing, you would pity me. Do you know why? Because I have to ask you for money, and do not know how to express myself. It is impossible for me to tell you. I prefer to die.

"I send you this by messenger, who will wait for an answer. Believe me, my dearest uncle, your most obedient and affectionate nephew, ——.

"P. S.—Overcome with shame for what I have written, I have been running after the messenger in order to take the letter from him, but I cannot catch him up. Heaven grant that something may happen to stop him, or that my letter may get lost!"

The uncle was naturally touched, but was equal to the emergency. He replied as follows:

"My dear Jack: Console yourself, and blush no longer. Providence has heard your prayers. The messenger lost your letter. Your affectionate uncle, ——."

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"Mr. Chugwater," inquired the agent, "are you carrying any life insurance?"

"I am not."

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"I have."

"Our company is one of the strongest and best in the country. One of its peculiar features is that you don't have to——"

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"Do you think I would pass the necessary examination?"

"I haven't any doubt of it whatever."

"Well," snorted Mr. Chugwater, "if your company would take a risk of $20,000 on such a wind-broken, consumptive, dyspeptic, rheumatic, broken-down hump-shouldered, lean, withered and dried-up old hulk as I am I don't want to have anything to with it. Good day."—Chicago Tribune.

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Their First Masquerade.

The first annual masquerade ball of the A. S. C's was held in Central Hall, Thursday night, but was slimly attended, owing to the many other events of a similar character being in progress at the same time. The hall was trimmed with varied colored festoons and Chinese lanterns. The dancers were attired in costumes ranging from the grotesque to the classic and portraying characters of history and of the passing generation.

A False Diagnosis.

La grippe is confounded by many persons with a severe attack of catarrh, which in some respects resembles the former. These individuals suffer severely with pain about the forehead, eyes and ears, with soreness in throat and stoppage of the nasal passages, and in fact, are incapacitated for work of any kind for days at a time. These are catarrhal sufferers. Ely's Cream Balm has been used with the best results in such cases. The remedy will give instant relief.

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ADMINISTRATOR'S SETTLEMENT.—Notice is hereby given, That the account of the subscriber, administrator of Adele Feytel deceased will be audited and stated by the Surrogate, and reported for settlement to the Orphan's Court of the County of Union, on Wednesday, the seventeenth day of April next.

CHARLES JOSEPH FEYTEL.

Dated February 11, 1895.

EXECUTOR'S SETTLEMENT—Notice is hereby given that the account of the subscriber, Executor of Robert Palmer, deceased, will be audited and stated by the Surrogate, and reported for settlement to the Orphan's Court of the County of Union, on Wednesday, the Seventeenth day of April next.

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NOTICE.

As directed by a resolution of the Township Committee of the township of Fanwood, county of Union, State of New Jersey, notice is hereby given that an application has been made to the Township Committee of the township of Fanwood aforesaid, by the New York and Philadelphia Traction Company, for permission to construct, operate and maintain a street railroad, with one or more tracks and necessary turnouts, to be operated by electricity or other motive power except steam, and to erect necessary poles, conduits and wires, power plant and necessary buildings along the following routes:

Beginning in the division line between the city of Plainfield and the Township of Fanwood where Midway avenue crosses said division line and running thence in an easterly direction along Midway avenue to its connection with North avenue; thence still easterly along North avenue to the division line between the Townships of Fanwood and Westfield.

Beginning at the intersection of Mountain avenue and Forrest avenue or road, in the village of Scotch Plains, in the twp of Fanwood and running thence southeasterly along Forrest avenue or road to its intersection with North avenue; thence southerly along said North avenue to Depot street; thence to a point at or near the Fanwood station of the Central Railroad of New Jersey.

The name of the corporation making the application is the New York and Philadelphia Traction Company.

The application was filed on the 15th day of February, eighteen hundred and ninety-five and will be considered by the Township Committee of the township of Fanwood, at a meeting to be held on the 7th day of March, eighteen hundred and ninety-five, at Excelsior Hall, at Scotch Plains, in the township of Fanwood aforesaid, county of Union, at 8 o'clock in the evening.

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E. C. Pease, Dictator.
H. A. Thorne, Reporter. 2 6 tf

Court Pride of New Jersey, No. 8084, Ancient Order of Foresters of America, meets in K. of P. Hall, No. 108 West 2d st., first and third Tuesday evenings in each month.

Samuel J. Flynn, Chief Ranger.
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Anchor Lodge, No. 149, F. & A. M.—Meets second and fourth Tuesdays at Masonic Hall, 10 East Front stree

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T. A. Rogers, Secretary.

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Plainfield Council, No. 711, Royal Arcanum.—The regular meetings of this Council are held on the Second and Fourth Monday evenings of each month in Exempt Firemen's Hall, Coward's Building, Park avenue, at 8 P. M.

P. A. Emmons, Regent.
H. A. Thorne, Secretary.

CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR.

Topic For the Week Beginning Feb. 24. Comment by Rev. S. H. Doyle.

TOPIC.—To what has Christ opened your eyes?—Acts ix, 1-11, 17-21.

The topical references record the history of the conversion of Saul of Tarsus, who was subsequently called Paul the Apostle. One feature of Christ's appearance to Saul was that he was stricken blind, in which state he remained for three days, until God sent Ananias to him, through whose good offices, under the blessing of God, "there fell from his eyes as it had been scabs, and he received sight forthwith," but not only physical but also spiritual sight. The conversion of Saul may be taken as a model, representing to what Christ opens our eyes when we are converted.

1. Christ opens our eyes to a proper conception of ourselves. Paul's first mistake was that he did not see himself as God saw him. He was a Pharisee of the strictest kind and had the idea that in persecuting Christians he was doing God's will. He did not see the error in his heart and life. But Christ opened his eyes to see that and the consciousness of his personal guilt before God never left him. One of the first steps in conversion is the consciousness of our personal guilt, and therefore our need of a Saviour. We must be convicted of sin before we will turn from it to God. This was the case with David when Nathan pointed out his sin. He saw it and cried to God in sorrow and repentance. The repentant thief on the cross illustrates the same fact. He saw his personal guilt. "We indeed justly, for we suffer the due reward of our deeds." It is the same in all cases.

2. Christ opens our eyes to a proper conception of Himself as the Messiah. This was another error in Saul's character. Raised as a Jew and as a Pharisee he was taught to reject Christ as the Messiah. He himself said it was through ignorance that he had persecuted God's people—through ignorance because he did not believe in Christ as the Messiah. But when the scales fell from his spiritual sight he also saw Christ as indeed the Son of God and was ready to confess Him as such, for he cried, "Lord, what wilt Thou have me to do?" The thief on the cross had the same experience. He was led to see his own guilt and also the true character of Christ. "We indeed justly," he said, confessing his own guilt, but "this man" (that is, Christ) "hath done nothing amiss." Christ opens our eyes not only to see ourselves, but Himself. And when we see Him in the beauty and loveliness of His character we cannot but admire Him and desire to be like Him.

3. Christ opens our eyes to the duties resulting from a proper vision of ourselves and Himself. When Paul received his sight, immediately he arose, was baptized and ever afterward did the will of God. To see ourselves aright and Christ aright is not all of Christianity. Conversion is more than turning from evil. It is also a turning to good. We must cease to do evil, but we must also learn to do well. Conversion to Christ results in Christian duties. Christ opens our eyes to these duties, and, like Saul of Tarsus, we should not hesitate to do them. Faith and works are both necessary to salvation.

Bible Readings.—Gen. iii, 6-11; Ps. xix, 8; cxix, 18; Prov. xx, 12; Isa. xxxv, 4, 5; xlii, 6, 7; Jer. v, 21, 22; Math. xiii, 13-16; Luke i, 76-79; xxiv, 28-32, 45-48; John ix, 1-11; Acts xxvi, 13-18; II Cor. iv, 3, 4; Eph. i, 16-18; Rev. iii, 7.

A Race For Raisins.

A good many games pleasant to play in Christian Endeavor socials require forfeits as the penalty of failure. An exceedingly amusing forfeit is this: Tie to the center of a long string several raisins. Place either end of the string in the mouth of one of the persons who must redeem the forfeit. Instruct the pair that they are to chew up the string, of course not swallowing it, until they reach the raisins, and the one who first obtains the raisins will be declared victor.—Golden Rule.

Working With a Will.

A California Christian Endeavor district has the right idea of the matter. They are planning and working for their next convention, say their officers, "as if this were the last Christian Endeavor convention ever to be held in the state and must of necessity be the best."—Exchange.

On the Other Side of the World.

South Australian societies have sent 17 of their members to foreign mission fields. They are to be found in India, China and Africa, and though most of them are Baptists the Congregationalists, Wesleyans and the Church of Christ are also represented.

Christian Endeavor Briefs.

Seven years ago the Chicago Christian Endeavor union was founded, with 15 societies. It now numbers 380 societies, with a membership of 17,000.

Maryland has 350 societies and a membership of 15,000 Endeavorers.

Among the interesting features of the programme for the next convention, to be held in Boston, will be the presentation of the various banners to city unions.

The Free St. Matthew's Mission society of Glasgow supports a hospital at Tiberias and maintains a girl at Livingstonia.

The juniors of the Methodist church, Colorado Springs are supporting a girl in Fuchau Mission school, China. They have distributed the past quarter 259 bouquets, with Scripture texts attached; also a large quantity of good literature.

The Christian Endeavor union of Hopkinsville, Ky., has among its denominational vice presidents a representative from the Episcopalians.

A floating society of Christian Endeavor has been formed at St. John, N. B.

EPWORTH LEAGUE.

Lesson For the Week Beginning Feb. 24. Comment by Rev. Walter J. Yates, A. M. Topic, The Ark of the Covenant.

BIBLE READINGS.—Ex. xxv, 10-16; Heb. ix, 4, 5; John iv, 23.

A wooden box about four feet long and a little more than two feet deep and two feet broad, covered with plates of fine gold, was the ark, preserved with great care as the most sacred thing in the tabernacle. The value was not in the box itself nor in the mercy seat of pure gold which covered it, having the figures of cherubim of hammered gold at each end, with wings meeting in the center and shadowing the sacred chest. The simple stone tablets engraved with the ten commands, "the Decalogue," was the treasure which it was built to contain. Their value lay in their contents and not in the material of which they were composed.

This was Jehovah's law to Israel. He promised to be with them in all their future life as a people if they obeyed this law. They on their part pledged themselves by solemn oath to obey His commands. This was the "Covenant." So this became the ark or chest of the covenant. It was also the ark of the "testimony," as the tables of stone were called.

This chest, with its mercy seat cover, was placed in the innermost room of the tent and temple, which had no opening into it except the door which was covered by a curtain. The tablets of the testimony were not to be taken out for reference nor for reading to the people. The mercy seat was not to be approached at will when guidance was desired of God regarding the affairs of the nation. Only once in the year was this inner sanctuary to be entered, and the most sacred shrine approached. Even then no one but the high priest might venture to look upon this secret dwelling place of the Most High One, and then always with blood of sacrifice in a gold bowl, with which blood he was to sprinkle the mercy seat between the cherubim. The meaning of this is made most clear in the epistle to the Hebrews, ninth chapter.

The law of God announced for the moral guidance of men has never been and in the nature of the case can never be repealed or annulled. The old dispensation served to give knowledge of it, but ability to keep it perfectly was lacking. In the new order of things under Christ one of the race has entered the holiest place of the Most High to ever abide under the shadow of the Almighty. The veil of separation has been forever torn aside that all may enter who will. The law is no longer on hidden slabs of stone, but the new covenant declared of God is: "I will put my laws into their mind and write them in their hearts. I will be to them a God, and they shall be to me a people." "True worshipers shall worship the Father in spirit and in truth."

Other Army Corps.

Methodism is not one organic body. Even in the United States there are nearly a dozen branches of the Methodist family. The largest in numbers, most wealthy and perhaps the most influential is the Methodist Episcopal. Next in prominence is the Methodist Episcopal Church South. Canada Methodism, since the consolidation of all its divisions into one body, has become one of the most influential churches, if not the very first in importance, in that country. The Epworth League began as a consolidation of the five large societies existing in the Methodist Episcopal church in May, 1889. The Church South and the Canadian church organized their societies with the same general name, but under the government of their own authorities. So will each of the other branches of Methodism probably do. The Wesleyans of England, Australia, India and other regions are swinging into line. Each is a separate army corps. Our international convention at Chattanooga, Tenn., June 27-30, will gather delegates from all over the world. Fraternal consultation, and not organic union, is the object of that gathering. Probably at its close we shall be a little nearer the practical solution of the problem of Christian church union, but no schemes for tinkering the machinery are contemplated. Demonstration of fraternal unity will be given in the sacrament of holy communion with which the services will open.

The Best of Each Kind.

Much emphasis is often laid on the fact that Christ chose unlettered men for his apostles. The success of the unlearned in revival and reform work is sometimes emphasized as if that was all that is needed for the work of the church of God on earth. It should not be forgotten that when Jehovah wanted to make Israel a nation he chose a Moses as leader. When Christianity needed an expounder and defender for the gentile world, God laid his hand on a Saul of Tarsus. So has it been in all subsequent times. There is work for Augustine, Wyclif, Luther, Calvin and Wesley as truly as for Moody, Booth, Taylor and the other hearts of fire. Each in his place and all in harmony is the need. The best of each kind and each at his best moves the work of God forward in his appointed way.

The Reading Course.

Thousands in all parts of the world have found profit and great pleasure in the various Chautauqua courses since their inauguration 20 years ago. Many who have felt unable to pursue so advanced and long a course find in that of the Epworth League what is adapted to their needs. There is variety sufficient for all tastes and requirements. If one is pressed for time in a busy life, it is remarkable how much information and real culture can be had in economizing odd minutes and reading systematically a few really excellent books rather than letting them slip by unemployed or in reading whatever chances to fall in the way. Careless and indiscriminate reading is as surely fatal to mental strength and health as careless eating is productive of dyspepsia.

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CHAPTER VI.

As the story was unfolded to him an expression of grim despair gathered over Forrester's face.

"You see it will be impossible to fight against such proof," said Dixon, sympathetically. "I am awfully sorry for you, my dear fellow. The only little bit of possible good in the whole affair is that your kinswoman may let you off the debt you unconsciously incurred to her estate."

"My God!" cried Forrester, starting up and beginning to pace the room. "It is an awful blow! I am hard hit in more ways than one. I have asked the sweetest girl in the world, as I think, to marry me, and I hoped to hear her say 'yes' to-morrow or next day. Now marriage is too wild an imprudence. I dare not drag her into an abyss of poverty."

"A girl! What girl?" exclaimed Dixon, impatiently. "You don't mean to say you have been such an idiot—"

"THEN I SUPPOSE THIS CASE WILL BE SETTLED OUT OF COURT."

"Yes, I have! I know what you mean. I have followed up my acquaintance with my traveling companion, and to give her up will cost me more than any other loss—fortune, station, anything!"

"Good heavens! how incredible it seems to me," said Dixon, as if to himself. Forrester continued his troubled walk without heeding him.

"Give me pen and paper," he exclaimed, after a few minutes' silence. "I will write and ask her to see me to-morrow. Then I can explain all to her and she will decide what's to be done." Dixon pushed over the blotting pad to him and Forrester wrote a few lines rapidly, then, as he addressed and fastened the envelope he said: "I leave myself entirely in your hands, Dixon. I suppose the best thing I can do is to get back to my regiment as soon as I can. Thank heaven I did not send in my papers. It's all like my cursed luck." He wrung his friend's hand and was gone.

Somewhat to Dixon's surprise Forrester did not appear next day, and in the evening when the former, who felt rather uneasy about him, called at his hotel he was informed that Capt. Forrester was out—had been out all day.

"He has been running his head into some noose, I have no doubt," was Dixon's mental comment as he took his way to his snug bachelor's quarters in Victoria street, and spent the evening expecting a visit from his unlucky friend. He was disappointed, however.

It was not till noon next day that Forrester made his appearance. He looked haggard and depressed, but had evidently endeavored to pull himself together and spoke with more composure than at their last meeting.

"Here is a note I received this morning," he said, handing it to Dixon. "Rather startling, eh! I suppose I had better keep the appointment."

Dixon read as follows:

"DEAR SIR: I should very much like to speak to you respecting the property we both claim, as I cannot help feeling for the disappointment you must have had. Will you meet me to-morrow at Messrs. Henderson's office about two o'clock? If you will not or cannot, please address to me, their care."

These lines were written the day before and bore no address.

"Go!" cried Dixon, handing back the note, "of course you must go. Why don't you go in for the heiress? It would be a splendid solution of all difficulties and she may be a tolerably looking girl."

"Thank you. I don't fancy the underbred niece of a housekeeper," said Forrester, impatiently. "Besides I am not a free man until I have come to an understanding with the lady I asked to be my wife. I have just come from her place. I was so puzzled and worried at having no answer to my note yesterday that I went up to Kilburn this morning and found she was laid up with a bad cold. Still she *might* have sent me a line in reply."

"Probably she has heard that you have lost or are likely to lose, your fortune."

"No. That cock won't fight, Dixon. She can know nothing of my affairs. She is among a totally different set of people. However, I will see this Selwyn girl, though I can't see the use of an interview. One must not be uncivil."

"No, certainly not," returned Dixon, and they continued to talk of Forrester's affairs for a considerable time, Dixon perceiving with grave uneasiness what a stronghold his friend's passion for his fascinating traveling companion had taken upon him.

At last it was time to start for Parliament street, where the office of Henderson was situated.

Forrester walked thither in a sort of dream. It was cruel hard lines to be robbed of love and money by one fell blow. What a different aspect life bore to-day from what it did two days ago. Why did Angela avoid him? It looked like avoidance. If she loved him and would wait for him, there was something still to hope for, but how pale and dim compared to the vivid colors hope wore for the last month.

"Yes, Miss Selwyn is expected," replied a clerk to Forrester's inquiry, when he reached his destination. "Please walk up, sir," and Forrester, with the same sulky curiosity stirring in his mind, ascended to the private office of the solicitor, a grave, sedate man, who received him civilly, and then conducted him into another room, observing that Miss Selwyn was anxious to see him alone, though he (Henderson) did not quite approve of the step.

"I myself don't see that an interview can do any good," returned Forrester, gloomily. Whereupon, having given him the Times, Henderson closed the door and left him to his own reflections.

The succeeding ten minutes seemed exceedingly long, but at last the door opened and a small, slight figure dressed in black entered.

Forrester gazed at her in speechless astonishment. "Miss Cavallo," he exclaimed, recovering himself. "This is most unexpected! I thought you were too unwell to leave your room?" and he took her hand in both his own.

"It is imprudent!" she returned, unsteadily, flushing and then growing white. "But I came by the wish of Miss Selwyn, whom I could not refuse."

"What? do you know Miss Selwyn?"

"Yes, intimately. I am here by her wish, to open a rather delicate matter—which—" she paused.

"I am very pleased she has chosen such an ambassadress," put in Forrester, smiling. "Why did you not answer my note? It has been no small addition to my troubles, your silence."

"I knew I should see you to-day," she said, "and preferred to wait until you had heard Miss Selwyn's proposition."

"What proposition?" asked Forrester. "Does she want to divide the property with me?" And he laughed bitterly.

"Something of that kind," said Angela, gravely. "She says she does not like to deprive you and she does not like to return to poverty herself; so if it seems good to you, perhaps you might enjoy it together."

"Is this an offer of marriage?" exclaimed Forrester, a look of amusement relaxing his countenance.

"It is, Capt. Forrester."

"And pray did you not tell my kinswoman that Forrester was not in the market? Who knows, as well as myself, that there is but one woman I would marry at present."

"But, Capt. Forrester, I have no fortune to replace that which you have lost; and it would never do for you to burden yourself with a penniless wife. I thought it best to give you this message and to assure you that so far as I am concerned you are free — quite free—"

"There is something I cannot fathom under all this," cried Forrester, a strange flash of suspicion darting through his brain. "You are playing some game. Tell me the truth, Angela. Who is Miss Selwyn? Where is she? Can I not see her?" He caught both her hands and looked intently into her eyes.

"Yes, you shall see her, and you will not be too harsh in your refusal," exclaimed Angela, her sweet eyes alight with a smile, arch, bright, joyous.

"No! But she must understand that my heart has passed into your keeping! That my future is in your hands!"

"She will forgive it all! Nay, she will love you the better for it. Ah! Can you not guess? Do you not see through my little ruse?"

"Good God! What do you mean?" cried Forrester, clasping her in his arms. "Do you—can you love me?"

"Yes, I do love you. No one will ever love you better than your kinswoman Sarah Selwyn! Will you forgive my deceit?"

"Give me one kiss, a long one, and I'll forgive whatever you like. Now tell me what the mystery about Miss Selwyn is?"

"Simply, that we are one and indivisible. I am Sarah Selwyn, but I have never used my real name! My dear parents, as I consider Aunt and Uncle Cavallo, in adopting me, wished to separate me as much as possible from my father and his people, so they renamed me after my mother, and it is only a short time ago, not more than two years, that I knew I was not really their child! You must let me go, Capt. Forrester! I can speak better if you do! It had been settled that I was to come over to Mrs. Bartlett to look for an engagement to sing at concerts. Then this wonderful news about old Mr. Selwyn dying without a will came to my dear good father, and he said he must urge my claims, but I thought it so impossible that I could ever become rich or grand that I begged to be let to look for an engagement all the same, so I came over to London, and met you, and you thought you too were rich and offered to share all you had with me. Now I am rich, so you must not refuse my offer to share what I have with you!" There was something infinitely bewitching in the sweetness and piquancy of her voice and look as she said this.

"My darling, I cannot believe that such a solution of my difficulties, my despair, is possible. But never more will I call you anything save Angela! Are you really my opponent—my victorious opponent?"

For answer Angela walked across to a door which opened into Mr. Henderson's room. "Ray, come here and explain to Capt. Forrester who I am," she exclaimed.

"Certainly," said Henderson, joining them. "This lady is Miss Selwyn, your second cousin, and heir of the late Mr. John Selwyn. I trust her generous sympathy with you in your disappointment has not betrayed her into any imprudence."

"It has," rejoined Forrester, looking radiant. "She has committed herself frightfully. Three weeks ago she all but refused me; to-day she has promised to be my wife. But to you I leave the tying up of her property strictly on herself."

"Ahem!" said Mr. Henderson, taking off and wiping his spectacles. "Then I presume this case will be settled out of court."

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II.—BOYHOOD.

Napoleon may be said to have had a threefold life. He was an Italian by descent, a Corsican by variation, and a Frenchman by nationality. He was the last by a close contingency; for Corsica had only become French a few months before his birth. We may here glance briefly at the aspect of the world at the date of his apparition.

The Bourbon monarchy of France was in its hectic heyday—knowing little, and fearing nothing. Its wisest organ was the minister of Foreign Affairs, the great Choiseul. Louis XV. was in the forty-sixth year of his reign. He had recently lost a vast empire in North America, but had gained his parc aux cerfs at Versailles! Italy consisted of distracted principalities, over which the papal power still extended its scepter in spectral majesty. Clement XIV. had reached the third month of his pontificate. The Hapsburg Joseph II. was in the fourth year of that imperial rule which had now become a shadow and illusion on the disk of time. Great Britain, gaining rapidly by conquest on foreign shores, had for ruler George III., then in the thirty-first year of his age. Chatham had just resigned from the ministry, and the duke of Grafton was staggering under the first blows of Junius!

In America the rebels of New England had been outlawed by Parliament for their "rash and hasty proceeding" against the tax on tea. On the continent of Europe, Voltaire, though seventy-three years of age, was still the literary emperor—giving forth from his estate at Ferney both laws and oracles to men. Only a few miles from the birthscene in the house of Carlo Buonaparte was stationed a Provencal lieutenant with his regiment of Lorraine; and his name was Mirabeau! At that very hour, from the chateau of the Elder Mirabeau tediously back to Paris,

CARLO BONAPARTE, FATHER OF NAPOLEON.

Jean Jacques Rousseau was making his way with his Confessions in his pocket! A sick student at Leipsic, nearly twenty years of age, who had recently written a drama called Die Mitschuldigen, was about to be transferred to Strasburg: he was Goethe, the World-bard. In Russia the daughter of Christian August, of Anhalt-Zerbst, having put a seven years' oblivion between herself and her murdered husband, was sitting in imperial robes among the favorites of the corruptest court ever known in Christendom!

Letitia di Buonaparte was not quite nineteen years of age when her war-god was born. She was now for the fourth time a mother—a thing seemingly incredible in our harsh northern clime. Incidents in the first years of the Napoleonic childhood there are none recorded. We are left to himself and to his schoolmate Bourienne for our knowledge of the earliest characteristics and events of his life.

The Corsican had a prodigious memory, and it reached back well toward his infancy. When in after years he spoke of himself—as he was much given to doing—he generally used exaggeration; but we may not doubt that there was always a vein of sterling truth underrunning his dramatic recitals. We know indeed, out of the nature of the case, that his representations of his own child-character were in the main correct.

The young Buonaparte was from a babe abrupt and quarrelsome. His willfulness was extreme. The likelihood is that he never once in his life willingly obeyed anybody! Near his death, at Longwood, he declared that he was never afraid. His child-passion was frequently excited against Joseph, over whom he exercised a censorious sway from the time when they toddled together in the birth-room or fought in the yard. He appears to have loved his mother, and to have obeyed her in a morose and mathematical way; but in his last talk he indicates that his conduct as a child toward the mother was rather prudential than affectionate. He bears witness that the Ramolino lioness was tender in her treatment of him, as well as severe and just. Certain it is that in and about the maison di Buonaparte he made the earliest possible reputation as a tearer of tapestries and a scratcher of human faces.

To their fourth child, Carlo Buonaparte and his wife gave the name of Napoleon. At the first it was Napoleone. In this form the possessor retained it until, flaring up in Paris in the character of a young Jacobin, he threw away the Italian and aristocratic fictions in his name, to become plain, republican NAPOLEON BONAPARTE. In fact, there was never anything in his character to encourage the use of more letters than were necessary; his speed in writing was unfavorable to the cultivation of diacritical marks!

The first teaching of the child Bonaparte was given by his mother. Then he was sent, in his sixth year, to a child's school kept by a woman. He went from the parental threshold in that same arbitrary and belligerent mood which characterized him ever. He fought with his schoolmates, among whom he appeared with no sign of neatness in his clothing, and nothing debonair in his manner.

At this time, beside his parents, he had two important relatives. One of these was Lucien Buonaparte, brother of his grandfather Joseph; and the other was Joseph Fesch, afterwards the Cardinal Fesch, half-brother of his mother. The latter was a studious lad of twelve, who took an interest in his sister's son; and the former had wealth and influence in the island, both of which he was willing to bestow on the Bonaparte schoolboy. Young Fesch aided him with his lessons, and exercised a conservative influence on his temper. How little might it be foreseen that the younger of these twain, with his surly look and long hair and stockings down over his shoes in the dust of the playground, should one day, from an imperial palace in the most splendid city in the world despatch his elder playmate as ambassador to the Pope of Rome!

What were the civil and social influences around the schoolhouse of Bonaparte? The sentiments of that place are among the most potent and enduring forces of life. The child-nature imbibes unconsciously the prevailing principles of the hour; and the character is forming while the first hesitant words are conned from the primer. The boy Napoleon had around his schoolroom—as around his cradle—an agitated atmosphere. It was banked with the receding clouds of revolution. There was lightning on the rim, and blood on the fringes.

The majority of the Corsicans had accepted the French domination. Some still remembered Genoa with affection; and many sighed for independence. Among the latter were the Buonapartes. The feeling of regret for the lost cause began to wane about the time that Napoleon was sent to school; but there was still in his heart a drop of inherited bitterness on account of the French conquest. He looked back angrily at the terrible conditions surrounding him in his childhood. As late as his twentieth year he broke out in passion. "I was born," said he, "while my country was dying. Thirty thousand French, vomited on our shores, drowning the throne of liberty in waves of blood—such was the horrid sight which first met my view. The cries of the dying, the groans of the oppressed, tears of despair, surrounded my cradle at my birth." The utterance shows how hardly the future emperor of the French himself in youth became a Frenchman.

When, from the sixth to the ninth year of his age, the boy Bonaparte attended school in his native town, three lines radiated before his feet. One of these was dim and clouded, but glorified with patches of extreme light. It was the way into the kingdom of that New Philosophy which was just then revealing itself with such brilliancy in France. A second and well-trod way led straightly to the Church. Rome was great and honorable. Her rewards for diligent ambition were rich and certain. The young aspirant who entered her colleges might well expect emolument and reputation. The third path led dangerously to the military life. None might at that time discern the coming upheaval of society, with its concomitant reign of the sword. But the agitations of the epoch were sufficient to encourage war, and to offer a measure of inducement to follow in the path of military glory.

The taciturn schoolboy of Ajaccio had these three open ways before him. From the first, he was precluded by the dispositions of his family, intensified in himself. He never had the scholastic trait. His abilities as a pupil, and afterwards as a military cadet, showed nothing of the philosophe. Indeed he conceived—how early in boyhood we know not—a prejudice against philosophy and the philosophers as well. As for the Church, he had an inbred admiration for Rome; but the kind of life offered in the priesthood was without attractions for him personally. He was willing that Joseph and other of his friends should become priests and bishops; but not himself. Neither the scholar's gown nor the priest's surplice offered the slightest attraction to his imagination.

The condition of the Buonaparte family about the years 1776-78 was critical. Carlo, the father, had given an interested adhesion to the French. He had his hopes from the annexation. He would keep his titles and recover the properties formerly belonging to the family. The Buonaparte estates in Corsica had been mostly lost. Some had been confiscated by the Genoese party and converted into Jesuit schools. The recent revolution had reduced Carlo's means almost to naught. He was himself of no reputation as an economist. His family had rapidly multiplied. Two children died in infancy between the birth of Napoleon and that of Lucien, in 1775. The family was brought almost to penury.

Carlo de Buonoparte could not get back his properties. The privilege of writing his name with a de did not compensate for his losses. He struggled with adversity, and, sought the aid of influential friends. Among these the most available was General Marbœuf. The latter in 1776 appealed on behalf of his Corsican friends to the authorities in Paris for the privilege of educating the Buonaparte boys in France at the expense of the royal treasury. This thing might be done—provided the applicants should be under ten years of age, and be able to show four strains of noble blood in their veins! In the case of the boys Buonaparte, this could not be proved; and affairs in the homestead went from bad to worse.

At this juncture history, rather than man, came to the rescue. France was on the verge of bankruptcy. One finance minister after another was appointed, and one financial scheme after another exploded in the hands of the inventors. It became necessary to call together, at Versailles, a council of the nobles. Carlo de Buonaparte was chosen a representative from Corsica. In going to perform his duty at the French capital, he took with him, to be distributed en route, his two sons, Joseph and Napoleon; also, the boys' half uncle, Joseph Fesch; also, a cousin of Letitia, the mother. As for Fesch, he was to be left as a student at Aix. The cousin had been appointed to an office in the church at Autun; and at that place the distracted father determined to drop his two sons at school.

This was in the year 1778. The company set out by way of Florence, Genoa, Marseilles, Lyons. The youngest of the company was a sad-faced, big-eyed boy, in such apparel as could be furnished in the house of an impecunious nobleman. The boy's head was bent forward as he walked. His foot now for the first time touched the continent. He was in his tenth year. He muttered broken ejaculations to his companions. It was Napoleon Bonaparte on his way to Autun—and the world.

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CHAPTER I.

Meryon awoke with the issue of an interesting dream in doubt. Terah had admitted that she loved him; the prince had seemed disposed to hear reason; but just then the purple and gold heraldic heron which formed the central device of his highness' state banner detached itself from the surrounding embroidery and flew viciously at Meryon's head. He heard Terah's voice raised in warning, and saw two black mountains at the verge of a desolate plain, sundered from each other by a rugged defile. The sun was setting behind the mountains—and he awoke.

He yawned and glanced at the long silver chain by which a lamp of pierced brass depended from the ceiling. A ray of sunlight from the east window rested on it—by which token he knew it was about nine o'clock.

The room in which he lay was beautiful and—as the bedchamber of a modern young American—singular.

Lofty and of good size, it was rather narrow for its length. Polished marbles of tender hues paved the floor, the central part of which was depressed several inches below the ends, and in a basin in this depression leaped and fell the slender jet of a fountain. A high dado glowed with oriental tiles colored like fading sunsets, and the walls above were hung with tapestries stained as with crushed roses and violets. Higher still was a wide border of dark brown wood exquisitely carved, and above this the four windows, a foot high by four times that width. Silks of mellow tone draped the ceiling.

Along three sides of the south end of the chamber extended a broad divan, part of which served Meryon as a bed. Here and there about this dim, lovely room stood vases of wrought bronze and fine porcelain. Within reach of his arm was a triple gong on a carved wood stand, with a hammer hanging by a silken cord. Meryon struck thrice upon this graceful instrument, and three soft notes of an octave's interval tingled on the air. As they subsided the portiere was pushed open, and a graceful figure entered, bearing a tray with coffee, cakes and cigarettes.

Had the figure been fully draped, you would have taken it for that of a girl, so refined and beautiful were the aquiline features and the shaggy cloud of soot-black, fine-spun hair, which fell on the shoulders. But the supple body, naked from the waist up, was that of a boy of twelve or fourteen, tawny as fine bronze. Girt round his loins was a skirt of dark blue gossamer stuff, with silver lines running through it and a silver fringe, and about his neck a double necklace of delicate silver links hung half way down his breast. Black as night were the great eyes which met Meryon's blue ones, and radiant the smile of greeting which revealed his flashing teeth.

The ensuing dialogue, though carried on in an oriental tongue, shall for the sake of uniformity be here given in the English equivalent.

"The top of the morning to you, Ebal, my beauty!" said the American. "You're a sight for sore eyes! Did anyone ever tell you that you look surprisingly like the divine Princess Terah—God bless her! Maybe only an artist who has painted your portrait as often as I have could see it in your present rig; but put on one of her dresses and anyone would know it. The funny thing is that neither she nor you resemble the prince; but Terah's mother, if she were asked * * * however, there's no fathoming the mysteries of oriental—diplomacy."

"Honored lord!" murmured the boy, in a tone of half-frightened remonstrance, but smiling still. He knelt and placed the tray upon the divan beside his master. Then taking a cigarette from the enameled box on the tray he put it daintily between his lips and lit it at the silver spirit lamp. Having

"JENUAH SENT YOU THIS."

inhaled a single whiff of fragrant smoke, he handed it to Meryon with a charming obeisance and he accepted it with the complacency of one who knows his cast and likes it.

"I don't know whether this is most like Aladdin's palace or a glorified Turkish bath," said he to himself; and then to Ebal: "What news have you brought me, you rascal? What of the rose who makes cabbages of all other roses—the star that makes a brass kettle of the sun? Have you brought me nothing from her?"

Now, Ebal thought Meryon a wonderful and worshipful being, but as a born oriental he was frightened by the audacity of his passion for the young princess. From a fold of his girdle he took a small rosebud, such as grew on the gardens of Saadi or of Omar, and presented it to the other as if it were a fragile explosive.

"I know nothing myself, mighty lord—but Senuah said I was to give this to you and to say that the lion must beware of the pitfall which the hunter digs in his path. That means Hatipha, the head eunuch—how I hate the old beast!" he added, lowering his voice to a whisper.

Meryon laughed. "That's all right, my lad," he said, taking the bud and kissing it. "Don't you be scared. I'm looking out for you; and I'm wiser than a thousand such old mules as Hatipha. I talk openly to you because I love you, and Senuah is our confidante because she's your sister and the princess' favorite maid—and there's no one to take her place. But I can hold my tongue when I see fit. And when the time comes"—here he bestowed upon the youth a wink of great significance. "I'll take you along with us to America and make your fortune. Well, now, be off, my beauty, and leave me to drink my coffee and meditate!"

"But I may help my lord to dress later?" asked Ebal, reluctantly retiring from the fascinating presence.

"When I'm ready I'll hit the gong. There — Allah—Il—Allah Bismillah! Clear out!"

As Ebal vanished with a smile and a sigh, Meryon fell upon the bud with amorous rapture. It fared badly, as buds are apt to do, in the cause of love. After smelling and kissing it till it looked as if ruined by premature dissipation, the lover ended by devouring it, petals, calix and all, as if by incorporating it with his bodily substance to mystically bind to his own the soul of his beloved. Then he drank his coffee and took counsel with himself.

He was an American artist in search of the beautiful, whose devotion to his art was proved by his possessing a fortune that made him more than independent of the world. He had brought good letters of introduction to the prince of this little kingdom, and had confirmed his welcome by painting a capital full-length portrait of his host. Great favor was his; a suite of rooms in the palace, and servants for his exclusive behoof. The prince was not only at all times accessible to him without ceremony, but could not get enough of his society. During his two months' sojourn he had made a lot of valuable studies, in many of which Ebal, in all poses and costumes, or with no costume save his own boyish beauty, was the center of interest. This was all very well.

But alas for insatiable human nature and malicious fate! One day (owing to a concatentation of accidents which

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cannot here be detailed) he met face to face and unpremeditatedly the only daughter of the prince, Terah the beautiful. It was all up with him in a moment; and her oriental fancy seems to have been no less captivated by the fresh complexion, handsome features and red hair of the occidental stranger. They loved each other at the first intention, as surgeons say, just as young people used to do in the golden prime of the good Haroun Alraschid. Ah! Romance lingers in this old world yet, as we shall see!

Meryon had the tact to cover his face with his hands, and the presence of mind to look through his fingers. The princess replaced her veil not so hastily as to prevent a quick, artist glance from catching a rapturous impression of her dusky grace and glorious eyes. Fat old Hatipha, with pendent cheeks flapping, bustled up in vast perturbation and whipped the princess out of the infidel's sight as fast as he could. But Senuah, following, threw over her shoulder an arch glance which in America would have passed for a wink of sympathetic intelligence. Mischief was afoot.

Then followed intrigue. One afternoon the back part of the booth of Musreddin, the jewel-merchant, contained a new apprentice, with huge turban and voluminous drapery, whose blue eyes wandered from his work as Terah entered, and never left her face during the half hour she chaffered with the jeweler over the price of a ring—which, on the other hand, she would never have looked at twice, had she not been stealing a thousand glances at the back part of the shop! Again, from a meshreble-screened window (chartered for the purpose), who glowered invisible and impassioned while Terah, her divine countenance not ten inches from his, debated interminably with Senuah as to whether they should turn to the right and visit the confectioner, or to the left to the silk mercer's; while Hatipha, the unsuspicious, stood in the shadow hard-by, with mind at ease because, forsooth, the street was empty. Empty!—and all the while Terah's soft finger tips were being kissed ravenously through the lattice-work, and, when at last the debate with Senuah came to an end, folded themselves about a love-note designed in the most gloriously extravagant terms! No name was signed to that note, but perhaps the princess didn't know whom it came from, and didn't thenceforth wear it in her bosom until—paradoxical as it may seem—it got worn out, and means had to be devised to furnish her with another!

Yes, here in the heart of the guarded orient, and under the shadow as it were of the bow-string, was this love affair carried on, until this very morning of the rosebud. How was it to end? Ah, how indeed!

"No doubt," Meryon said to himself, "eloping with an oriental princess under the noses of her father and the head eunich isn't the easiest thing in the world—I never said it was! But a bonanza like that is worth a risk. The boldest way is the best; bribe Musreddin again; wait with the horses at the back door in the alley; she comes in to buy a new ring; frightful row in the street at the front between two camel-drivers; Hatipha mounts guard at the front door; Terah slips into a rear room and a suit of boy's clothes and so out at the back, mounts, and we're off! Give us ten minutes' start, and 'they'll have fleet steeds that follow,' quoth young Lochinvar! That's the programme. Sorry to play such a game on the poor old prince, but that is the fault of the oriental system—and oh, my soul! what an armful of heaven she is."

He caught up a pillow and vicariously pressed Terah to his heart. Like other lovers he was sometimes constrained to wreak himself on his imagination.

"I quite pity Hatipha, too," he said, when he came to himself, "but in the bright lexicon of my youth there's no such word as getting bested by any tumble-down, earringed, dew-lapped, pot-bellied old nondescript like that—I guess not! I'll go down and interview Musreddin as quick as I can get my clothes on."

He reached for the gong, but ere he could strike it the curtains parted and in sprang Ebal, evidently in a fright.

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Southern California and Plainfield Not So Widely Divergent As Might Be Supposed.

Hugh D. Vail, brother of Mahlon Vail of this city sends to The Press the following interesting comparison of the weather of his home, Santa Barbara, for 1894, with that of Plainfield for the same period:

	At Plainfield	At S. B.
Mean temperature of the year.....	52.9	59.6
Mean temperature of the Summer.	73.2	63.4
Mean temperature of the Winter...	31.9	51.5
Mean temperature of the Spring...	51.1	56.2
Mean temperature of the Fall.....	53.9	62
Mean temperature coldest month..	28.1	49.7
Mean temperature warmest month.	76.4	65.9
Highest temperature in the year...	100	94
Lowest temperature in the year....	1	33
Yearly variation in temperature....	99	61
Mean of daily variation.....	20.7	16.3
Mean of monthly variation.....	50	36
Number of clear days.....	88	215
Number of fair days.....	174	70
Number of cloudy days.....	103	80
Number of days when the rainfall was over 1.100 inches.....	139	27
Total precipitation in inches.....	50.6	10.1

The above comparison—says Mr. Vail—ought to convince any one who examines it that this is not the very hot place during Summer, that all South California is generally supposed to be by persons in the east.

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COMING SLOW BUT SURE

Rapid Transit Extension Delayed by Discordant Elements.

COMMITTEE DOING THEIR BEST.

Chairman Fisk Thinks Sufficient Permits Will Be Secured to Grant Franchises by the Next Regular Meeting of the Council—Everything Agreed on Between Committee and Railroad.

Chairman Fisk of the Street Committee of the Council told a Daily Press reporter yesterday afternoon that in all probability the committee would have nothing definite to report at the Council meeting this evening concerning the extension of the street railway so as to cover the northeastern and southwestern portions of the city. However, he stated, a report would be made that matters to that end were progressing as rapidly as possible.

The committee have been fully informed from time to time as to the action and efforts which the railroad company are making to secure the right of way along the thoroughfares through which it is desired to run cars, and Mr. Fisk stated that there was a determination on the part of the railroad officials to accomplish this object just as soon as possible. It requires great diligence to secure concessions from a majority of property owners along a street. Some people have a natural aversion to street cars passing their residences, others want exorbitant recompense for granting the right of way, while there are still others who manifest opposition for various reasons; and to overcome all these conflicting interests time and patience are needed.

The company have been successful in securing many concessions of the right of way along Watchung avenue, Putnam avenue and Richmond street, but on streets west of Watchung avenue it has been impossible to secure any favorable action from residents looking to the extension of transit facilities to their localities for the reasons specified above.

Mr. Fisk said to the reporter that before the next regular meeting of the Council it is likely that the railroad company will have secured sufficient concessions to warrant the introduction of an ordinance—which is already prepared—granting the franchises necessary to commence the work of extension. In fact, he said, at present enough rights have been resigned which assure the consummation of the original plans of the company to provide rapid transit to all parts of the city, though the routes may and probably will vary some from those first intended.

The Street Committee have been laid open to a great deal of censure by certain citizens for the manner in which they have conducted negotiations for the extension, but their efforts have been constant and earnest to give to the city of Plainfield a road that when completed will be satisfactory to all citizens—something that is no easy task with so many discordant elements placing obstacles in the way of accomplishment.

In order that future trouble may be avoided the consents of property owners who grant the right of way will be reduced to writing before the franchises are extended.

Under the Scope of the Income Tax.

Yesterday's World rates the wealth of several leading Plainfield citizens, liable to the income tax, as follows:

James Closson	millionaire
Charles Hyde	millionaire
L. V. F. Randolph	millionaire
James Clark	millionaire
Elias R Pope	over $200,000
Harry G. Runkle	100,000
Lemuel W. Serrell	150,000
Pliny Fisk	150,000
Joseph B. Coward	100,000
W. Talmadge	100,000

The World's list is as incomplete as it is inaccurate.

Death of E. C. Apgar.

After a long illness, Edwin C. Apgar of 713 West Third street, died Srturday afternoon.

Mr. Apgar moved to Plainfield a few years ago, and secured an excellent position in the Pond Machine Tool Company's works.

His health was not very good, and he rapidly declined, until he was obliged to give up his position.

He leaves a wife who has the sympathy of a very large circle of friends.

Funeral services will be held tomorrow evening at 8, from his late home. Interment will be in Milford.

A Des Moines woman who has been troubled with frequent colds, concluded to try an old remedy in a new way, and accordingly took a tablespoonful (four times the usual dose) of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy just before going to bed. The next morning she found that her cold had almost entirely disappeared. During the day she took a few doses of the remedy (one teaspoonful at a time) and at night again took a tablespoonful before going to bed, and on the following morning awoke free from all symptoms of the cold. Since then she has, on several occasions, used this remedy in like manner with the same good results, and is much elated over her discovery of so quick a way of curing a cold. For sale at Reynolds's pharmacy, Park and North aves. T. S. Armstrong, manager.

TWO YEARS OF PROSPERITY.

Grace M. E. Church Appropriately Observes Its Third Anniversary.

Grace M. E Church was well filled last night by those anxious to attend and enjoy the ex rcises incident to the third anniversary of this society. The service was opened by Dr Lewis offering prayer; he was followed by Dr. H. K. Carroll, who was the first one to conduct regular services in the edifice. He is thoroughly conversant with the history of the church and its early struggles for existence, and it was on this topic that he spoke.

Dr. Carroll said its history was really no different from the history of other churches. When it was first proposed to build a Methodist Church in that portion of North Plainfield a great many thought such a project was impossible, and any efforts in that direction would be wasted, for the field was apparently thoroughly covered. In 1886 $3,600 was easily raised to purchase the lots on which the church now stands, and in 1891 a church to cost $7,500 was started, and when completed it was necessary to raise $2 100 to free it from debt. All this was accomplished and on Feb 14, 1892, the church was dedicated, and on March 26, 1893, the present organization was formed with 72 members, most of whom were from the First M. E. Church. The membership now numbers 107, and all are active workers.

John Valiant, superintendent of the Sunday-school, furnished a few interesting statistics of the growth of this line of work. The school was organized with 78 scholars and 30 officers, which had now increased to 230 members, 81 of whom were in the primary department. In three years $650 had been raised for the maintenance of the school, $150 for missions and $20 for miscellaneous purposes. A library and more room were needed.

After this the most important portion of the evening service took place when 9 little children were taken into the church on probation by Rev. Mr. Randolph A short sketch of the history of the choir was also given by Mr. Randolph.

The meeting was closed by a few remarks from Dr. Lewis, who has the faculty of saying the right thing in the right place. He said that it was easy to undo in two years all the good work that had been done, by a few members becoming inactive and rebellious at every proposed move of the society; especially so when there was so many young people in the church. Children, he said, learn by example rather than by precept, and therefore it was in the home that Christian unity was needed. The homes make and unmake churches, pastors, schools, etc., by the examples set by the older members of a household for the young ones to pattern after. As a parting word he wanted to admonish the young people not to believe that they can do the same thing that has ruined some one else and not be ruined themselves.

TEA IN THE PARK.

The tea given by Mrs. Henry McGee at her beautifully appointed home on Orchard place, Saturday afternoon and evening, from 4 to 7, afforded delight for 175 guests.

The decorations were yellow and green, and harmonized handsomely with the frail little Genista flowers, which were promiscuous about the house, and which sent forth a sweet fragrance.

The hostess was assisted in receiving by Mesdames Dupee, Joy, Horne, McGee, of Plainfield; Welch of Brooklyn, and Miss Cowan of Shady Side.

At the table Mesdames Reed and McCutchen presided, and were assisted by Misses Wilder, Shirley and Ross of Brooklyn, and Ross of North Plainfield.

Among those present from out of town were Mrs. Harry Brewster of New York, and Miss Dodd of Newark.

Great Stories, All of Them.

A most fascinating tale is "The Hollow Ruby" by Julian Hawthorne, now running as a serial in The Daily Press. It will be concluded this week, and succeeded by "Between Scylla and Charybdis" by Mrs. E. Lynn Linton. After that comes "The Thirteenth Column" by Barry Pain, and "Eight Minutes of Twelve" by Nym Crinkle. All of the serials of The Daily Press are crisp, brand-new, copyrighted, and by the best living popular authors.

Now for First Place.

Tomorrow night the Plainfield Bowling Club will contest a game with the Finderne Club on the Board of Trade alleys. By winning this game Plainfield will tie Finderne and Bound Brook for first place in the series.

—The three children of Michael Wunderlick of Leland avenue who were seriously ill with scarlet fever have fully recovered, and the quarantine was removed from the house Saturday.

The experience of Geo. A. Apgar, of German Valley, N. J., is well worth remembering. He was troubled with chronic diarrhoea and doctored for five months and was treated by four different doctors without benefit. He then began using Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, of which one small bottle effected a complete cure. It is for sale at Reynolds's pharmacy, Park and North aves. T. S. Armstrong, manager

THE MIDST OF ALARMS.

Fire Gongs Make a Lively Sunday Racket.

BOTH SIDES OF THE BROOK.

Hot Ashes Cause a Blaze at Samuel Milliken's Barn, and a Borough Greenhouse is Damaged—North Plainfield's Gong Runs Away with Itself.

The barn in the rear of the residence of Samuel Milliken, 830 Central avenue, got afire yesterday morning at 7:30 from hot ashes which had been placed in barrels near the structure a few moments before, and when discovered by the hostler was burning briskly.

Considerable time was lost in getting the department to the scene, by reason of Chief Doane first being notified over the telephone by F. H. Andrews, and he in turn asking Ernest Ackerman, who resides near Box 32, on the corner of West Seventh street and Central avenue, to ring the box alarm.

Five minutes after the alarm was sent in, the department was at work speedily extinguishing the flames.

The only damage was the burning of a portion of the siding on the west end of the structure. The loss will not exceed $40, fully insured.

Mrs. S. H. Milliken hospitably served coffee to the members of the fire department after the flames were extinguished, and Mr. Milliken through The Press thanks the firemen and neighbors.

A small greenhouse with its contents of plants, owned by Fred Baker, on Race street, was destroyed by fire last night at 10. Loss $75; no insurance. Box 142 was sounded, and the borough firemen were on hand as soon as possible, but could not save the property.

The irregular alarm which the borough fire gong gave forth last night was due to the disarrangement of the mechanism of the clock regulating the valves of the whistle.

Earnest in Name and Fact.

The Earnest Workers, the boys mission band of the Crescent Avenue Church, held the annual election of officers and a sociable Thursday afternoon. The following were elected: President, Robert C. LaBoyteaux; Vice-president, Edward S. Peck; Secretary, George H. Richards; Treasurer, Edward A. Janes.

The treasurer's report for the year showed the following items: $30 to Pekin, China; $15 to the Nassau mission ship in Africa; $12 to Baranquilla, South America.

Rev. Dr. Blodgett made a short address which he divided into four parts: Be glad that you were born in a Christian land, become a Christian, give to and support missions and missionaries, and become a missionary yourself.

Ice-cream and cake were served, and a social time was enjoyed. The superintendent of this flourishing society is Miss Mary V. D. Bronson; her assistant is Miss Harriet Gardner.

Five Tremendous Scenes.

In "The Tornado" in Music Hall tomorrow night are to be seen five great combinations of scenic and mechanical effects: The tornado in the first act, the collision of two great ocean liners in the second act, the half dozen sailors on the yardarm of a swaying mast furling a monster sail at a dizzy height above the deck of a ship in the very teeth of a furious gale, also a feature of the second act; the night scene of Chicago Harbor, showing with accuracy the famous Masonic Temple, the Auditorium, the Randolph Street Viaduct, and Chicago's vast water front, in the third act; the dissecting room in a medical college in the fourth act; and the beautiful Autumn setting of the fifth act. Indeed, "The Tornado" is one of the most elaborately staged productions of melodrama ever seen in America.

Danced in Washington's Honor.

Miss Davenport's class enjoyed a dance Washington's Birthday in the Park Clubhouse. An attractive card was provided. A number of the older people came in to look on.

Among those present were the Misses Louise Saunders, Mabel Ladd, Frances Wier, Helen Wier, Katherine Dwight, Virginia Hegeman, Grace Osgood, Helen Osgood, Elizabeth Curtis, Helen Adams, Marion Safford, Miss Haven; and Howard Roome, Clarence Roome, Willie Roome, Harold Hegeman, Harry Curtis, George P. Dupee, Jr., Everett Peck, Max Honeyman, John VanWinkle, Arthur Peck, Fred Bettman, Fred Taylor and Carl Brown.

Four Big Successes.

Having the needed merit to more than make good all the advertising claimed for them, the following four remedies have reached a phenomenal sale. Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption, coughs and colds, each bottle guaranteed—Electric Bitters, the great remedy for liver, stomach and kidneys. Bucklen's Arnica Salve, the best in the world, and Dr. King's New Life Pills, which are a perfect pill. All these remedies are guaranteed to do just what is claimed for them and the dealer whose name is attached herewith will be glad to tell you more of them. Sold at L. W. Randolph's drug store.

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TO THE EDITOR OF THE DAILY PRESS: The opening of the new Young Men's Christian Association building has caused much inquiry and some misunderstanding as to who is entitled to use the building. With your permission I would like to take this opportunity to answer these inquiries and to correct this misunderstanding:

1. The building has been erected by the people of Plainfield for the young men of Plainfield, and we hold it in trust for them. Any man, Jew or Gentile, Roman Catholic or Protestant, unitarian or trinitarian, black or white, whether he is a member of the Association or not, can use the building at any time between 9 a. m. and 10 p. m., on any day except Sunday, the only condition being that he shall be over sixteen years of age and shall conduct himself properly. He will be heartily welcome. Special arrangements have been made for boys under sixteen.

2 Members, of course, have certain privileges which others do not have, namely: the use, in addition to other parts of the building, of the gymnasium, bowling alley, baths and circulating library. All except those are absolutely free.

3. Those who desire to become members, and to help pay the expenses of the Association, do so by the payment, after election, of an annual fee, as follows: Sustaining, $10 or more; simple membership, $2; full, entitling to all privileges, $8; limited, $5, entitling to classes, entertainments, etc., but not to gymnasium, bowling alley and bath. Any man, without regard to creed, can become a member of the Association, in whichever of these classes he wishes.

4. The affairs of the Association are managed by a board of directors; and only members of the Association who are also members of evangelical churches, can vote for officers. We are above all else a Christian association, and our support comes in great measure from church members; it has therefore been found wise to place the management of the organization in the hands of those who are connected with God's appointed representative on earth, whose servant we are:

WILLIAM D. MURRAY,
President.

TO CARRY THE GOSPEL.

The Sunshine Mission Band Are Practical Little Workers.

The juvenile members of the Sunshine Mission Band of the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian Church on Saturday afternoon gave evidence that little people can do good as well as big people in church work. The occasion at which this fact was evidenced was a sale of profitable articles gathered by the activity of the lads and lasses of this band of workers, the proceeds of which are to be transmitted to the lands where the Gospel has not invaded to any great extent.

The various tables were in charge of the following bright-faced children:

Lemonade—Sarah Richards; Dolls—Lucie Budlong, and Dorothy Langdon; Housekeepers—Margaret Leal, and Nina Sampson; Candy—Anna Cahoone, Clara Woodward, Lucille Prettie, Mildred Cone, Libbie Fish, and Helen Lovell; Cake—Grace Peck, Anita Frayley, Ellen Vandevort, Elsie Martin, and Rose Barber; Waitresses—Grace and Cony Wilcox, Florence Beebe, Florence Stewart, and Theodora Wilcox.

Misses Buell and Cahoone exercised a motherly oversight over the sale, and took care that no mistakes were made.

PINK AND GREEN TEA.

The residence of J. W. Sandford, Jr., West Seventh street, was the scene of a pretty and pleasant tea and reception Saturday afternoon, given by Mrs. Sandford and Mrs. Albert Arthur Tilney of Boston, at which 130 of their friends were entertained in a graceful manner.

The dominant colors of the decorations were pink and green, with pink carnations on the dining room and pink roses in the parlor.

Mrs James Hildreth Hallock and Mrs Roger Franklin Murray poured tea, and were assisted in serving by Misses Laura VanDerbeck, Grace Yerkes, Estelle Place and Pauline May Sandford.

Christian Endeavor Rally.

The eight societies of Junior Christian Endeavorers of Plainfield will have a grand rally at the First Baptist Church, Thursday evening, Feb. 28. An interesting programme is being rehearsed by the young people, and an enjoyable evening is promised.

O. W. O. Hardman, sheriff of Tyler Co., W. Va., appreciates a good thing and does not hesitate to say so. He was almost prostrated with a cold when he procured a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. He says: "It gave me prompt relief. I find it to be an invaluable remedy for coughs and colds." For sale at Reynolds's pharmacy, Park and North aves. T. S. Armstrong, manager.

FANWOOD GETS CROSS.

Doesn't Like the Way the Borough Project Works.

SHE SCENTS A SELFISH SCHEME.

Correspondents Protest Against the Alleged Effort of Sheriff Kyte's Improvement Company to Shut Scotch Plains Out of the World.

The Press has hitherto announced the progress of the movement to form a borough of the railway-station end of Fanwood Township. That the proposition is not altogether favorably received, the following communications indicate:

THE NEW JERSEY BOROUGH CRAZE

To The Editor of The Evening Post:

SIR: Apropos of your articles of August 29 and December 28 last on "The Borough Craze", which I read with great interest and have carefully preserved, the following recent occurrences here may interest those of your readers who are or may be "passed through the fire."

The assessed value of the property in this little village (which together with the village of Scotch Plains is embraced in the township of Fanwood) does not, I believe, exceed the sum of $125,000, or the number of voters 80. One of the arms of the trolley octopus has been for some time suitor before our township committee for a right of way through this village, which is right on the steam railroad; but the committee have, as it seems to me very properly, insisted that the construction of a branch or "loop" to Scotch Plains, over a mile away from the steam or any other railroad, shall be a condition of the grant to the trolley. This the trolley people object to and are using every means to escape.

At this juncture, an officer of a land company, which is the largest owner in this village, begins measures to form a borough (substantially out of this village) and for the avowed purpose of (among other things) giving to the trolley what the township committee refuses—the right of way without the condition of the "loop"; and so take away the one chance that our sister village has had for twenty years to get in communication with the outside world. The form of incorporation proposed is that under the borough commission act of 1882, and among the provisions of that act is, that the county freeholder shall call an election to decide the question by a majority vote, upon petition signed by the owners of (only) one-tenth of the taxable property within the limits of the proposed borough. Another provision places borough government in the hands of seven commissioners, of whom two need not be residents. Of the first requisite (the property) the land company easily have six-tenths, and of the other (the majority of votes cast) they may, as landlord or mortgagee, feel pretty safe of a like proportion. This case needs no comment—it speaks for itself!

A FANWOODER,
Fanwood, N. J., February 22.

WRIGHT BABCOCK POINTS OUT A DANGER

Editor of The Union County Standard:—About a year ago, at a public meeting of the electors of the Township of Fanwood (embracing the villages of Fanwood and Scotch Plains) held in a clubhouse of the place, a committee of representative men was, agreeable to request, appointed to hear, consider and investigate the advisability of the formation of a borough within certain limits (substantially the village of Fanwood), and if found advisable, to state which one of the numerous "Borough Acts" (then numbering over 100) the Committee recommended for the purpose; and to report to a subsequent public meeting to be held at the same place about six weeks later.

This report was made at the time and place prescribed. Though it was in writing and quite full in some respects, it was conspicuously inconclusive and undecisive with respect to the advisability of such a step, and with respect to the best form of doing it, if advisable, under the conditions of the particular case; and the report ended by asking to have the Committee indefinitely continued and to have some slight changes made in its membership. This request, coupled with a report of such colorless character, impressed a "safe majority" of the meeting before which it was made, with the opinion that corporate and political interests were or would be associated with and dominant in a question that should be purely an economic one. So the meeting accepted the report and thanked the Committee, but refusing its request, discharged it!

That the "safe majority" of that meeting judged accurately and acted wisely, would appear from the following occurrences, which I state only on credible information: Last Tuesday evening, at a meeting of the Fanwood Fire Company, not held in its "Truckhouse" but at a private residence, to which meeting (with a single exception to be noted below) no one but members of that company had either invitation or access, an officer (the "single exception" above referred to) of a Land Company (the largest local owners) again advocated the formation of a borough, and this time recommended that such formation be under the "Borough Commission Act".

One of the peculiar features of this Act is, that the question of action under it must be (after certain notice) submitted to a vote of the electors within the limits of the proposed borough, on the application of the owners of only one-tenth of the assessed value of the included property and so without any public discussion of the question; and that a majority of the votes cast, shall decide that question. Another peculiar feature of the Act referred to is, that the government of such a borough (by 7 Commissioners) is placed in the will of a plurality of votes cast.

Of the first requisite (the property) the Land Company now own more than six-tenths, and of the second (the votes cast) that company may and undoubtedly will control a like proportion as landlord or mortgagee, of the voters.

Therefore if the electors of Fanwood (within the proposed limits of the proposed borough) vote for it, they will in reality vote themselves and the property over to the care, custody and control of a private corporation!!

You will do our community a service if you will give these facts wide and conspicuous publicity.

WRIGHT BABCOCK.

THROUGH THE EMERALD ISLE.

An Audience in Holy Cross Church Hears an Interesting Lecture.

Rev. T. Logan Murphy is an interesting talker and when he has an interesting subject his listeners are always entertained in an interesting manner. Thus it was on Saturday evening that the audience in the Sunday-school room of Holy Cross church went away greatly amused and instructed after hearing the lecture on "Ireland", illustrated by a series of views exhibited by the Camera Club, which added realism to the oral description of Mr. Murphy, and gave a better conception of the places talked about.

Starting with the voyage across the Atlantic he carried those present through all the picturesque and historical scenes of the Emerald Isle, frequently interspersing his lecture with stories and witticisms of the Celtic race, related with true mimicry, which he encountered during his tour, and the repetition of which convulsed his audience with laughter. One of the most interesting characters of which he spoke were the drivers of the celebrated Irish jaunting carts—which, he said, jar one mentally as well as physically, but there seemed to be a bit of romance in riding in them that was conducive to a jolly state of mind and disposition, accentuated by the felicitous temperament of the droll drivers, who, however, were experts in devising means to become the recipients of "tips".

The lecture was closed by brief biographical sketches of Ireland's great sons—Oliver Goldsmith, Edmund Burke and Robert Emmett.

At the conclusion a vote of thanks was extended by the audience to the speaker for the pleasant evening afforded them.

The views were skilfully shown by Messrs. Oscar S. Teale, J. Hervey Doane and Harry Coward of the Camera Club.

LETTING HIS LIGHT SHINE.

Fred Dunn of Plainfield Illuminating the West.

Fred S. Dunn, formerly engineer of the electric light works in this city, who was compelled to resign his position and go to California, on account of his health, went to Pasadena early last Fall and soon showed his worth as an electrician and secured a lucrative and responsible position as engineer of the great Lowe Cable Incline Railway on Echo Mountain. He also has charge of the great 3,000,000 candle-power search-light at Echo Mountain, the largest search-light in the world, and which was a wonder of the Chicago Exposition.

His health is much improved, and he is gaining in weight. He is a big man out there, and highly respected everywhere. He is an expert amateur photographer, and has recently sent to Plainfield several large views of the great railway and search-light, and of the magnificent hotel at the summit of Echo Mountain, which is 6 000 feet high.

The search-light he operates is 11 feet long, and the reflector is five feet in diameter and from 1-16 of an inch to 3½ inches thick. The positive carbon is 1½ inches in diameter, and 22 inches long; the negative, 1½ inches thick and 16 inches long. 45 horse-power is consumed in operating the light, whose intensity is such as to be seen at Catalena Isle, 35 miles out at sea.

Among the photographs received from Mr. Dunn are several showing views of the splendid valley, one picturing a great landslide that buried the railway tracks, and one depicting him lecturing on the search-light to a party of tourists, headed, by W. H. Mohr of Elizabeth.

Mrs. Emily Thorne, who resides at Toledo, Washington, says she has never been able to procure any medicine for rheumatism that relieves the pain so quickly and effectually as Chamberlain's Pain Balm and that she has also used it for lame back with great success. For sale at Reynolds's pharmacy, Park and North aves. T. S. Armstrong, manager.

DOUGLASS AT REST.

Great Demonstration Expected at Washington To-day.

Washington, Feb. 23.—The funeral services over the late Frederick Douglass will be held to-day in Metropolitan A. M. E. church, the largest of the denomination in the city, and the demonstration on that occasion is expected to be one of the greatest ever seen in Washington. The body will be taken to the church from his late residence in Anacostia early in the morning and will lie in the church for view by the public until 2 o'clock, at which hour the services will begin. They will be conducted by Rev. J. G. Jenifer, pastor. Bishops Turner and Wayman will take part, and John W. Hutchinson, the last of the famous Hutchinson family of abolition singers and a life-long friend of the deceased, will sing a solo. The sermon will be preached by Dr. Jenifer, and brief eulogistic remarks will be made by Rev. Dr. Rankin, president of Howard University; Rev. Hugh T. Stevenson, of Anacostia Baptist church and Rev. Dr. F. J. Grimke.

The honorary pall-bearers will be ex-Senator B. K. Bruce, W. H. A. Wormley, Hon. John R. Lynch, John F. Cook, E. C. Messer, P. B. S. Pinchback, Dr. C. B. Purvis, Leonard C. Bailey, John H. Brooks, J. H. Meriwether, Dr. John R. Francis, F. J. Barbadoes, Capt. D. L. Pitcher, B. E. Messer and Hon. Geo. W. Murray, member of congress from South Carlina.

At 7:10 the body will leave for Rochester, N. Y., over the Northern Central railroad, and is scheduled to reach there at 9:25 to-morrow morning.

GENERAL CARR DEAD.

A Cancer in the Throat Assisted by Grip the Cause.

Troy, N. Y., Feb. 25.—The flags upon the city hall and the state armory in this city are at half mast in civic and militant recognition of the death of Major General Joseph B. Carr, of this city. General Carr died at his home on Fifth avenue yesterday after an illness of long standing, though he was confined to his bed only about six weeks. A cancer, which had its inception in the cheek and which later spread to the jaw and throat, was the cause of death. General Carr was operated upon several times for the removal of the cancer at St. John's hospital, N. Y.

Just before he took to his bed the general went to New York to undergo another operation, but the surgeon refused to operate, as the cancer's insidious growth had extended to vital organs and death under the knife would probably have resulted. The general returned to this city knowing that his death warrant had practically been signed, but he met the issue with such courage that even his friends were unable from his bearing to learn that the general had been obliged to give up hope. A few days later "la grippe," which later developed into pleurisy, attacked him, and assisted the cancer in causing death. Death came peacefully and the end was quiet.

DYING OF HYDROPHOBIA.

Bit by a Pet Dog in December, Mrs. Light Is Now in Convulsions

Trenton, T. J., Feb. 25.—Josephine Light, colored, wife of Levi Light is dying of hydrophobia. Four physicians have been in attendance upon her the last three days, but beyond administering opiates they have been unable to do very much for her.

A pet dog bit the little finger and fleshy part of her left hand on the 4th of December last. The wounds healed nicely but last week began to give her pain. Then she rapidly developed symptoms of hydrophobia, going into convulsions when water was offered her and snapping and flying at those by her bedside. She is unconscious and is expected to pass away in that state during the night.

CATHOLIC OBEDIENCE.

They Must Obey the Commands of the Church Cheerfully.

New York, Feb. 25.—In pursuance of the letter of instruction sent out at the instigation of Archbishop Corrigan, the papal decree relative to Catholics being members of the secret societies known as Odd Fellows, Knights of Pythias and Sons of Temperance, was read from the pulpit of nearly every Catholic church in the city yesterday. In all the churches of the diocese of Newark the decree was read by the officiating priests, with a comment on the decree by Bishop Wigger. The comment recommended ready and cheerful obedience to the commands of the church.

The Harbor Lights.

Sandy Hook, N. J., Feb. 25.—On the night of Feb. 6 the heavy ice drifting seaward, completely wrecked the electric lamps placed on the buoys marking Gedney channel. As this channel is the most direct and deepest, the large eastern steamers prefer coming through it. The lights red on one side and white on the other sowing a safe entrance across the bar to New York harbor. Several large steamers deferred entering till daylight on account of these lights being extinguished. They could have been repaired in a day, but the drift ice would have demolished them again. Now, however, the light house department have placed new lamps on the buoys and the channel is again marked by the electric lights.

Shot Through the Heart.

Terre Haute, Ind., Feb. 25.—A. G. Walker, secretary of the Hudnut Milling company, committed suicide yesterday by shooting himself through the heart. Just before doing so he fired three shots at Mrs. Walker, neither of which struck her. He had been ill for several days and was taking medicine for pains in his head. Mrs. Walker is the daughter of Theodore Hudnut, the founder of the Hudnut Milling company and has three children.

Equalization of Taxes.

Paris, Feb. 25.—The ministry has approved the proposal submitted by the khedive's English financial adviser, Sir Elwin Palmer, to re-classify the lands. This will be the greatest reform ever undertaken in Egypt. Eventually it will equalize all land taxes. At present the land belonging to the wealthy families is assessed much under its value, and the land of others is over-taxed

THE KAISER AT DINNER

Expected Speech on Tariff Did Not Materialize.

Bimetallism League Formed—Silver Men Score a Triumph—Practicable Way of Benefitting the German Farmer—Countess Perponcher Under Arrest for Perjury.

Berlin, Feb. 25.—Great things were expected from the emperor's speech at the dinner of the Brandenburg diet in the Englisches Haus. The members of the diet, almost without exception, belong to the landowning aristocracy. They had been led to believe that the dinner would be something of an agrarian demonstration and the emperor's speech would agree in most respects with their ideas of agrarian reform. Their hopes were strengthened just before the dinner with the announcement that the emperor was conferring at the Old Castle with Chancellor Prince Hohenlohe, probably discussing his speech. It was a bitter disappointment. The emperor referred only briefly to the distress among the peasants and devoted most of his other remarks to the necessity of loyalty, patience and confidence in the margrave. He did not utter a word which hinted even indirectly at higher tariffs, more silver or grain trade monopolies.

New Cruisers Please Him.

Later in conversation with the guests his majesty refrained from any allusion to the agrarian questions. He had much to say about the needs of the navy and seemed pleased that the budget committee had voted him four new cruisers to replace the old-fashioned vessels which soon must be withdrawn from distant service. During the dinner the empress telephoned him from the new reichstag building where the Elbe benefit concert was about to begin. She wished to learn whether he was coming. He told her to let the music begin as he would be unable to be present. The reason he could not go was that he had arranged a consolation entertainment at the Old Castle for the benefit of the downcast agrarians. Shortly after 9 o'clock he left the Englisches Haus and half an hour later was enjoying wine, beer and cigars. His guests were the men who during the last week have been conspicuous in the numerous congresses held here in the interests of the landowners. The Farmers' union, the Bi-metallic league and the Financial and Economic society were most strongly represented. The emperor talked freely on the topics dear to the agrarian mind, doing his best to atone for the disappointment inflicted by his speech.

Silver Men Triumphant.

The economic congresses with agrarian tendencies have been so numerous and obstreperous in the last few days that the newspapers have kept a standing column headed "The Agricultural Week." A powerful bimetallic league has been formed but otherwise the whole agitation has produced nothing more than floods of talk. All the big silver men of the empire have been here and are moving heaven and earth to convert the government to their cause. In an interview with the United Press correspondent Dr. Arendt, the most conspicuous bimetallist in the country, said yesterday:

"There is no doubt that the silver men scored a triumph when the reichstag voted for an international money conference. However, their majority would not have been so great if the deputies had not deemed Count Kanitz's grain monopoly impossible and yet felt that they must help along the suffering farmers in some way. They recognized in the proposal to reform the currency a fair and practicable way of benefitting German agriculture.

The Government To Go Slow.

"I know that the government will not act in a hurry. The silver men do not desire haste in this matter nor would they press forward too rapidly the negotiations for the conference. They are content for the present with their great moral victory which they mean to turn to full account. The government's first step will be to sound France and arrange a cordial entente as the basis of the conference. Premier Ribots' recent utterances on the silver question are of the greatest importance as he took care to explain that his views harmonized with those of M. Hanotaux, the minister of foreign affairs, through whom the understanding could easily be obtained."

Dr. Arendt feels sure of Freiherr von Marschall's support in the present battle of the standards. He speaks of the foreign secretary as a "fanatical bimetallist." After the reichstag voted for the conference, Arendt says, Marschall remarked to him:

"Now things look hopeful. Some years ago, I remember, you, Count Mirbach, Herr von Kardorff and I were the only bi-metallists in Berlin. We were regarded then as something like cranks. Now it is satisfaction to get our views endorsed by a strong majority."

Dr. Arendt does not see why the key to the situation should be left in England's hands. If Germany and France move together, he thinks, England must fall in line. If the conservatives come into power in London," he said, "we can count on them to join us and get the currency right." He is hopeful that even the liberals would not refuse to enter a conference, as he knows Count Herbert Bismarck has letters from Lord Rosebery expressing sympathy with the bimetallists.

Countess Arrested.

The arrest of the Countess of Perponcher, formerly Emma Drost, to answer a charge of perjury, has caused something of a stir in Berlin society. The facts in the case are rather inaccessible. After several years in the United States she married the count and, returning with him to Germany, settled in Eberswalde. She became intimate with the family physician. When the physician's wife sued for divorce the countess swore that her relations to him were perfectly innocent. Facts that transpired after the trial are said to have contradicted her testimony and given grounds for her arrest.

SCORED FROM THE PULPIT.

The Count's Marriage to Miss Anna Gould Criticised.

New York, Feb. 25.—The Rev. Madison C. Peters, of the Bloomingdale Reformed church, in the course of his sermon yesterday said:

"The wealth of this nation is in the hands of a few, and these few are marrying off their daughters to titled imbeciles. This is the most successful way of making a nation poor. A marriage for money or title is a humiliating stoop to the dust; a hollow mockery that blushes to heaven.

"American men, as a rule, marry for love; royal scoundrels always for money. With them cupid has changed his name to cupidity. There is no record of an international marriage where hard cash was the consideration for empty title that did not end unhappily. Yet ambitious fathers and managing mothers and most heartless daughters are constantly playing the same unlucky game.

"Two million dollars for a title! The outward legal form in such a mating may seal the lips of criticism, but a marriage it is not. As the $2,000,000 to be settled on the little count is contingent on his good behavior, there is very little likelihood of the money ever getting out of the Gould family.

The mercantile estimate of marriage is becoming such that I should not be surprised to see the hymeneal market lists chronicled in the newspapers, with the prices current of the stock exchange.

"We despise the man who takes a bribe. We put stripes upon him. What shall we say of these titled fortune hunters who offer themselves to the highest bidder? And what shall we say of the young women who turn what is noble and pure and American away and sell themselves to be offered willing victims on the altars of European profligacy? We pretend to be a democratic nation. We are the most snobbish and slavish worshipers of rank of any nation of the world."

HAS SHE BEEN SENTENCED?

Hawaii's Minister Has No Official News of Queen Lil's Doom.

Washington, Feb. 25.—Neither Secretary Gresham nor Minister Thurston, of Hawaii, has received any news ftom that country per the steamer Gaelic, which arrived at San Francisco from Honolulu Saturday night.

The reports that Mrs. Dominis, the ex-queen, had been sentenced was pronounced by both of those gentlemen to be news to them, as they had no information other than contained in the press dispatches. Minister Thurston said he would not be surprised if he did not receive a dispatch by the Gaelic at all, as there was no great necessity for it. His country, he said, was aware that the American press would keep him better informed than any telegraphic dispatches they could send.

In last night's dispatches from Honolulu was contained the folllowing statement:

"John F. Colburn, of Liliuokalani's last cabinet, has written to Minister Thurston to the effect that he is disgusted with the queen's course, and is working hard with the natives for annexation. He urges Thurston to forward it by every possible means."

Minister Thurston stated that he had received a letter from Mr. Colburn, but he refused to make its contents public at this time.

HOWGATE NOT GUILTY.

Sat Unmoved in Court, But Danced for Joy in His Cell.

Washington, Feb. 25.—Captain Howgate was acquitted yesterday of the charges of embezzling $11,800 from the government while holding the position of disbursing officer of the United States signal service, and of forging a voucher for that amount to cover up his alleged wrong doing. The verdict was rendered about noon, when the jury had been locked up nearly seventy-two hours. Captain Howgate received the announcement without emotion, but after he had been taken to his cell beneath the court room, he danced for joy in the realization that part of the burden and anxiety of fifteen years had been lifted from his shoulders.

CAPTURED IN A BARN.

Killed His Wife and Brother-in-Law in a Fit of Anger.

Chicago, Feb. 25.—Emanuel Barker, the colored expressman, who shot and killed his wife, Mamie Barker and his brother-in-law, Harry Bonner, while in a fit of jealous rage yesterday morning, was captured after a desperate struggle in a barn at 5016 Drexel boulevard and locked up at the Hyde Park station.

Barker made a statement to Captain Aldrich in which he said he killed Bonner in self defense and that his wife was better dead than alive. The trouble was caused by jealously which was also the immediate motive of the killing of his wife and her brother.

They Want To Fight.

Chicago, Feb. 25.—A dispatch to "Parson" Davies last night from Johnny Eckhardt, of the Atlantic Athletic club, offers a purse and division of gate receipts for a ten-round "go" between Choynski and Creeden and Tommy Ryan and Tommy Tracy, both bouts to take place on the same evening, about March 5. Col. Hooskins, backer of the Australians is willing and Davies will put off his trip to England for two weeks. If the fights are not brought off here they will take place at Coney Island.

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THEY ASK FOR JUSTICE

Labor Has an Important Case Before the Court.

The Decision May Affect Future Strikes—Carpenters Will Try To Abolish the "Lumping" System—Walking Delegates Under Indictment. Man's Inhumanity to Man.

New York, Feb. 25.—A case which it is expected may have an important bearing on strikes in general, and which is particularly pertinent to the sympathetic strikes of the building trades, is the indictment against five delegates from the different carpenters' unions, under four counts, for conspiracy and coercion. The case was set for trial to-day before Judge Martine, in general sessions; but owing to the importance of the case, in which it is expected it will take several days to get a jury, the district attorney has announced that it will be moved into the court of oyer and terminer, before Justice Ingraham or Justice Williams.

That "Lumping" System.

While the strikes which brought about the indictment were aimed at what is known as the "lumping system" in the building trades, the men indicted and the unions take the view that the indictment is really aimed at disorganizing the building trades by bringing in the strong arm of the district attorney's office and the courts against what the journeymen declare to be their right to stop work with a view of bettering their condition, regardless of what injury may result. The five men indicted represent the four large carpenters' organizations of the city. The men are: Benjamin Hart and Frank Schultz of the United Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners of America; Joseph Rogers of the Amalgamated Society of Carpenters and Joiners; John S. Overfield of the Progressive Carpenters, Knights of Labor, and Dennis Kavanagh of the United Order of Carpenters and Joiners of America.

Building Trade Crowded.

These four organizations had in their different unions passed resolutions from time to time against the "lumping system," which, owing to the depression in 1893, began to grow in strength, to the injury, as the men claimed, of organized labor. The carpenter's trade allowed the system to flourish, as the organizations are not so strong and compact as in other trades, because it is said by the carpenters that there is never more than enough work in the city to keep more than from half to two-thirds of them busy. Most of the other building trades are not so crowded.

The men say that the large and wealthy builders of the city have never countenanced the lumping system. These large builders are for the most part members of the Master Builers' association. The men claim that a large part of the lumping system builders are what are known as the Budensiecks of the trade. Under this system, it is claimed, contracts to furnish only the labor for the whole or parts of the carpenter work are let out to sub-contractors whose offices are usually in their hats and who are not financially responsible. No complaint is made by the journeymen against letting out sub-contracts as long as they are for material as well as for labor.

The Sub-Contractor.

When a lumping contract is made for the carpenter work in a building, the sub-contractor does not need to be under any bond or other obligation. He agrees to furnish the work for a certain sum, and each week the main contractor makes advances to the lumper, which he takes care shall not exceed the union rate of wages for the number of men who have worked that week. The union rate is $3.50 a day, but the lumper, owing to the number of carpenters out of work, can get reductions from the men who may be union men in sore need of work; but the lumper usually requires the men to say to the walking delegates in such cases that they are getting union rates. Moreover, it is the custom on such jobs to employ one exceptionally fast worker at the full rate of wages on each branch of the work. For instance, a man who can outdo most of his fellow journeymen in putting in door frames is put with several other door frame men who are paid less than union rates, and the lumper keeps driving the men to work up to the rate of this particular champion. It is claimed that the men are thus driven beyond their natural powers, and the old men are put to the wall while a premium is set on poor work.

The complainants in the indictment are Journeyman Macdonald and Builder Wallace. The men are charged with the misdemeanors of conspiracy and coercion, two counts on each crime, to the effect that they prevented Macdonald from working and Wallace from employing him.

Was It Conspiracy?

So far as can be learned at the district attorney's office, there has never been a trial in this county on these charges in connection with strikes. There have been prosecutions for boycotting in which the conspiracy laws were invoked, and the applications in the civil courts for injunctions which usually premise a conspiracy. Two indictments similar to the present were found in connection with strikes since 1886, but they do not appear to have come to final trial. Recorder Smyth in one case overruled a demurrer interposed on the ground that the crimes of conspiracy and coercion could not be set up in the same indictment.

Immunity in these strikes is claimed in the main by the journeymen under section 170 of the penal code, which says:

Congregation of persons employed in any calling, trade, or handicraft, for the purpose of obtaining an advance in the rate of wages or compensation, or of maintaining such rate, is not a conspiracy.

May Yet Reach the Gallows.

Philadelphia, Feb. 25.—James B. Bentry, the murderer, was reported last night at the German hospital to be improving. It is thought that he will undoubtedly recover

"SANCTIFIED SWINE"

So Says Col. Ingersoll of Hoboken's Men of God.

Jersey's Blue Laws Did Not Prevent Him from Lecturing on the Bible. Clergymen Ask the Mayor To Prevent the Lecture Taking Place, But Bob Won.

Hoboken, N. J., Feb. 25.—Colonel Robert G. Ingersoll lectured in this city last night, and more than a thousand people heard him, including the Rev. H. T. Beatty, the Presbyterian minister who dug up the blasphemy blue law and attempted to have the lecture prohibited, and Mr. Herbert Campbell, another of the four men, and the only layman, who signed the protest and Chief of Police Donovan.

There was no interference. Mayor Fagan countermanded his first orders to the police, seeing fit to accept the opinion of Corporation Attorney Minturn and thus relieving himself, so far as he could, of all responsibility in the matter. He is a candidate for re-election.

Colonel Ingersoll said a great many things that the Rev. Mr. Beatty could not have enjoyed listening to.

Are Jerseymen Civilized?

"Put him in the stripes of a convict," say these ministers of this city. "That'll show him whether there is a God or not!" A preacher with any confidence in his own religion should be ashamed to call on the state to protect it—ashamed to stop praying and call in a policeman—ashamed to form a partnership with the jailer and the turnkey to establish a doctrine of universal love and peace. A preacher who would put in prison a man who does not agree with him in his views of religion has the disposition of a devil.

"A hundred years ago, when most of the citizens of New Jersey were civilized savages, they passed a law that the subject of the bible should be discussed only on one side. Since then many people over here have become partly civilized, to the extent that they are in favor of fair play and have adopted a constitution which is contrary to the spirit of that absurd, malicious and idiotic law."

Pastors "Narrow Minded."

The lecturer referred again to the pastors who had protested against his coming to this city as "narrow-minded, provincial gentlemen, who should have lived and died 300 or 400 years ago." He added, "I'm not blaming them at all for what they have done. Their heads are just that shape and they can't help it." He declared that sectarian schools, in which preachers and priests are educated, are "storm centres of ignorance." He said that many felt "called to the ministry because they haven't constitution enough to be wicked." He ridiculed the conception of a God "who couldn't write a book that did not require the protection of the legislature to prevent its being food for laughter." He went on to say that Shakespeare and Burns got along very well without such protection for their books.

Colonel Ingersoll added humor, and perhaps force, to some of his arguments by apt references to the law which forbade his saying some things, but did not forbid his repeating what others said, and left him free to ask questions.

"We Told You So."

"Is the bible moral?" he asked.

"No," answered a man in a box.

"That's for you to say—not for me. The law allows me to ask the question, and you've got a right to think about it, if you'll do it in secret."

And again, as in quoting instances where Jehovah had ordered the slaughter of innocent women and children and dumb cattle, he said:

"I wouldn't believe the God of mercy did that if it wasn't for this law. As long as I'm in New Jersey I suppose I must believe he did it."

He said of the Hoboken preachers again:

"They are gluttonous for revenge. They know I'm going to be put in God's penitentiary. They know I'm going to roast on brimstone throughout eternity. Imagine the joy with which they may look over the balusters and down on me, saying 'We told you so.' And not content with all that, these sanctified swine want to put me in the penitentiary down here."

The body of the lecture was that which has been often delivered upon the same subject, but it was probably never given before with so much spirit, or to a more thoroughly appreciative audience. Detectives Gallagher and Nelson; detailed to listen to it and to arrest Colonel Ingersoll if he actually violated the blasphemy blue law, appeared to be amused and interested throughout. One might have believed that they really enjoyed seeing hot shot poured into the ministers.

How They Spent Sunday.

Chicago, Feb. 25.—Three well-appearing young men, under the influence of liquor, came out of a saloon at the corner of Desplaines street and Grand avenue last evening, and jumped into a buggy. One of them then fired three shots into the window of the saloon. They drove west and turned up Milwaukee avenue, where they met and fired shots at two police officers. The officers returned the fire and emptied their revolvers without doing any damage. A little further up the street the young fellows continued their shooting, but hurt no one. They were fired at by other officers along their riotous route, but are not known to have been hit.

A City Under Quarantine.

Malvern, Ark., Feb. 25—On account of numerous cases of small-pox reported in Hot Springs the board of health here has instituted strict quarantine against that city. No trains will be permitted to leave Malvern for Hot Springs or return except through trains from St Louis.

Clyde Shipbuilder Dead.

Glascow, Feb. 25.—Thomas Henderson, of the Anchor line, died here yesterday. Mr. Henderson was well known in shipping circles, and the owner of one of the greatest ship building yards on the Clyde.

SUNDAY IN THE SENATE

Three of the Thirteen Appropriation Bills Passed.

A Busy Week Expected—Hawaiian Cable Question Under Consideration—The Issue of Treasury Certificates To Be Strongly Opposed. Night Sessions Now in Order.

Washington, Feb. 25.—The situation in the senate yesterday is not more critical than it has been in the closing days of previous short sessions of congress. There is time in which to dispose of all the pending appropriation bills unless a deliberate effort is made to defeat some of them. No such contingency is deemed likely to arise. There is, however, no time to spare for the business to be brought forward during the present week is of great importance, and is bound to lead to debate that may run through day and night until the session ends. There are but three of the thirteen great appropriation bills that have received the approval of the executive. Six are in conference and in some of them radical points of difference between the two houses are involved. Chief among these is the diplomatic bill which carries the senate appropriation of $500,000 for the commencement of the work of laying a cable between this country and the Hawaiian islands.

The house, by a formal vote, has refused to agree to this amendment, and the senate, by a good majority, has directed its managers to insist upon it. Some senators are so impressed with the importance of this proposition that they say they are willing to permit the whole bill to fall rather than allow the amendment to be stricken out. On the other hand, Mr. Blackburn, one of the senate conferees, is authority for the statement that the president would veto the whole measure if this provision were left in the bill.

A Stumbling Block in the Way.

The Indian appropriation bill, which went to conference Saturday, will be a matter hard to manage, for the senate has engrafted much new legislation upon it. Four of the appropriation bills still remain to be acted upon, the sundry civil bill having been made the unfinished business for this morning. This is one of the most important of the appropriation bills. The amendment reported by the appropriation committee providing for the issue of treasury certificates to meet the current expenses of the treasury will be antagonized by the silver men. Mr. Mills' proposed amendment, of which he has given notice, repealing authority for the issue of bonds in the future will also be strongly opposed by those who look upon the authority found in the resumption act as the only barrier between the treasury and a silver basis. The sundry civil bill also carries the senate amendment appropriating for the payment of the sugar bounty earned prior to the passage of the new tariff law, a matter involving an expenditure of between four and five millions of dollars. This one item, it is thought, will furnish a heavy stumbling block for the conference committee.

Will Hold Night Sessions.

The next bills in order will be the legislative and executive and the naval appropriation bills. The friends of the navy will endeavor to see to it that the three battle ships permitted to remain in the bill by the house are not disturbed. A majority of the senate appropriation committee are said to be against the construction of the three battle ships and they may make a report to the senate reducing the number, and thus precipitate a fight. Advocates of the battle ships will have the unanimous support of the senate naval committee which endorsed the bill as it passed the house. Night sessions will be the order this week. The senate will begin to-morrow when unobjected bills on the calendar will be taken up for action. There is a probability that on Saturday, March 2, the senate may remain in session all night, taking a recess for a few hours only during the middle of the day on Sunday. No programme has been arranged for the last week's business of the session of the 53d congress in the house of representatives, and, under existing conditions, none can be outlined in advance. The general deficiency appropriation bill is still undisposed of, and the manager of the measure, Mr. W. C. P. Breckinridge, of Kentucky, will doubtless contest with Chairman Heard, of the committee on affairs of the District of Columbia, for the right of way to-day. Under the rules of the house the district committee is entitled to the day but the exigencies of the session will probably induce the house to proceed with the deficiency bill, yielding to the district another day, if it shall be desired by Mr. Heard and his committee.

To Suspend the Rules.

Beginning with to-morrow, it will be in order in the house to move the suspension of the rules and the passage thereunder of any bill on the calendar at any time until the expiration of the session. But the rule can only be made effective by the co-operation of the speaker whose acquiescence must be secured before the member can be certain of getting recognition. So far Speaker Crisp appears to have made no promises in this regard. There is, of course, tremendous pressure brought to bear upon the speaker and the committee on rules for orders to permit the consideration of special measures, but no agreement has been entered into with respect of these. The indications are that with the exception of some private bills, for which consideration may be had by unanimous consent, no further legislation will be accomplished at this session save appropriation bills. Nearly all of these are now, or will be in the course of the week, in conference, and the consideration of the reports upon these will occupy the greater portion of the week.

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Nevada, Mo., Feb. 25.—Five members of Al Slabach's family and a family by the name of Plumb were poisoned here by eating wild parsnips. All who ate of the parsnips were taken violently sick. The result of the poisoning cannot be foretold.

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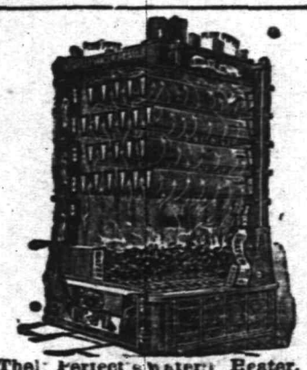

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TOWN AND HOME FAVORITE.

PLAINFIELD, N. J., FEB. 25, 1895

EARLY INTELLIGENCE.

—A two-men bowling tournament has been started at the Park Club.

—The W. C. T. U. will talk against license at the Common Council meeting tonight.

—Your table demands for Lent will be best supplied by Rogers, whose seafood is superior.

—Rev. C. E. Herring has expressed his willingness to preach a special sermon to the firemen at a date to be announced.

—The fire department headquarters are draped with black and white bunting in mourning for the death of Max Hansen.

—The new choir was heard for the first time in the Crescent Avenue Church yesterday, and was received with marked favor.

—Ban Thorn has removed his tinning establishment to the brick building on Park avenue formerly occupied by A. M. Runyon & Son.

—The flowers of Spring have had a march stolen on them by the new designs in wallpapers at Love's, North and Watchung avenues.

—A model social will be held in the lecture room of Trinity Reformed Church tomorrow evening, under the auspices of the Y. P. S. C. E.

—The "Y's" will hold a devotional meeting in their rooms tomorrow afternoon at 4, on the subject "The importance of personal work".

—The breakage of sewer pipes in the Hotel Grenada cellar Saturday night occasioned considerable trouble for the proprietors. The break was repaired.

—The monographs on Napoleon, published in The Daily Press Saturdays, are destined to pass into literature as classics They are wonderfully interesting studies of the Man of Destiny, by John Clark Ridpath.

—Fred W. Hand of Netherwood purchased Saturday, from F. A. Pope of this city, a handsome team of steel-gray Norman horses. As the horses are to be hitched to a coal wagon he has named them Honeybrook and Lehigh.

—Some miscreant stuffed the keyhole of fire-alarm box 18, on the corner of Front street and Netherwood avenue, with pebbles Saturday night. The obstructions were removed this morning. There is severe punishment for this sort of trick.

A Delightful Evening.

Mrs. U. B. Crane, assisted by Mrs. J. P. Ellis of Netherwood, gave a party to her daughter, Miss Grace B. Crane, Thursday evening. Miss Crane was assisted in receiving the guests by Miss Florence Spaulding of Bound Brook.

Most of the evening was spent in dancing, but in the intermissions between the dances cards and other games were played. In the "observation" Miss Florence Spaulding won first feminine prize, a hand-painted ornament, and Norman Probasco won first masculine prize, a scarf pin.

Later in the evening a bountiful collation was served.

Among those who enjoyed Mrs. Crane's hospitality were the Misses Florence Serrell, Mary Buckle, Ruth Dalziel, Clara Long, Lillian Glenn, Eva Lewis, Adelle Miln of New York, Bessie Randolph; and Hazelwood Craig, Walter Serrell, Ernest Rapalje, Norman Probasco, Walter Probasco, Thomas Cuming, Fred Fullerton, Vincent Bittenhouse, A. Wagner, Arthur Crane and Clinton Crane.

Seventh Street Runaway.

While one of C. M. Ulrich's clerks was taking an order at Mr. Sperry's of West Seventh street this morning, the horse became frightened and ran across the lawn to the street. At the sidewalk he collided with an electric light pole and tree. The horse broke from the wagon, but was caught on the other side of the street by the driver. The shaft and crossbars were broken, but no other damage was done.

Good for Fairview Avenue.

J. D. Runyon and James C. Manning have sold their house and lot on Fairview avenue to W. H. Willcox of Manning avenue, for a consideration of $5,500. Mr. Willcox will occupy the property himself March 1. This makes five houses sold in Watchung Park for homes since Jan. 1, 1895.

CHRISTIANITY CRITICIZED.

The Object Was to Show "The Good of It", and Was Accomplished.

"The Good of It" was the title of the programme of the Christian Endeavor Day exercises held by the Christian Endeavor Society of the Park Avenue Baptist Church Friday evening. The meeting was led by D. M. Runyon, and a choir of ten led the singing.

After an opening hymn, Scripture reading, and prayer, the leader explained the plan of the exercises. Caspar Critic was supposed to be criticising the society and Christian Endeavor was defending it. To support his points, Christian Endeavor called up the different committees to testify as to their work and the good it had done.

Joseph Hawkins took the part of Christian Endeavor and the committees were represeted as follows:

Lookout Committee—Miss Alice B Spangenberg.

Prayer Meeting Committee—Miss Florence G. Hawkins.

Social Committee—Miss W S Lowry.

Flower Committee—Miss Adelaide Runyon.

Missionary Committee—Miss Laura Runyon and Miss Myra Runyon.

Sunday-school Committee—Frank Clarkson.

Good Literature Committee—Miss Anna Wyckoff.

Press Committee—Nelson VanWinkle.

Calling Committee—Miss Emma V Fish.

Relief Committee—Miss Henrietta Cuming.

Good Citizenship Committtee—Joseph Hawkins.

Harry Cuming, Aaron Thomson, Willie Remsen and Horold Smalley spoke for the Junior Society.

An address by Rev. J. W. Richardson followed.

Death of Max Hansen.

After 16 weeks of illness with Bright's disease, Mads Hansen, better known as Max, died this morning.

He lived with his sister, Mrs. Claaseen, 135 Liberty street. He was a moulder in the Scott Printing Machine Works and a member of Perseverance Lodge, Zephyr Hook and Ladder Company, and the Iron Moulders Union. He was very popular.

American Cattle Forbidden.

Paris, Feb. 25.—At the cabinet meeting yesterday, M. Gadaud, minister of agriculture, made an order in council forbidding the importation of American cattle into France on account of the Texas fever and pleuro-pneumonia with which they are alleged to be infected. This order is undoubtedly the outcome of the persistent protectionist agitation in the rural districts of the north of France. Ever since the new cabinet entered office M. Gadaud has been besieged by agrarian deputations and petitions.

Receive $2,500 Damages

Milwaukee, Wis., Feb. 25.—Richard Mansfield, the actor, received $2,500 from the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railroad as a settlement for the injuries his wife received in the Union depot Monday when a switch engine crashed into his private car.

"Light Horse Harry" In Saddle.

Feb. 25, 1781, was the date of "Light Horse Harry" Lee's noted encounter with a band of renegade loyalists at Haw, S. C. Lee's legion resembled in dress and equipment Tarleton's infamous legion of loyalists. By inducing the country folks to believe that his band had been sent by Cornwallis to re-enforce Tarleton, Lee marched unchallenged toward the camp of the latter, near the river Haw. Meeting an aid of one Colonel Pyle, who, with a detachment of genuine loyalists, was looking for Tarleton's camp, Lee kept up the deception and found out Pyle's plans. He then coolly sent the aid back to Pyle under escort of his own pseudo loyalists to ask his chief to withdraw from the road and allow the Cornwallis' detachment to pass. Leaving one company behind, he then pushed ahead, overtaking Pyle's command, and for a signal to his followers advanced and offered a hand to the courteous colonel. At the same moment Pyle's men recognized the patriot legion and opened fire. The columns being parallel and at close quarters, the sabers of the legion were quicker in execution than the muskets of the loyalists. They cut down 90 of Pyle's men and wounded scores besides. Pyle ran away, but was afterward taken, and Tarleton received warning in time to move across the Haw. "Fortune, the capricious goddess, gave us Pyle and saved Tarleton," was the terse language of "Light Horse Harry" announcing his exploit at headquarters.

"LIGHT HORSE HARRY."

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A Nut Cake made with Cleveland's Baking Powder is delicious.

Cleveland's, the best that money can buy.

A hickory-nut cake is a treat for the young folks. The recipe in the Cleveland cook book tells just how to make it; mailed free on receipt of stamp and address.

Cleveland Baking Powder Co., New York.

High School Notebook.

The joint committee on school colors and yell met at recess today and Benjamin O. Bowers was appointed a committee to secure designs for a school pin.

Superintendent Maxson is back again from Trenton.

—Beginning March 1 the street cars will be run under 10-minute headway.

DEATHS.

APGAR—In this city Saturday, Feb. 23, 1895, Edwin C. Apgar, aged 20 years, 8 months and 21 days.

Funeral services from his late residence, 713 West 3d st., Tuesday evening, Feb. 26, at 8 p. m. Interment at Milford, N. J., Wednesday.

HANSEN—In this city, Feb. 25, 1895, Mads Hansen aged 26 years, 9 months and 10 days. Relatives and friends, Perseverance Lodge, K. of P., Zephyr Hook and Ladder Co., Iron Moulders Union No. 81 of Elizabeth, and fellow workmen of the Scott Printing Machine Works, are respectfully invited to attend his funeral from his late residence, 135 Liberty street, Wednesday, Feb. 27, at 2:30 p. m.

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WANTS AND OFFERS.

Advertisements under this heading, 1 ct. a word, each insertion. (Less than ten words, ten cents.) Cash must accompany ads.

WANTED—A girl for general housework must have references and be good cook and laundress. Apply to 54 Grove street. 2 25 3

LOANS NEGOTIATED. J. T. Vail, broker. 2 21 tf

MONEY to loan. Mulford, broker. 2 1 tf

TABLE boarders wanted in private family. Apply 303 West Fourth st 2 7 tf

I HAVE 25 houses and lots and 100 building lots for sale cheap on the installment plan. Charles H. Hand, 317 Watchung ave. 2 20 5

TO LET—A 7-room house. Inquire 54 Pearl st.

FOR SALE—House and lot on Duer st; price $2,000; $500 down and balance on easy terms. Address Bargain, care Press. 2 25 3

BOARD wanted for a middle aged lady with a private family; house with furnance heat and conveniences; state terms, etc. Address Single, care Press. 2 25 2

BARN to let, with room for 3 or 4 horses and wagon; also heavy platform wagon. Apply 112 West 4th st. 2 25 2

FOR SALE or to let, new 7 room house on Stone st; will sell on easy terms. Apply 196 Somerset st. 2 25 3

AGENTS wanted to handle aluminum goods. Call or address G. E. Marx 700 South ave. 2 25 6

WANTED to buy, a milk route in Plainfield for cash. Address A. V., care Press. 2 25 2

FOR SALE, on easy terms, 11 room house 22 Norwood ave., with all improvements, lot 50 x 175, or will trade for smaller property. Inquire J. Voehl, 65 Somerset street. 2 23 7

TO LET—House 109 West Fourth st rent reasonable. Apply B. R. Force 132 Park avenue. 2 23 6

FOR SALE—$4,250; easy terms; an attractive home, well built and in perfect condition; No. 123 Plainfield ave., near Front st; all improvements, including city water and electric lights; ten rooms and laundry. Inquire 129 Plainfield avenue. 2 21 3

YOUNG woman offers her services as companion and reader to elderly lady or invalid; if preferred, would occupy only a few hours each day. Address M. L., care Press. 2 21 tf

FLATS to let in Manning's block, West Front st. 2 20 6

STORE to let, No. 325 Watchung ave; rent $25 per month. Charles H Hand. 2 20 5

SIX-room flat to let; city water; first floor; $10. Charles H. Hand. 2 20 5

5-ROOM flat to let from April 1; city water; in new building; rent $12 50 per month. Charles H. Hand. 2 20 5

STABLE to let, room for 3 horses and 3 wagons; $8 per month. Charles H. Hand. 2 20 5

WANTED—By an English person, a situation as working housekeeper. Please address Priscilla Negus, Bound Brook. 2 19 6

7-ROOM house and stable for sale or to let; 69 Manning avenue; rent $17 per month. Charles H. Hand. 2 20 5

WANTED—House for small family; possession April 1; reasonable rent. Address, stating terms and where located, "House," care Press, 2 11 tf

YOUNG woman wants office work. Address Capable, care Press. 2 4 tf

OFFICES and flats to rent in Babcock Building. Inquire of J. A. Hubbard or W. M. Stillman. 1 30 tf

CASH buyer can get first-class upright piano at bargain Address Starr, care Press. 2 2 tf

3 7-ROOM houses for sale or to let; E. 5th st., near Berckman; rent $15 per month. Charles H. Hand. 2 20 5

REMOVAL.

Dr. Lighthill begs leave to give notice that he has removed to

NO. 132 CRESCENT AVE.

(a few doors from his former location) where he can be consulted on all chronic diseases of whatever name and nature.

Dr. Lighthill refers with pardonable pride to the success of his practice in Plainfield and submits below a few of the many testimonials which he has received from grateful patients. A mass of similar ones can be seen at his office.

AN ALMOST MIRACULOUS CURE.

The Statement of Mr. Edward Teel, Jr., of Dunellen, N. J.

TO THE PUBLIC:

From a sense of duty I desire to call public attention to the almost miraculous cure which Dr. Lighthill effected in the case of my wife. For eleven years she had been afflicted with piles of an unusual severe and distressing character. She suffered every day of her life the most intense pain, attended with frequent and profuse hemorrhage. This state of things debilitated her entire system until she became a perfect wreck of her former self.

We made every effort to obtain a cure but they all resulted in bitter disappointment, although a number of physicians of excellent reputations for skill in that direction had treated her case. She grew worse and worse all the time, the pain became perfectly unbearable and I felt she could not bear the strain of her condition much longer. In this extremity, a friend of mine, Mr. W. E. Dilts, a resident of Roselle, N. J., a passenger conductor on the New Jersey Central told me that he had been similarly affected, and had been permanently cured by Dr. Lighthill, after other medical skill had failed. He assured me that the doctor would cure my wife, no matter how severe her case may be, and his prediction proved perfectly correct. In spite of her desperate condition, Dr. Lighthill, I am glad to say, has effected a complete and perfect cure in her case, and has given her new life.

Since the cure has been effected she has gained in health and strength and is so improved in appearance that her friends scarcely recognise her. They all consider her cure as almost miraculous, and Dr. Lighthill's praise is heard on every side. Our gratitude to Dr. Lighthill is unbounded and we only hope that other sufferers may be benefited by this publication.

EDWARD TEEL, Jr.

A Flattering Testimonial from Colonel John Dietrich, One of Plainfield's Oldest and Best Known Residents.

16 ARLINGTON PLACE,
Plainfield, N. J., July 17, 1894.

I am profoundly grateful to Dr. Lighthill for his speedy and radical cure of a most painful malady of over ten years standing with which I was afflicted.

I deem it proper to say to all afflicted to place themselves under the care of this skilful physician and be permanently cured.

I will cheerfully impart any information I possess when called upon.

JOHN DIETRICH.

Mr. Thomas Callahan of No. 214 Richmond street Cured of a Very Distressing Trouble by Dr. Lighthill.

PLAINFIELD, N. J., June 1, 1894.

TO THE PUBLIC:

For some time past I have been greatly distressed with noises in the head. They were all over my head and troubled me constantly; they were loudest at night when everything was quiet and at such times would often keep me from sleep and disturb my rest. In fact they got to be so bad and distressing that they affected my whole nervous system as well as my health. I did not obtain the least relief until I placed myself under the care of Dr. Lighthill, at No. 132 Crescent avenue, who effected a complete cure in my case in a short time and made me a very happy man.

THOMAS CALLAHAN,
214 Richmond street.

A Card From Mr. T. R VanZandt, of Nos. 304 and 306 Park ave., Plainfield, N. J

I certify with pleasure that Dr. Lighthill has effectually cured me of a most painful case of piles. For some time past I had been subject to its attacks, but the last attack was so exceedingly painful that it completely upset my whole system. The pain extended to my legs and in many other directions, and made me so nervous that I could neither sleep, sit down, lie down or move about without serious discomfort and distress. Such was my condition when I applied to Dr. Lighthill for relief, and I am glad to say that as soon as he took hold of my case, I began to improve, and in a short time found myself completely cured. Dr. Lighthill has also effected a radical and permanent cure in a most terrible case of piles on my cousin, Mr. J. V. Z. Griggs, of Rocky Hill, N. J., whose flattering testimonial is in Dr. Lighthill's possession.

T. R. VAN ZANDT,
304 and 306 Park avenue.

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can be consulted daily (except Thursdays) on all CHRONIC, OBSTINATE AND COMPLICATED diseases of the human system of whatever name and nature, at his office and residence,

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Will close the balance of $12 suits for $8.

$15 suits for $10.

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Children's overcoats and school suits at cost.

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Figure up what you can save on the following sample list:

	Our new price	Old price
3 cans string beans, good quality, 6c	18c	25c
1 can A 1 chicken soup at	19c	25c
1 bottle Blue Point catsup	17c	23c
1 can Bahama pineapples, excellent	19c	30c
Oyster Bay asparagus, flat cans, first quality	19c	29c
Soda crackers, Edsall's special, per pound	5c	9c

19c Box | Holmes & Coutt's famous fancy crackers, put up in neat boxes; regular price 20 to 29c each; for this sale only, 19c per box. | 19c Box

The amount saved on the above goods, which is only a fair sample all through the department, is a big inducement to economical buyers.

"Second orders" are now coming in rapidly, which is the best proof in the world that our goods are right and give satisfaction.

Housefurnishing Dep't.

Japanned bread boxes, square, well made, regular price 39, special 27c.
12 dozen solid copper tea kettles, choice of all sizes, at 73c.
Hard wood chopping bowls, 12 inches, all perfect, worth 15, at 7c each
Oval foot tubs No. 2 size, japanned, regular price 24c, at 17c each.
Fartnen cuspidors, painted, assorted colors, worth 15c, at 7c each.
Fine china cuspidores, neat decorations worth 50c, at 39c.
It works the same way in

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At 4½cts | A good heavy 1 yard wide bleached and unbleached muslin at only 4½ cents; good value at 6 cents. | At 4½cts

At 4 cts | Good shirting calico, new spring stock, as long as they last, at only 4c. | At 4 cts

At 4 cts | 500 yards Standard Dress Ginghams, as long as they last, at only 4c. | At 4 cts

At 7½ cts | 1,500 yds new Spring Outings, as long as they last, only 7½c a yard; good value at 10 cents. | At 7½Cts

At 29c | 500 yards genuine woven wash silks, sold special in New York at 39c; for a few days only 29c. | At 29c

At 49c | Ladies' muslin gowns, skirts, corset covers and drawers, all at 49c each; reg. 75c article; quantity limited; first come, first served. | At 49c

13 CTS | A good muslin corset cover 13 cts, value 18 cents. | 13 CTS

One lot pure silk ribbons No. 5 at 4c; No. 7 at 5c; No. 9 at 6c.

CORK FILLED

During this month we will offer all of our Burt & Packard

Double Sole Cork Filled Men's

$5 Shoes for $3.98 per Pair.

Just the shoe for you to wear without rubbers up to the first of May. Sizes 5 to 11; widths B to E; styles, narrow, round and Common Sense toes.

See our window Saturday for specials.

DOANE & EDSALL.

Forrest In a Fighting Rage.

On Feb. 22, 1864, General Forrest defeated Sherman's Meridan campaign, which promised much for the Union cause. The cavalry of the expedition, 7,000 strong, were to ride from Memphis through Mississippi to Meridan, destroy everything, including railroads, en route, keep Forrest's renowned corps out of the game and reach Meridan to help Sherman cut the roads in rear of the Confederates in Georgia. Forrest had other notions about the programme. He made a bold stand at West Point, turned the Union cavalry back and chased it to Okolona. The chieftain's brother, Colonel Jeffrey Forrest, led the pursuit with his brigade, and bringing the enemy to bay charged, with all the spirit of the renowned corps, as though his brother were at the head. Held up at the first line only temporarily, he went at the second savagely and was himself shot dead within 50 yards of the Union line. The general reached the spot at that moment, and dismounting knelt over his brother's form. Jeffrey was the pet, the Benjamin of the family, the idol upon whom the general lavished his pride and care. The boy had fallen in battle. His slayers were still at hand. While the chief knelt there, motionless and dumb with grief, his men held back their blows in sympathy. Aroused by the lull in the firing, the general leaped into the saddle and called to his bugler, "Gus, sound the charge!" With his staff and escort, about 80 sabers, he dashed into the nearest mass of the enemy and expended the passionate force aroused by grief in desperate fighting. The Union cavalry didn't get half way to Meridan. Another mounted column joined Forrest next day and Sherman returned to Vicksburg with his entire army.

GEORGE L. KILMER.

Didn't Count the Enemy.

Feb. 23 is the anniversary of General Taylor's great victory at Buena Vista (1847). With an army of 5,400 men, chiefly volunteers, deployed on the mountain spurs and crests of the ravines on both sides of the pass of Angostura, he awaited the attack of Santa Anna. His second in command declared that the ground could not be held. "Maybe so, general. We'll see," responded old Rough and Ready. Though aware that Santa Anna had a large force—20,000—he "didn't stop to count the Mexicans."

Early in the day Santa Anna launched his columns upon the Americans. His cavalry and infantry made repeated charges, but he had no cannon. The fighting was terrific. Mounted on a white horse, which he rode for the first time that day in battle, Taylor appeared everywhere to inspire his men. An aid suggested to him that his white horse made a shining mark for the Mexican bullets. "Well," said the general coolly, "the old fellow missed the fun at Monterey, and I want to give him his share this time."

TAYLOR.

The crisis came when Santa Anna led a desperate charge against the American center, where Taylor stood with his little band, for a time carrying everything before him. The volunteers of the front line were overwhelmed and in danger of annihilation by the Mexicans, who gave no quarter. Taylor turned all his guns upon the charging column. The Mexican lancers were hurled down the steeps in their recoil from the American cannon, and on the plain where they had fearlessly rode in they were overtaken by a storm of iron hail which tore their ranks unmercifully. At that the Mexican infantry began to waver. "Now," said Taylor to Bragg, whose battery was at hand, "a leetle more grape, captain." A little more grape all along the line decided the day. Twilight found the Mexicans back in their tracks of the morning, and Taylor held the battlefield.

GEORGE L. KILMER.

Fight of the Hornet and Peacock.

Feb. 24, 1813, was the date of Lawrence's famous victory in the Hornet over the English brig Peacock. While maneuvering at the mouth of the Demerara river to get at the brig-of-war Espiegle he saw the Peacock bearing for him. The decks of the American ship were quickly cleared for action. The antagonists met and exchanged broadsides at half pistol shot. Both bore up, and Lawrence ran the Hornet close up under the starboard quarter of the Briton and began a furious cannonade. In 15 minutes the Peacock was a sinking wreck. Responding to a signal of distress in her fore rigging, Lawrence sent a crew on board. Boats were lowered to take off the wounded, of which there were many, there having been 40 casualties among her crew in those few minutes. Her sides were full of holes, some of which the Americans plugged, in the hope that she would float until her people could be saved. Guns were thrown overboard and the pumps set going, but it was useless. She sank and carried down, with many of her crew, several gallant American tars who risked themselves to save enemies in distress. The Hornet lost but two men killed and three wounded in the battle and actually suffered most in trying to rescue the enemy.

The British captain was killed before his ship struck. She was a famous vessel, known as the "yacht of the navy" by reason of her spotless brasswork and well kept decks. She carried 22's, while the Hornet was armed with 32's, but her shots seldom hit the mark, so their weight had nothing to do with her defeat. It was Lawrence's skillful maneuvering and furious broadsides aimed low that worsted the Peacock, cutting her to pieces in 15 minutes.

GEORGE L. KILMER.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report

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PARTICULAR MENTION.

Mrs. A. J. Moore is ill with the grip.

Dr. Dietsh of New York spent Sunday with friends in this city.

Rev. Father Murphy, assistant pastor of St. Mary's Church, is ill.

James Stowell Anthony is resting at Laurel in the Pines, Lakewood.

William Van Dyke of West Second street is recovering from the grip.

Miss Nellie McGinnis of Somerset street is detained at home by illness.

Arthur L. Titsworth of Madison avenue has recovered from an attack of the grip.

Mrs. Charles K. Skillman of Park avenue is recovering from an attack of the grip.

Mrs. Wm. Williams of Pennington spent Sunday with her sister, Mrs. Hoagland of New street.

Miss Martha McCullough of Bound Brook is visiting her aunt, Mrs. D. Bush of Park avenue.

Miss Buell of High Bridge has returned from her visit with Miss Minneola Force of Summit avenue.

Miss Mabel Schunck of Somerville is visiting her mother, Mrs. Vosseler of East Second street.

The family of F. X. Schoonmaker who now reside on Putnam avenue will move to New York in April.

Miss Borrup of Netherwood and Miss Sorensen of Webster place have returned from their visit in Perth Amboy.

Miss Nellie Koechli of Somerville returned Saturday after a pleasant visit with her friend Miss Gertrude Tier.

Alex. Stites and family of Grove street moved Saturday into the house belonging to the Steiner estate on Steiner place.

P. Q. Dolliver and wife of River Dale, Morris County, are visiting at the home of his brother, G. Q. Dolliver, Manning avenue.

Ed. Randall, who has been visiting George B. Wyckoff of Netherwood, returned to his home in Jersey City this morning.

Mrs. J. C. Smalley, who has been visiting friends in North Plainfield for two weeks, returned to her home in Newark, Saturday.

Counselor W. K. McClure left today for Boston. He will attend a meeting of the Board of Directors of the Megantic Club, of which he is a member.

Rebecca Page, M. D., is ill with pneumonia at her home, Watchung avenue and Second street. Dr. Jenkins and a trained nurse are attending her, and she is doing nicely.

Miss Grace Cooley of North Plainfield was elected Saturday a member of the Board of Directors of the New York Branch of the Associate Alumnæ of Vassar College.

Mrs. Steinhauser and her daughter Miss Marie, who have been spending a few days with Miss Rose Verdon on Somerset street, returned today to their home in Jersey City.

Ray Huntsman of Providence has been engaged as artist for the advertising department of O'Neill's, and is making his home with his brother, R. F. R. Huntsman of Westervelt avenue.

Frank Rowley of Somerset street returned to his business Saturday, after spending a week with his parents in New York State. It was Mr. Rowley's first visit home in five years.

Mrs. Connolly of Meriden, Conn., and well-known in Plainfield, died Friday Friday last. Relatives and friends residing in this city attended the funeral, which took place this morning.

The quaint new cottage just built by James E. Martine on East Ninth street has been rented to a young man who is soon to lead to the altar a wealthy young woman prominent in Plainfield society.

Col. Chas. K. Moore, Deputy Street-Cleaning Commissioner of New York, has removed his family from Fanwood, and installed them in a suite in the Hotel Endicott, 81st street and Columbus avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Slater entertained the North Plainfield Whist Club, Friday evening at their pleasant home on Jackson avenue. A series of games was played. Jolly Peter Emmons won the first prize.

During his visit to his brother Charles Hall of Reynolds's Pharmacy, Frank Hall of Fishkill was put through the paces of Plainfield wheeling, and now the fame of our all-the-year-round roads is being spread along the Hudson.

Cards are out for a reception to be given by the Monday Afternoon Club, the Current Events Club, and the Reeores Club, in honor of Mrs. Ellen M. Henrotin, President of the General Federation of Women's Clubs, at the Casino on Friday afternoon, March 1.

Mrs. T. H. May, daughter of J. B. Bovey of Somerset street, received a telegram yesterday announcing the death of her father-in-law, F. May of Plainview, N. Y. Mr. May was 75 years old, and had never been ill until a week ago when he was stricken with pneumonia. Mrs. May left for Plainview today.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

Miss M. Cotrell of Avon is visiting friends in the borough.

John Hummell of Duer street is confined to his home with neuralgia.

Justice Wm. Newcorn will leave town tomorrow morning for a few-days pleasure trip.

Miss Mabel Woodruff has returned from her visit to Williamsport and Philadelphia, improved in health.

C. E. Tyler, formerly a well-known resident of this city, is visiting Stephen Cahoone of Watchung avenue.

Mrs. D. J. Yerkes has gone to Greenville, South Carolina, to spend a month with her daughter, Mrs. W. Flanders.

Letter-Carrier E. E. Hann reported for duty this morning after being a sufferer at his home on Somerset street, the past week, with the grip.

The marriage of W. E. MacClymont of this city and Miss Kathryn Vail of Westfield is to take place in the Westfield Presbyterian Church Tuesday, March 12.

Timothy S. Sperry, who died at his home 653 West Seventh street, Feb. 22, was laid at rest in Cypress Hills Cemetery today. He leaves three sons and a daughter.

Rev. Dr. Studdiford of Trenton delivered two impressive sermons in the Baptist Church yesterday. He was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. McCutchen of Rockview avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Van Nest, Jr., of New Brunswick, are visiting friends and relatives in Plainfield. Before they return they will visit Mr. Van Nest's father in Martinsville, who is ill.

Rev. Charles H. Malcolm, Professor of History and Literature in St. Stephens's College, Annandale, New York, was the guest yesterday of Rev. T. Logan Murphy, and preached at the morning service in Holy Cross church.

—The old building in the rear of Marshall's Laundry is being torn down today. A new and substantial structure will replace it.

—Mrs. Kate Tryon will give imitations of bird songs at the Benovolent Band, Kings Daughters entertainment, Crescent Avenue Church parlors, Wednesday afternoon, March 13.

—A meeting of the study class of the Branch Alliance will be held in the lecture room of All Souls Church tomorrow afternoon at 3. All women are invited. The subject is "Criminal Classes".

—Postmaster Hetfield hopes to be able to move the postoffice into the Babcock Building Wednesday night; if not repay then, Saturday night.

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My store was filled; my neighbor—died.

On March 6 we shall begin publication of a detective story by Nym Crinkle, entitled

"EIGHT MINUTES TO THREE".

A. C. Wheeler, who uses this pseudonym, is one of the best known journalists in the United States. He has been for many years the dramatic critic of the New York World, and is today one of the most brilliant writers on the American press. It is to his inimitable sketches o New York life that the Sunday World owes a considerable part of its popularity. Mr. Wheeler has written many successful stories, of which the best known is perhaps "The Great Laran Rebellion".

"Eight Minutes of Three" is in every way a remarkable piece of fiction, and deserves to rank with some of the weird tales of Poe. It will run five days, and will be followed by a short story of New England life by Mary E. Wilkins.

This story, like all the Daily Press serials, is brand-new, and copyrighted to Daily Press use.

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From a letter written by Rev. J. Gunderman, of Diamondale, Mich., we are permitted to make this extract: 'I have no hesitation in recommending Dr. King's New Discovery, as the results were almost marvelous in the case of my wife. While I was pastor of the Baptist Church at Rives Junction she was brought down by pneumonia succeeding la grippe. Terrible paroxysms of coughing would last hours with little interruption and it seemed as if she could not survive them. A friend recommended Dr. King's New Discovery; it was quick in its work and highly satisfactory in results. Sold by L. W. Randolph druggist. Regular size 50c and $1; our price 45c and 90c

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Corporation Notice.

Plainfield, N. J., Feb. 18, 1895.

Notice is hereby given that Henry Haurand has applied to the Common Council of the city of Plainfield for a license to sell spirituous and fermented liquors at 115 East Front street in the First Ward, which application is signed by

James H. Buckley, Edward Vanderweg,
Frederick Hoffmister, James Brown,
Martin N. Whelan, John M. Schorb,
Peter Longenbahn, George W. Hall,
George R. Wykoff, Charles Smith,
John Y. Staats, Elizabeth Schorb,

citizens and freeholders. All persons knowing of any reason why such license should not be granted are requested to make known the same in writing to the City Clerk on or before the fifth day of March, 1895.

Done in accordance with the requirements of the "Ordinance to license inns and taverns, and to regulate and prohibit the sale of spirituous and fermented liquors."

J. T. MacMurray, City Clerk.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given to the creditors of Sidney E. Flower, of the city of Plainfield, Union county, New Jersey, carrying on the business of dealer in pictures and stationery at No. 129 East Front street, in the city of Plainfield aforesaid, that all claims against his estate must be exhibited to the subscriber, his assignee, at his store, No 151 West Front street, Plainfield, New Jersey, under oath or affirmation, on or before the 12th day of March next, being the time fixed by order of the Orphans' Court of Union county within which such claims must be presented, or be forever barred from coming in for a dividend of the said estate; and said creditors are further notified that a list of the claims against said Sidney E Flower will be filed with the Clerk of the Court of Common Pleas of the County of Union at the expiration of said time when exceptions thereto may be filed by any person interested.

V. L. FRAZER, Assignee.

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NOTICE.

As directed by a resolution of the Township Committee of the township of Fanwood, county of Union, State of New Jersey, notice is hereby given that an application has been made to the Township Committee of the township of Fanwood aforesaid, by the New York and Philadelphia Traction Company, for permission to construct, operate and maintain a street railroad, with one or more tracks and necessary turnouts, to be operated by electricity or other motive power except steam, and to erect necessary poles, conduits and wires, power plant and necessary buildings along the following routes:

Beginning in the division line between the city of Plainfield and the Township of Fanwood where Midway avenue crosses said division line and running thence in an easterly direction along Midway avenue to its connection with North avenue; thence still easterly along North avenue to the division line between the Townships of Fanwood and Westfield.

Beginning at the intersection of Mountain avenue and Forrest avenue or road, in the village of Scotch Plains, in the twp of Fanwood and running thence southeasterly along Forrest avenue or road to its intersection with North avenue; thence southerly along said North avenue to Depot street; thence to a point at or near the Fanwood station of the Central Railroad of New Jersey.

The name of the corporation making the application is the New York and Philadelphia Traction Company.

The application was filed on the 15th day of February, eighteen hundred and ninety-five and will be considered by the Township Committee of the township of Fanwood, at a meeting to be held on the 7th day of March, eighteen hundred and ninety-five, at Excelsior Hall, at Scotch Plains, in the township of Fanwood aforesaid, county of Union, at 8 o'clock in the evening.

EDWARD L. HAND, Township Clerk.

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CHAPTER II.

"Hallo, my son! Just ready for you," said Meryon.

"Honored lord, the prince commands your presence!" quavered the boy, agitatedly twisting together his slender fingers.

Seeing something was wrong, Meryon recognized the need of restoring Ebal's confidence by preserving a bold front.

"Commands it, does he? Isn't the old man overstraining himself a little? But of course you meant to say that he begs to supplicate the privilege of my company. Well, tell him to keep his caftan on and I'll be round in the course of a day or two."

"Do not speak so, beloved lord! Hatipha has found us out and told his highness. Oh, if they kill you, I will kill myself!" cried the child, bursting into tears.

Meryon, greatly touched, expressed it in his American way by a loud laugh.

"Don't you fret, Ebal, my jewel; neither of us is going to quit this sinful and hollow life for sixty or seventy years to come, at least. You don't half know me yet. I have but to clap my hands and say: 'Galah!' and the president of the United States would march into the palace at the head of the army, navy and New York police department, and snatch up the whole court by the scruff of the neck and dump it down hard on Blackwell's Island—yes, they would! Hand me that stocking. And talk about palaces! wait till you see the white house. Ebal, you don't know luxury, gorgeousness, extravagance, intrigue and corruption until you've been naturalized in the states as a Jeffersonian democrat or a Lincoln republican. This is a poor, simple, innocent sort of place. Why, if Hatipha were to

HE SWUNG HIM FORCIBLY ROUND.

get among some ward politicians that I know, they'd mistake him for a new-born babe—yes, sir!"

"I wish we were there, mighty lord," sighed Ebal, whose black eyes had slowly expanded while he swallowed this information. "How happy we should be!"

"Well, pack your grip, for we shall be starting before long, all three of us. Hand me that necktie, will you?—no, the red one—I'm out for blood this morning! Now I seem to be about ready, don't I? I'll be back in an hour; stay here till I come, and be a good boy; do you hear?"

Thus did the young American go forth to battle. In one way the fight was an unequal one, and no one knew it better than he. But in the east (and perhaps in other places) nothing is to be gained by a timorous or apologetic attitude; and Meryon was conscious, moreover, of possessing certain resources which, if not immediately substantial, might yet serve him in good stead. With wit, knowledge, insight and courage, even a single man may make headway against a multitude.

He strolled with an insouciant air towards that part of the palace buildings in which the prince's apartments lay. As he passed through the various courts, halls and corridors he was the object of a good deal of curious scrutiny from those who saw him, as if some hint had got abroad of his being in difficulties. He noticed, for his part, that there were signs of bustle and uneasiness about which could hardly have reference to himself. They had a military smack to them. War was in the air apparently. But Meryon limited his interest for the moment to the war in which his concern was a personal one.

In the prince's ante-room was a knot of courtiers and attendants, Hatipha among them. His unseemly visage wore a grimace of evil mockery as he caught Meryon's eye, and as the latter drew near he ostentatiously ignored his greeting and turned his amorphous back upon him. Meryon, with a pleasant smile, put forth his right hand and caught the eunuch by the lobe of one of his huge ears, upon which as a pivot he swung him forcibly round. The creature squealed with pain, rage and astonishment.

"Well, how is the old pudding this morning?" the American inquired, sweetly. "It mustn't forget its superiors, or its manners. Waddle in and tell his highness I desire to see him at once on particular business."

The boldness of the rebuke startled all present, but all except Hatipha himself were manifestly pleased. The head eunuch is seldom a popular personage in any place, and he had in this instance fewer friends than the average. But Meryon's blood was getting up, and he would have chastised the grand vizier himself had that functionary bit his thumb at him.

He entered the royal presence close upon Hatipha's footsteps, thus depriving the latter of the opportunity of relieving his heart of the venom which the ear incident had set boiling there. He salaamed with easy courtesy and quietly elbowed the eunuch aside as he wished his highness good morning.

Meryon had, as has been intimated, been permitted great freedom in the palace, and was accustomed to observe little ceremony in approaching the prince; but the difference at a court between a man in favor and out of it is as great as between a musk rose and a skunk cabbage. Meryon was well aware of this, even before he met the

MERYON LEISURELY SAT DOWN.

potentate's haughty stare; but a desperate game must be dauntlessly played, and dangers met half way.

The prince, a stout, autocratic, but self-indulgent-looking gentleman of fifty, sat cross-legged amidst a pile of cushions on a low divan, with the snaky stem of a nargileh in his right hand. He was alone, save for a couple of Nubian mutes, one of whom kept imaginary flies off him with a long-stemmed fan of ostrich feathers while the other squatted at the bowl, of the pipe, ready to refill it as occasion demanded.

"Sir!" exclaimed the prince, erecting himself indignantly on his royal haunches, "do you venture into my presence before I have signified my pleasure to receive you? Your lack of respect and ceremony amazes me!"

"Prince," replied Meryon, with imperturbable politeness, "I have a communication for your private ear—your private ear, prince," he repeated, with a slight gesture of the head towards Hatipha, who was fairly dancing up and down in the agony of his bloodthirsty impatience to recount his grievances.

His highness hesitated a moment, bending the full force of his glance upon the young artist, who encountered it with one full asstead fast and significant. "Retire!" he then said to the eunuch, waving his hand in dismissal.

"But, most illustrious son of Heaven," began the inflamed functionary, "you understand not."

"What!" roared the prince, in a sudden fury; "am I told by the filth that oozes beneath my feet that I understand not? Retire instantly, or that foul hide of thine shall be stripped from thy carrion carcass and serve as a mat for dogs to sleep on!"

This explosion fairly blew the unwieldy eunuch out of the room, turning green as he went with mingled terror and unglutted malignity. The American and the oriental were left face to face.

"Now, sir," the latter set out, with the modified sternness of a monarch who has just enjoyed the satisfaction of scaring a subject half to death; but Meryon interposed with cool suavity.

"Since your highness desires ceremony, let me remind you that I have not been asked to take a seat. May I inquire if you expect me to conduct this interview standing?"

The prince's breath temporarily forsook him. Meanwhile he and Meryon eyed each other intently. Meryon by this time was roused to the pitch of being capable of anything. But his anger had the useful effect of collecting instead of scattering his faculties, and he was outwardly cold as sherbet and calm as a June morning. He was very different from the genial, careless young fellow who during the past six or eight weeks had amused and interested the potentate. After a few pregnant seconds the prince, reflecting that they were alone (the mutes didn't count) and inwardly sensible of the impress of a spirit he had not calculated on, intimated that a place beside him was at the other's disposal. Meryon leisurely sat down and pursued his advantage.

"Let us clearly understand each other, prince," he said. "I have hitherto met you with the informal confidence which a friend naturally observes towards his friend; but I must tell you that any attempt to impose on my good nature will be promptly checked. Is that plain, or shall I more fully explain myself?"

Some real curiosity blended with the outraged dignity of his highness as he asked: "What do you mean by talking to me like that? Don't you know that by a nod of the head I can cause you to be bastinadoed, boiled in oil and bowstrung?"

Meryon smiled; the smile broadened to a chuckle, and the chuckle expanded into a loud and hearty peal of laughter.

The prince frowned, clutched his beard, kicked off a slipper, put his hand towards the gong and withdrew it, and then, abruptly overcome by the mysterious absurdity of the situation, burst into roars of merriment as resonant as his guest's. Hatipha, hearing from without this combined uproar of mirth, uttered a scream of despair and waddled frantically away to the harem, where he rent his robes and boxed the ears of whomsoever was not active enough to get out of his reach.

Ceasing at length and wiping the tears from his cheeks with the gold-embroidered satin cuff of his caftan, his highness panted out: "And now, what have we been laughing at?"

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WASHINGTON NEWS.

THE REPUBLICANS WILL HAVE A MAJORITY IN CONGRESS.

Probable Heads of Committees. Initiation Step Toward a Government Cable to Hawaii. Silverites Stand in the Way of a $16,000 Saving.

It has not yet been decided whether the Republicans will reorganize the office force of the Senate, even if they were able to produce a majority after the 4th of March. The committees will be put in control of Republicans as soon as possible at the first session, and the important changes to be made in the chairmanships have already been informally agreed upon. The most interesting assignment so far made is that of Senator Aldrich of Rhode Island, to be Chairman of the Finance Committee. Senator Morrill of Vermont, the last Chairman under Republican control, is still eligible, but, on account of his extreme age, has given way to his young and energetic friend, Mr. Aldrich, who has for some time been the leader of the Republicans in financial and tariff matters. Mr. Sherman, who lost his place at the head of the Republican membership of the Finance Committee when he left the Senate to become Mr. Hayes's Secretary, will go back to his old place as Chairman of the Foreign Affairs Committee, retaining, of course, his membership on the Committee on Finance. It has been generally supposed that Mr. Reed, when he is elected Speaker, will be compelled to choose the top man on the list of the Republicans of the Ways and Means Committee for its Chairman. If he should follow this rule, Representative Sereno E. Payne, of New York would be the successor of William L. Wilson in this important place. Julius C. Burrows of Michigan, stood at the top of the list, but put Mr. Payne there by being elected to the Senate. It has been widely reported that Mr. Reed would ignore Payne's claim for promotion and make the next Republican on the list, who happens to be Representative Dalzell of Pennsylvania, Chairman. It is learned, however, that Mr. Reed has no intention of appointing either Mr. Payne or Mr. Dalzell if he is made Speaker, but that he will name Nelson Dingley, Jr., of Maine. Mr. Dingley was formerly a member of the committee, and made way for Reed to go to the head of the Republican list of membership, and Mr. Reed, it is understood, will return the favor by making Dingley Chairman of the Committee. Mr. Dingley is one of the ablest men of the House, and is especially well informed on tariff and financial matters, and but for his weak voice and slight physique he would be well fitted to become the leader of the Republicans on the floor.

An appropriation for beginning the construction of a cable between San Francisco and Honolulu is about the only practical result that will ensue from a year's discussion by Congress of the Hawaiian question. By a vote of 36 to 25 the Senate adopted an amendment to the Diplomatic Appropriation bill, appropriating $500,000 for commencing the work of laying the cables. The work is to be performed under government auspices, and the cable, when completed, is to be under the control of the United States government. For party and economical reasons the House will probably vote against the proposition when the Diplomatic bill reaches that body and comes up for concurrence in the Senate amendments. This will mean a hard struggle between the conferees of the two houses but the majority in the Senate in favor of the cable is so large and so determined as to make it almost certain that the House will either have to yield or the Appropriation bill will fail. The vote in the Senate showed a clear majority of 11 in favor of the cable. A full Senate might change the majority slightly, but from the fact that six Democrats—Hill, Gorman, Butler, Call, Morgan and White—voted for the proposition, it is safe to say that there is a fair sized majority in the Senate which will insist upon the Senate amendment going through. The action of the Senate in authorizing the construction of the Hawaiian cable is causing great rejoicing among the Republican "jingoists." They speak of it as in the direction of an important step toward annexation, and some of them interpret the vote to mean that the Senate, as a body, is largely in favor of annexation. None of the Democrats except Senator Morgan and several of the Republicans who voted for the cable proposition would vote for annexation. Senator Teller, who has been most enthusiastic in his support of the new government of Hawaii, distinctly stated in a speech he delivered the other day that he did not regard the construction of a cable between this country and Hawaii as having any bearing on the annexation proposition. On the contrary, he thought the laying of the cable would probably have the effect of staving off American union with the Hawaiian Islands. He based this belief on the theory that the establishment of telegraphic communication with Hawaii would greatly strengthen the existing government and enable it to defend itself against any attempt at foreign intervention and local disturbances. Senator Gray, the recognized representative of the administration, was not only opposed to the appropriation for the cable, but the illegitimate method of attaining such a proposition as a rider to an appropriation bill. He declared with great emphasis that Senators were working themselves up to such a state of mind over Hawaii and the cable scheme that they were ready to propose "anarchy in the Senate procedure." He expressed great surprise and astonishment at the terror of Mr. Morgan and other Senators who had spoken with alarm lest Great Britain should secure a foothold in Hawaii.

ROGER LEWIS.

Up to Old Tricks.

Ontume—I remember when I used to get thrashed for going fishing, and then lying about it.

Mrs. Ontume—It didn't do you much good, apparently.

Ontume—Why not?

Mrs. Ontume—You do it yet.

Properly Characterized.

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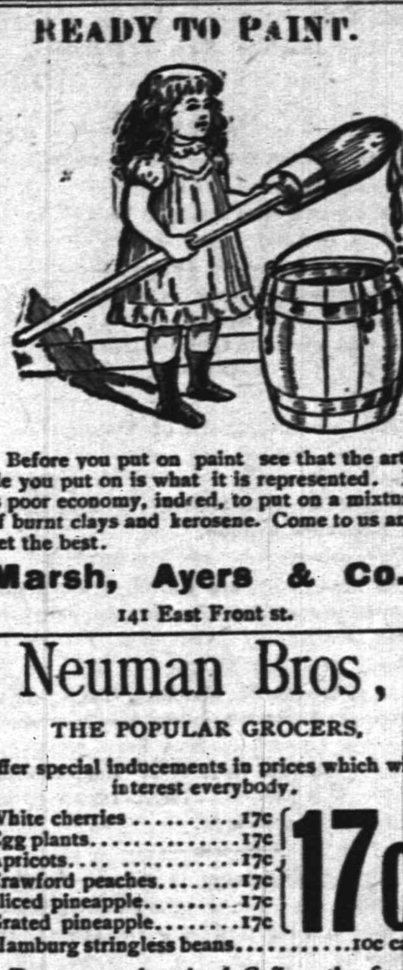

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For Baltimore only 1 37 p. m., week-days.

For Newark and New York—3 02, 5 34, 5 48, 6 17, 6 45, 7 0?, 7 20, 7 49, 7 57, 8 06, 8 28, 8 33, 8 47, 9 17, 9 41, 9 48, 10 20, 10 38, 10 49, 11 07, 11 48 a. m., 1 13, 1 20, 1 56, 224, 2 40, 2 45, 3 27, 3 47, 4 42, 5 15, 5 36, 5 48, 6 08, 6 27, 6 48, 6 58, 7 07, 7 26, 7 50, 8 ?, 9 10, 9 50, 10 03, 11 03 and 11 56 p. m. Sundays 3 02, 5 34, 7 54, 8 45, 9 20, 9 47, 10 12, 10 38, 10 49 a. m., 12 35, 1 44, 2 33, 2 45, 3 45, 4 38, 5 34, 5 48, 7 05, 7 12, 7 26, 7 58, 8 30, 9 15, 10 16, 11 46 and 11 56 p. m.

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For Perth Amboy—1 43 a. m daily except Monday, 6 44, 9 46, 10 59, 12 46, 3 20, 4 53, 5 44, 6 12, 7 20, 7 36, 9 54 and 12 27. Sundays, 1 43, 10 25, 11 47 a m, 10 14 p m.

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For Trenton—1 00, 6 57, 7 10, 7 59, 9 05, 9 36, 11 43 A. M.; 1 05, 1 37, 2 48, 5 08, 6 26, 7 46, 8 42, 9 39 P. M. Sundays at 1 00, 6 59, 9 05, 9 36, 10 41 A. M.; 5 40, 6 37, 7 47 and 9 41 P. M.

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For Flemington—7 59 A. M.; 2 48 P. M.

For Freehold—7 59, 11 43 a. m., 4 38, 5 08 p.m., via. Monmouth Junction, week-days.

For Jamesburg, via. Monmouth Junction—7 59 and 11 43 a. m., 4 38 and 5 08 p. m., week days.

For Long Branch, Ocean Grove, and points on New York and Long Branch R. R.—9 46, 12 46, 4 12, 5 44 p.m., 12 27 night week-days. Sundays, 10 25 a. m., and 5 44 p. m.; do not stop at Asbury Park on Sundays.

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Leave Plainfield 3 14, 5 37, 6 29, 6 59, 7 20, 7 30, 7 50, 7 58, 8, 8 18, 8 37, 8 51, 8 49, 9 22, 10 04, 10 27, 11 19, A. M., 12 06, 1 18, 2 07, 3 30, 3 32, 3 51, 4 40, 5 54, 5 54, 7 08, 8 30, 9 23, 10 17, 11 28, P. M. Sunday—3 14, 3 37, 8 03, 9 01, 8 02, 10 03, 11 28, 11 28 A. M., 12 33, 1 45, 3 30, 5 26, 5 36, 7 11, 8 33, 10 17 P. M.

Leave New York from foot of Liberty street 4 30, 6 00, 7 15, 8, 8 40, 9 10, 10, 11 45, A. M., 1 10, 1 30, 2 30, 3 30, 3 40, 4, 4 30, 5, 5 15, except Saturday, 5 30, 5 45, 6, 6 15, 6 30, 7, 7 30, 8, 8 30, 9 15, 10 15, 11 30 P. M., 12 15, 1, night. Sunday—4 30, 7 15, 9 30, 9 15, A. M., 12 M., 1 30, 4, 5 30, 7, 9 00, 10 00 P. M., 12 15 night. 1 A. M.

PLAINFIELD AND NEWARK.

Leave Plainfield 5 39, 6 29, 6 59, 7 26, 7 30, 8, 8 49, 9 22, 10 04, 10 27, A. M., 12 06, 1 18, 3 07, 3 30, 3 32, 3 51, 4 40, 5 54, 6 54, 7 08, 8 30, 10 17, 11 28 P. M. Sunday—3 01, 3 53, 10 03, 11 28, A. M., 12 33, 1 45, 3 30, 5 36, 7 11, 8 30, 8 33, 10 17 P. M.

Leave Newark 6 15, 7 10, 7 55, 8 10, 9 03, 10 05, 11 35 A. M., 1 15, 1 35, 2 20 Saturday only, 3 50, 3 55, 4 05, 4 40, 5 04, 5 34, 5 50, 6 20, 7 15, 7 25, 9 40, 10 05, 11 25 P. M. Sunday—7 30, 8 45, 9 25, 11 30, A. M., 1 10, 2 25, 4 10, 5 40, 7 20, 9 25, 10 20 P. M.

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PLAINFIELD AND SOMERVILLE.

Leave Plainfield 5 45, 7 10, 8 16, 9 54, 11 a.m., 12 46, 2 08, 2 32, 3 45, 4 36, 5 05, 5 14, 5 34, 6 04, 6 19, 6 39, 7 12, 7 38, 8 21, 10 26, 11 23, P. M., 12 38 night Sunday—5 45, 8 49, 9 54, A. M., 2 08, 3 28, 5 14, 6 35, 10 18, 11 14 P. M.

Leave Somerville, 6, 6 30, 7 00, 7 26, 7 35, 7 48, 8 30, 9 05, 9 48, 11 40 A. M., 12 50, 1 45, 3 05, 3 25, 4 25, 5 25, 6 35, 8 17, 8 45, 11 05, P. M. Sunday 8 26, 9 45, 10 55 A. M., 12 06, 1 20, 5 05, 6 45, 8 02, 8 05, 9 40 P. M.

PLAINFIELD AND EASTON

Leave Plainfield 5 45, 8 16, 9 54, A. M., 12 46, 2 08, 5 05, 5 14, 6 39, 8 21 P. M. Sunday—5 45, 8 28 A. M., 2 08, 6 35, P. M.

Leave Easton 6 05, 7 00, 8 53, A. M., 12 22, 4 04, 7 00 P. M. Sundays—7 15, 10 52, A. M., 6 40, 7 20, P. M.

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Leave Plainfield 9 54, a. m., 5 05 p.m.

WESTWARD CONNECTIONS.

LEAVE PLAINFIELD.

5 45 A. M. for Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport and Tamaqua.

7 10 a. m. for stations to High Bridge, connecting for stations on High Bridge Branch.

8 16 A. M. for Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R. Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9 54 A. M. for Flemington, High Bridge branch D L & W R R, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Pottsville, Nanticoke, Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c. Through coach to Williamsport.

12 46 p. m. way for Easton, connecting at Junction for stations on D. L. & W. R. R.

2 08 P. M. for Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Sunbury and Williamsport, Wilkes-Barre and Scranton. Buffet parlor car to Mauch Chunk.

5 05 p. m., way for Easton, connecting at High Bridge for stations on High Bridge branch

5 14 P. M. for Flemington, Easton, Bethlehem, Bangor, Allentown, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, Mauch Chunk Shamokin and Tamaqua, Buffet parlor car to Scranton.

6 19 P. M. for Flemington.

6 39 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading and Harrisburg.

8 21 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

5 45 A. M. Sunday for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Wilkesbarre and Scranton. 8 28 a.m. Sundays for Easton, 2 08 p. m. Sundays for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Reading and Harrisburg, 6.35 p. m., Sundays for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, &c. and at Junction for D. L. & W. R. R.

For Atlantic City, 3 37 a. m. 1 18 p. m.

Long Branch, Ocean Grove, &c

Leave Plainfield 3 37, 8, 10 27, a. m. 1.18, 3 51, 5 54, p. m. Sundays—(except Ocean Grove) 8 53, a. m., 3 30 p. m.

For Perth Amboy, 3 37, 5 38, 8 10 27 a. m., 1 18, 3 51, 4 40, 5.54, 7 08 p.m. Sunday—3 53, a. m., 3 30 p. m.

For Freehold, 3 37, 8, 10 27 a.m., 1 18, 3 51, 4 40, p.m.

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For Trenton 5 45, 8 44, 9 40*, 10 45, a. m., 12 46, 2 08*, 5 14*, 6 39*, 8 21, 9 37* p.m., 1 12 night. Sunday—5 45, 9 54, a. m., 2 08*, 5 14* 6 35 p. m., 1 12 night.

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From 24th and Chestnut—3 55, 7 53, 9 21, 11 10, a.m. 3 40, 6 13, 8 10, 11 45 p. m. Sunday—3 55, 7 53, 12 19 p m, 3 30, 6 13, 8 10, 11 45 p. m.

Leave Trenton, Warren and Tucker sts., 1 10, 4 55, 9 06, 10 25, a.m. 12 15*, 3 10, 4 29*, 5 54, 9 01 p. m. Sundays—1 00, 4 58, 9 05, 10 27 a. m., 1 18*, 4 31, 6 48*, 9 03 p. m.

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CHAPTER III.

Meryon did not at once reply. He took his cigarette case from his pocket, selected a cigarette and said to the Nubian of the nargileh: "Boy, a light." After obtaining it he drew in a whiff or two with a thoughtful air and then turned gravely to his host.

"Prince," he said, in a tone of icy distinctness, "it is fortunate for you that I did not take your bravado in earnest. If I thought," he continued, with a stern and keen look, "that you actually meditated violence to me and thereby to the all-powerful nation which I represent—if I believed that, within three months your kingdom would have been wiped from the map, and you and your subjects would be on your way to New York to become waiters in the public restaurants!"

There was a silence. Both smoked. Meryon with long, serene inhalations, his highness with short, sharp puffs. At last he said: "Your statement, Meryon Pacha, seems improbable. I have indeed heard that your nation is great, and I know that the ways of Allah are unfathomable. Injustice dwells not in my heart. You will admit that you have been hospitably entertained—" Meryon stiffly inclined his head, at the same time slightly lifting one eyebrow and shrugging the opposite shoulder—"but it has come to my ears that you have ventured to look upon and even to address communications to the princess, my daughter, apparently presuming her capable of deigning—"

Once more Meryon interrupted. "Prince, you employ words which I won't take from you. 'Deigning!' Does the tom-tit condescend to the eagle? It was my whim to lay aside the cares of sovereignty (which I must resume on my return home) and masquerade in this out-of-the-way little corner, for a while, as a mere traveling artist. But in birth, station and power you're simply not in sight, beside me, not to mention your interesting family."

The prince, by a nervous jerk of the elbow, upset the nargileh, which the Nubian deftly caught and replaced.

"I've been studying your little principality," resumed the other, "with a friendly disposition to do something to improve it. I heard you had a daughter, and it struck me she might be the means of my helping you. I'm unmarried, and though I could get a wife worth a dozen of her in New York or

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Chicago, to say nothing of Boston, yet I believe in occasionally crossing the higher strains with humbler blood, and I have had thoughts of honoring you and exalting her by a union with myself."

A dozen things rushing at the same instant to get uttered at his highness' single mouth, naturally got wedged, like people trying to escape from a burning theater, and the prince became crimson, but said nothing at all. Meryon went on:

"But a serious objection has arisen, for which you are primarily to blame, and which you must remove if I am to go on with the scheme. Terah—though I'm confident she is a good little girl and personally incapable of evil—is, nevertheless, conventionally speaking, damaged goods. And it's your fault."

The novelty of his sensations was hypnotizing the prince. His eyes rolled outwards, and his breathing was stentorious. But he no longer attempted to address the meeting.

"Qui facit per alium, facit per se," the American continued; "you are to blame for the crimes of your head eunuch, for you ought to have known better than to intrust such a clumsy beast with such delicate responsibilities. Either from brute carelessness or worse, this fellow, Hatipha, the other day, suddenly sprung Terah on me with her countenance in a condition which I shudder to describe. It—she—I—in short, her veil was down!" Here Meryon bowed his head upon his knees, and tremors shook his frame.

Inarticulate gurglings came from the prince's lips. Drops of sweat formed beneath the rim of his turban and ran down into his beard. This was a great day for him, never to be forgotten!

"Anyone less magnanimous and charitable than I would have turned his back upon her and you forever," the artist went on presently. "Such an outrage upon an unsuspecting guest can hardly be too severely resented. But compassion for Terah—who was really as much shocked as I was—and friendship for you, led me to forbear. I caused word to be sent to her that, on certain conditions, I would try to overlook the matter. And I am now here, prince, to tell you what the conditions are."

His highness, with eyes goggling on vacancy, stretched out his arms in front of him and rapidly closed and extended his fingers. It is uncertain whether this indicated that he wished to catch hold of an elusive word, or of something more substantial. Either way it was expressive.

"What I require," said Meryon, with stern impressiveness, "is your straightout apology; and to prove its sincerity it must take the form of delivering up Hatipha into my hands, to be annihilated as I see fit." Having thus delivered himself, Meryon took another cigarette from his case, signed to the Nubian for a light, and added composedly: "I have spoken!"

The spell upon his highness was broken. A confused roar proceeded from him, which perhaps set out to be a sort of laugh, but went on like the cry of the tiger thirsting for meat. He clapped his hands against his thighs, kicked off both his slippers (which the Nubian of the fan impassively restored to him, receiving in acknowledgment a violent kick in the stomach), and betrayed other symptoms of strong feeling. Gradually the waves of emotion became less agitated, and allowed him to employ human methods of speech.

"Meryon Pacha," he said, "I have been indignant. I heard reports of you which made me wish to kill you. You have spoken, and made things look different. I am more indignant than before, and somebody must be killed, but I am willing it should not be you. You have spoken of Hatipha; it shall be! I will discipline him. I will draw off his hide in strips an inch wide. I will burn out his eyes with hot needles. I will tear out his tongue, and cut off his hands and feet. I will rub his carcass with red pepper and sirup, impale him upon a stake ten feet long, and set him in the public square for the flies to eat. Yea, by the beard of the prophet, he shall be taught etiquette!"

Meryon mused and shook his head. "The punishment is too light," he finally said. "Ordinarily, I might be satisfied with it, for I am more forgiving and tender-hearted than a woman. But this dog's offense demands some really adequate penalty. I think I must have him boxed up and sent to New York to be naturalized and run for mayor on his record. It is necessary, too, that my own countrymen should see that my honor is vindicated. I will think it over. In the meantime let him be shadowed."

"Is the penalty you made a very terrible one?" asked the prince.

Meryon smiled wearily. "Merely to read the account of it in the newspapers is punishment enough for most crimes," he replied. "I hate to inflict it; but mercy is one thing, weak indulgence to sin, such as your proposition would amount to, is another. And from the reputation of the woman I marry every shadow of a stain must be removed."

"As to that," said the prince, whose natural suavity was returning, "though I suppose what you say of yourself and your nation is true, still I could, easily—very easily—have your head cut off, and say to your people (when they came to ask) that you had been killed by somebody else. But I, too, am tender-hearted, and what you say about the princess is certainly true, for Hatipha himself told me so—and other things! So I should like to have you for a son-in-law, especially if it would benefit my kingdom. But how would it benefit it?"

"Well, looking at it strictly as a financial measure, I should say it would benefit you about a lac of rupees' worth a year, very likely more—what with the summer visitors, the boom in trade and the new openings for unmarried ladies." After a pause he added: "But, mind you, I haven't yet promised I'll take her. My system got a bad shock that day, and I may never get over it."

The prince was silent for a long time, doing more thinking than was perhaps good either for him or Meryon. At last he said:

"Allah is great. Man knows little, and sometimes lies. Your words, Meryon Pasha, may be truth or not. You wish to live; you also wish, I think, to marry my daughter; but whether you desire the good of my kingdom is as yet hidden from me. But there is a way, if you choose, to prove it."

"Yes?" returned Meryon, in an indifferent tone.

"Yes. This morning I have news that the prince, my nearest neighbor, is going to make war on me. I am unprepared and need help. Beyond the country of my enemy lies another kingdom, whose king is my ally. If a messenger from me could reach him in three days from now I should be safe. But if I send one of my own subjects he would be stopped and slain, for his speech and features would betray him. But you, Meryon Pacha, could go in safety, for there is no war with your country, and since you are a sovereign, as you say, and able to destroy all who injure you, you have nothing to fear. I will give you a message to my ally which will tell him that you are my friend and are to be my son-in-law, and that my kingdom is in danger. Now, Meryon Pacha, will you do this thing to win the princess and save the kingdom?"

The American reflected a moment. The prince was ingeniously beating him with his own stick, so to say. The threat of war was probably a fact; but the secret embassy was devised as a means of getting rid of him without seeming to do so. On the other hand he could not, after his late magnilo-quence, decline to do his future father-in-law so ostensibly facile a service. There was but one weak point in his highness' argument. He put his finger on that.

"The letter which I am to take to your ally will make me known also to

your enemy, if he searches me. He would treat me as a spy and I should have no ground of complaint."

The prince smiled an oriental smile. "You are prudent and far-seeing, Meryon Pacha," said he. "But if I protect you from this peril, will you accept the adventure?"

"Oh, well, I don't care if I do," replied the other, twisting his red mustachios. He already had a glimpse of an expedient for making the affair serve his own purposes.

"It is well," said his highness. "Return to me at sunset to-day and I will give you the final directions."

"All right," returned Meryon, briefly, and the interview ended.

CHAPTER IV.

An hour after sunset Meryon, mounted on a thoroughbred Arab and followed by two camels bearing his luggage, passed out of the gate of the city and set his course towards the west. A good many things had happened since we saw him last.

Ebal, on hearing the result of the interview, had declared that it meant mischief, and begged to be taken along to share his master's fate. Meryon had a half-formed scheme to profit by the confusion in the harem caused by the disgrace of Hatipha, to carry off the princess; but the only way to effect it was to have her join him that night beyond the boundary of the principality, which was not more than twenty miles distant. By the connivance of Senuah and the help of Ebal, this might be accomplished; and the latter eagerly agreed to attempt it. There had not been much time to arrange the details of the plot, but a trysting place was fixed upon—a tall, isolated rock near the caravan road, in the enemy's country. Here Meryon was to wait six hours; if Ebal and the princess did not appear within that time, he was to presume that the plan had miscarried, and keep on alone.

Meanwhile it transpired that Hatipha had escaped; when the prince's guards went to get him, he had vanished. It was not surprising; the war scare threw everything into a bubbub. Had the American not been rendered so conspicuous by his mission, he might easily have spirited away the princess himself. Late in the afternoon a report that the princess' mother had been taken violently ill added to the confusion. When Meryon went to the prince for his farewell interview, he was half minded to proclaim and put himself at the head of a revolution, depose his highness, and assume his throne. The odds were in favor of such a move being successful. Meryon finally resolved against it, from reluctance to be left with a kingdom on his hands so far from New York, and with the home policy still so strong against annexations. He afterwards was sorry he had been so fastidious.

He found the prince entirely alone—divested for the moment even of his Nubians. He produced a writing done in minute characters on very thin tissue, setting forth that the bearer was the trusted friend of the undersigned, and going on to describe the situation and demand help. When Meryon had finished reading this his highness drew from the folds of his robe a small gold box richly ornamented, and opened it. There lay a huge ruby, about two inches in length, and shaped like a much elongated egg. Meryon could not repress an exclamation of surprise; such a stone was never before seen; it could not be bought for a room full of rupees.

The prince twisted it between his fingers, and it came apart; it had been cut in two and hollowed out, and the parts made to screw together. The letter was now rolled up and inserted into this precious box; so there was a vast fortune and a message of life and death all done up in a parcel the size of a man's little finger. The prince handed it to Meryon.

"Do you expect me to take the responsibility of lugging a bomb-shell like that about the country?" demanded the latter recoiling.

"Death is powerless against him who carries it," replied the other. "It is a talisman, the greatest treasure of my dynasty; till now no unbeliever has ever seen it; judge then of the confidence I repose in you! When you arrive here with the army of my ally and give me back the hollow ruby, I will in return give you my other greatest treasure—my daughter, the princess Terah—to be the bride of your heart and the queen of your harem."

"This old pouter-pigeon," said Meryon to himself, "has been smart enough to see that by putting me upon honor he can get the best of me. He has me on toast. I must countermand the orders for the elopement, and play straight ball! These orientals are too much for us after all. Kismet! Hand it over, then," he added aloud, as if the precious object were a chocolate caramel.

"How will you carry it?" asked his highness.

"In my waistcoat pocket, of course," replied the American, nonchalantly stuffing it into that receptacle.

"Perhaps it is as well so," said his highness, thoughtfully. "If danger threatens you can readily swallow it," he added. "Remember, Meryon Pacha, it is worth the ransom of a kingdom."

"What? this thing!" exclaimed Meryon, slapping his pocket with a contemptuous smile. "Bless you, the boys where I come from use things like this for sinkers when they go fishing! Good-by!"

On returning to his apartments he sent for Ebal to tell him of his changed purposes. The boy was not to be found. The hour for starting came, and still no Ebal. After waiting till the last possible moment he was forced to set out with this important detail left at loose ends. He was ill at ease and rather cross. He cared more for Ebal than for anyone in the country except Terah, and feared lest some mishap had overtaken him.

The party consisted of two camels with their drivers—one of whom was the guide—loaded with Meryon's luggage, and he himself on his horse, a thorough-bred Arab. The twenty

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miles to the border was traversed without incident. As they crossed the line the moon rose, in its third quarter, throwing their long black shadows before them on the sandy plain. Its light also dimly revealed the apex of the great rock appointed as the trysting place, and where it was still Meryon's intention to camp for the night.

Meanwhile, he anticipated being stopped by the officers of customs, for his passport, which was in readiness; but none appeared, and they kept on. An hour's further travel brought them to the great rock. The picturesqueness of the scene pleased Meryon's artist eye.

The rock was of a roughly conical shape, about a hundred feet high. It stood in the midst of a barren plain; but around it, their roots nourished by the waters of a spring which bubbled from the ground and filled a wide stone basin, was a grove of tall palms and great hemispherical mangos. All was silent and deserted in the silent moonlight. In the base of the rock was a narrow opening leading to a small cave or cell, formerly, according to tradition, occupied by a saint and hermit of supernatural powers. Meryon looked into it, and saw a space about eight feet in diameter, hewn out of the solid rock. By heaping a few loose bowlders at the entrance it might be made a dungeon more secure than a chamber in a New York safe-deposit company's vault.

The animals were watered and fed. The camels squatted down in their usual absurd fashion, with their legs curled under them and their noses on a parallel with the horizon. The drivers curled up beside them and promptly went to sleep. Meryon did not feel sleepy. He wandered about, thinking over what had happened, and speculating as to might be to come.

It was like a mixture of the Arabian Nights and a comic opera at the Casino—this predicament into which his artistic and susceptible temperament and devil-may-care habit had brought him. No doubt his mother-wit and audacity had that day saved his neck, but only to put it in yet graver jeopardy. Again, supposing all to turn out well, what sort of a figure would his oriental bride cut in the drawing-rooms of the Four Hundred, and at Newport, Lenox and Bar Harbor?

"She'll cut a swathe—that's what she'll do!" said he to himself, with a chuckle. But the chuckle died away. How about his being hanged for a spy?

Would Ebal succeed in bringing her to-night? The lover hoped ardently that he would; then the man of the world took a hand, and hoped he would not. The adventure was as near being desperate as it could be, already; with her to take care of, it would lap over about ninety per cent. on the wrong side. No; the princess was safest in her own harem for the present.

The moon mounted to the apex of the dome of heaven. In another hour or two dawn would begin. It became chilly. The stillness was broken only by the low gurgling of the spring, a sigh from the camels, or the sound of the horse cropping the herbage. The artist thought he would turn in for an hour's nap. Hark!

A noise like a faint pulsation, far off. It grew stronger, but he could not yet fix its direction. It came nearer. It was approaching from the city. A horse—a single horse; Ebal, alone; he had not brought Terah. "Confound him!" muttered the lover. "A good thing, too!" retorted the same person.

The horseman, whoever he was, now came up rapidly; yet, in that strange light, it was difficult to distinguish him. At times he utterly vanished, like a phantom; then he reappeared, shadow-like; but each time nearer. All at once, as it were, up he rode in flesh and blood. Yes, it was Ebal.

"Well, my boy, so you didn't get her?" said Meryon, stepping up. Ebal was evidently much exhausted; he reeled in the saddle, and would have tumbled off if Meryon had not caught him. "Why, you poor little kid!" muttered he, compassionately.

Then he gave a sudden start, and stared in the youth's face. Ebal's soot-black hair, his eyes and features; but this supple young body which his arms held was the body, not of a boy, but of a girl! He almost dropped her in astonishment.

"Terah! What, Terah? Well, by the great horn spoon! Why, you cunning little sweetness!" Here he kissed her. "Tuckered out, eh? I should think she might! And all sole alone! What became of Ebal?"

The princess was nearly at the end of her tether. Being an oriental, she did not faint; that art is little understood in the east. But she rested in her lover's arms like a little sack of soft peaches, and did not in the least resent his demonstrations of affection.

"Light of my soul," she murmured, "am I safe? Oh, I am so thirsty—and hungry! Oh, such a ride! That hard saddle—I can hardly move my legs! Are we alone? It's so strange being without a veil! These men's clothes—how I must look!"

Meryon set her down on a pile of rugs beside the spring. He got a bottle of wine and some food, and made her as comfortable as he could. "You look like an angel," he said; "though not like a male one, in spite of that rig. You're feminine, my dear, inside and out. Luckily that Arab streak in you—wherever you got it—Ebal has it, too—keeps you from being so plump as most of 'em; and that burnous doesn't tell much; still, the sex is written all over you and whoever takes you for a boy is an ass. But what about Ebal? what's the matter that he didn't escort you?"

The princess, whom the wine was beginning to restore, laughed faintly, as a schoolgirl over some bit of roguery.

"We exchanged dresses and places, lord of my heart," said she. "Ah, I often wished, before I got here, that I was safe back among the soft cushions again. But now I am glad; and when I have smoked some cigarettes and had a good long sleep, I shall be all right."

"This is going to be the devil," thought Meryon, (referring to the situation.) "Here she is dressed like my footboy and acting like the princess! We ought to be off in an hour, and she's booked herself for a nine-hours' nap. Hannibal getting his army over the Alps was nothing to my getting this girl over fifty miles of flat plain. I must try fixing her a bed on camel back, and letting the beast rock her to sleep. And Ebal—by the way, Terah," he said aloud, "how is it about Ebal? Do you mean he has taken your place as princess in the harem? But he'll be found out, won't he? and what'll they do with him then?"

"Where are the cigarettes?" demanded the princess. "Ebal? Oh, the prince will impale him, I suppose. Or perhaps, since he's so young, he will

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only bastinado him and cut off his head. I don't know, but Ebal won't mind; it was he that proposed the exchange; and he's only a slave you know. Where am I to sleep?"

"You won't sleep, at present," returned the American, with sudden sternness. "Listen to me! Do you mean to say, seriously, that Ebal will be killed for getting you off?"

She stared at him with eyes of lazy wonder, and laughed.

"Light of my soul, if he had deceived you like that, would not you kill him? Bismillah! My father is a man."

Meryon jumped to his feet.

"I'll show you and your father the sort of man I am!" said he. "That boy is not going to be killed. We are going back to prevent it. Ebal impaled—I guess not! This elopement is indefinitely postponed. Why, what a cold-blooded little thing you are! The embassy may go to the devil! Hey, you fellows! Wake up and pack, do you hear? We're going home. Hallo! What's all this!"

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SCORING THEIR ORGAN.

Republicans Publicly Rebuke Their Former City Clerk.

SAY HIS PAPER LIES ABOUT THEM.

What He Stated in His Editorial Columns, They Declare to Be Absolutely False—They Consider His Utterances Prompted by Personal Spite.

Again last night was the Republican organ repudiated by the Republican officials of Plainfield. The course of the ex-city-clerk in his abuse of the city authorities through the columns of the paper of which he is editor, has repeatedly subjected him to the scorn and contempt of the public functionaries to whom he has so much reason to feel grateful for past personal favors; and the rebuke which was administered at the meeting of the Common Council last night was scorching and complete.

Among the many things which the Republican organ for selfish reasons of its own has been presuming to dictate to the local government, has been the attempted removal of George W. Grant from the office of Chief of Police and the substitution of its pet candidate, Chas. W. Dodd. The Daily Press took issue on this point, and held that Mr. Grant was entitled to continue in the office which he had filled with such commendable zeal and good works. For siding with Mr. Grant the editor of The Press was treated by the Republican organ to daily personal abuse and revilement. He was held up to ridicule as a "Brownie", a "kid", a "leg-puller", a "drooling infant" in need of a "bib"; and in various other elegant language was informed by this modern Chesterfieldian journalist that the Mayor would positively refuse to heed The Press argument in favor of Mr. Grant, because, forsooth, "the Mayor didn't go to office boys for advice"!

Intermingled with this constant ill-tempered and unchristian treatment of a fellow-editor, was a ceaseless stream of vulgar insolence directed against not only Mr. Grant but also against the Councilmen and the Mayor, who were accused of shirking their responsibilities, of being afraid of Mr. Grant and of his "reading of the riot act", of "stabbing the rights of every property-holder", of following "antediluvian methods", of turning the police force of Plainfield into an "asylum" for invalids and incapables.

The windy campaign of the ex-city clerk for a change blew itself to pieces, and in The Daily Press of Tuesday, Feb. 19, he read the news that Mr. Grant had been reappointed Chief for another year, by the unanimous vote of the entire Police Board.

The advice of the "office boy" had been taken.

It was a bitter pill for the Republican organ to find itself wallowing thus in the slough of defeat, and it was galling to have to go to its opponent to find the news. But instead of taking his medicine, the ex-city-clerk grew more venomous in his utterances, and continued to abuse the city fathers for not doing as he had attempted to dictate. Among other malicious and false things he said:

After considerable effort and careful investigation we have discovered that George W. Grant was appointed Captain of Police, pro tem., because the Mayor was unanimously in favor of the appointment.

We are surprised that the relations between the Mayor of the city of Plainfield and the other members of the Police Board are not quite as cordial as they appear to be. At a recent meeting of the Board—and, by the way, it was the first meeting that has been called by the Mayor for many long and weary moons—some things were talked about, some questions were asked, and some incidents occurred which, we have heard, would greatly interest the voting population of the city.

Stinging denial of the charges of the ex-city-clerk was made by Mr. Stockton, Chairman of the Committee on Police and Public Lights, in open session of the Common Council last night. Mr. Stockton said, with a supremely contemptuous expression for the person he was scoring:

"The Police Board on Feb. 16 duly elected George W. Grant Chief of Police, under the ordinance. An article in a daily paper [holding up a clipping from the Republican organ as printed above] attempts to make the citizens believe that the Mayor and the Police Board are on the outs. As a matter of fact, the reappointment of Chief Grant was unanimous, and our relations are entirely harmonious.

"The same paper states that the Police Board had not met before in several moons. That is absolutely false. The Board has met three times in the last 30 days. I deem it just and proper to make this statement in connection with the official announcement of Chief Grant's appointment."

After the session, Chief Grant thanked Mr. Stockton for his public statement refuting the intimation that he had not been the unanimous choice of the Board. Mr. Stockton replied that the justification had been due him, and was given because it was deserved.

Several of the Councilmen were outspoken in saying that the editor of the organ was actuated in his falsehoods against them by personal spite and wilful malice. His conduct was roundly condemned on all sides, and his representative at the meeting was compelled to hear much highly unpleasant remark concerning the ex-city-clerk who is thus snapping at the hands that fed him when he confessed his need.

MR. SOHL'S BENEFIT.

"The Danger Signal" to Be Produced in Music Hall March 4.

Friends of Joseph Sohl, proprietor of Music Hall, are working zealously to make a great success of the performance to be given for his benefit Monday evening, March 4

The play to be given is "The Danger Signal". This was written by one of the most famous authors of our time, Henry C. DeMille, who has given to the stage such strong successes as, "The Wife", "The Charity Ball", "Men and Women", "The Lost Paradise", and many others.

"The Danger Signal" was a big success at the Lyceum Theatre, New York city, but is entirely dissimilar from plays produced there lately, in that it abounds in realism, and requires many novel mechanical effects.

A monster locomotive made of iron and steel, from which real steam issues, a freight train, made up in full view of the audience, a cyclone rotary snow plow, and the cannon-ball express, consisting of locomotive, tender, three coaches, 180 feet long and 12 feet high, crossing the stage at the rate of 50 miles an hour, are all seen in the play.

The play cost $10,000 to equip.

A TWOFOLD SUCCESS.

The Rectory Society Gains in Finances as Well as Sociability.

The sale and tea given by the Rectory Society of the Grace P. E. Church at the home of Mrs. D. T. VanBuren on Central avenue from 2 to 7 yesterday afternoon and evening was auspicious in not only increasing the finances of the society but also in affording to its members and patrons a pleasant opportunity for social chat.

The fancy work table was in charge of Mrs. Howard Tracy, Mrs. Evarts Tracy and Mrs. James Hallock; cake, Mrs. Foote and Mrs George Clay; candy, Misses Reinnart, Holly and Rodman. At the dining table tea and cake was served, with Mrs. L. G. Timpson and Mrs. C. Lawson pouring tea, assisted by Misses Catherine and Mary Reinhart, Bogert, Woodruff, Lawson and McClure.

During the course of the sale and tea about 160 guests attended, and all left with the impression that the Rectory Society was a valuable adjunct to the welfare of the church with which it is affiliated.

The Boulevard Band.

Residents of the boulevard are agitating the advisability of organizing a brass band. They have the talent, but nary an instrument except John Goff's fish horn and that's in use fish days. "Gamey" Nelson does say "Dat's so hard to blo' that we dun can find no one to fill it; but we got lots of base drummers and cymbal players. Now, you know a man must be well fed to fill dat horn, and besides, we ain't working much dese days and our meals are so far apart. Wait 'till apples are ripe."

Muhlenberg Hospital.

The number of patients treated at the Hospital this Winter having been unusually large, the supply of old linen, muslin, and old garments is almost entirely exhausted.

The Women's Auxiliary Board therefore urgently requests their friends and patrons to send to the Hospital, as soon as possible, whatever they can spare of the articles mentioned.

EMILIE SCHIPPER,
Cor. Sec. of Woman's Auxiliary Board.

Change of Date.

Jerusalem Lodge, No. 26, F. & A. M., will hold a special communication Friday evening at 7:30, instead of Wednesday evening as originally decided upon. Members in receipt of notices before the change was made will please govern themselves accordingly.

CHAS. YAEGER, Sec.

Soon to Wed.

Henry A. Frentz, formerly of Scotch Plains, and well known in this city, but now a resident of Avon Park, Florida, is engaged to be married to Miss Harrietta E. Knapp, daughter of Clark D. Knapp, president of the Avon Park Transportation Company. The event will take place in the near future.

To Enlarge the Clubhouse.

The Park Club is likely soon to begin the improvement which The Press and its other friends have so long urged—the material enlargement of the clubhouse so as to give more room for the dancers. Architect Smith will submit plans for adoption.

Four Big Successes.

Having the needed merit to more than make good all the advertising claimed for them, the following four remedies have reached a phenomenal sale. Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption, coughs and colds, each bottle guaranteed—Electric Bitters, the great remedy for liver, stomach and kidneys. Bucklen's Arnica Salve, the best in the world, and Dr. King's New Life Pills, which are a perfect pill. All these remedies are guaranteed to do just what is claimed for them and the dealer whose name is attached herewith will be glad to tell you more of them. Sold at L. W. Randolph's drug store.

LIQUOR-LICENSE NIGHT.

Every Application Granted by the Council.

EVEN "PADDY DAY'S OLD PLACE".

All Voted for Unanimously Except this Saloon on West Third Street, and that Gets Through by the Vote of Six to Four.

Once a year the meetings of the Common Council of Plainfield, ordinarily shunned by those citizens who find them too tedious with their routine of real hard work, become a matter of great and absorbing interest to that portion of the people who believe in having public places where the men may congregate to slake their thirst and drink in the town's gossip.

Last night was the date of this annual event for the license element, and it was a large and unusual gathering which assembled in the lobby of the chamber and waited through the business of the session.

Little was done beyond the granting of the liquor licenses.

Chairman Moore of the Committee on License reported the license applications correct in form, and they were granted as follows:

John Rafferty, saloon, 213 Park avenue.
John J Sullivan, saloon, 518 West Third street.
John J. Goff, hotel, West Third and Liberty streets.
Jacob Blimm, hotel, 37-39 Somerset street.
James Day, saloon, 545 West Third street.
John E Beerbower, City Hotel, Park avenue and East Second street.
Alexander D Findlay, saloon, 123 East Second street.
James Connecly, saloon, 214-216 Park avenue.
Charles Smith, saloon, Front and Somerset streets.
Fred Caspar, hotel, 142-144 East Front street.
Wallace V. Miller, Hotel Grenada, 111-119 North avenue.
Frank Linke, wholesale, 227 West Front street.

The vote on all of these was unanimous to grant, except on that of James Day. When that came up, Mr. Dumont asked if it were not a new application. He said he was opposed to increasing the number of saloons. Mr. Westphal stated that the place had been licensed a number of years, though not during the last two or three years.

"Oh, well,"—ejaculated Mr. Dumont—"It 's Paddy Day's old place, and we all know what that was!"

The vote was: To grant—Messrs. Bird, Fiek, Frazee, Moore, See, Westphal, 6; not to grant—Messrs. Dumont, Erickson, Ginna, Stockton, 4.

The announcement of the vote aroused applause in the lobby, which was promptly checked by Chief of Police Grant.

Other licenses were granted as follows:

Hackmen — Daniel Hibbitts, Cornelius Guinee, W F Callahen (2), John Kelly, P. T. Keely & Son (3), Patrick Lynch (3), Henry Hansen (2), Peter N. Peterson, Max Newman (2), Thomas Burns.

Truck—J Krewson, S R Coddington, Charles H Farlee, Frank Rickert (2), A B Summers (2), W S Ayers, A. E. Hoagland (3).

Cartman—Robert Randolph.

Peddler, with horse and wagon—Ellis J Dunn.

The only petitions received by the Council were as follows:

From J. P. Mason and others, for three electric lamps on Stelle avenue between Central and Plainfield. Referred to the Committee on Police and Public Lights with power.

From the Ministers Association, requesting that no new application for liquor license be granted, that none be renewed where the applicant had been convicted of disorder or illegal selling, and that the Council consider the propriety of not granting any license whatever. Received and filed, previous to the action on the licenses.

The annual report of the City Clerk was submitted, inspected by the Committee on Finance, and filed.

Mr. Stockton reported the appointment of G. W. Grant Chief of Police, and explained the relations of the Police Board and the Mayor, as quoted in another column of this issue.

The Committee on Streets reported that it had received bids for street work as follows:

Crushed stone—A I & N B Smalley, 85 cents to $1 a ton, according to size; Wahl & Hatfield, 90 cents to $1.

Crosswalks—Double, J T Vail, 97 cents a foot; M Powers, $1 20; John A Thickstun, 98 cents; single, Vail, 55 cents; Powers, 60; Thickstun, 50.

Culverts—Per lineal foot, main, Vail, $2 10; Powers, $1.90; Thickstun, $2; branch, Vail, $1.60; Powers, $1.27; Thickstun, $1.50.

The Committee recommended, and it was adopted, that contracts be made, under bond of $1,000, with the Smalleys for the crushed stone; and under bond of $500 for each contractor, with Thickstun for the single crosswalks, with Vail for the double crosswalks, and with Powers for the main and branch culverts.

No other business was done.

Mrs. Emily Thorne, who resides at Toledo, Washington, says she has never been able to procure any medicine for rheumatism that relieves the pain so quickly and effectually as Chamberlain's Pain Balm and that she has also used it for lame back with great success. For sale at Reynolds's pharmacy, Park and North aves. T. S. Armstrong, manager.

THE W. C. T. U. MEMORIAL.

Here It Is, as Not Read at the Meeting of the Council.

The Press was today supplied with the following for publication, which was said to have been sent to the Common Council last night, but which certainly was not read:

To the Honorable the Common Council of the City of Plainfield:

GENTLEMEN:—The Woman's Christian Temperance Union of this city most earnestly and respectfully petition the Common Council to thoroughly investigate the legality of the signers to the petitions asking for the granting of license. We are informed that in some instances a money consideration has been received. We further pray that you will recognize the fact the legalized liquor traffic is the most fertile soil for the production of suffering, poverty and crime in our midst by withholding the granting of license. It lies in your authority and power to be the saviours of many souls from drunkards graves. To redeem from the most cruel suffering the lives of innocent and helpless women and children. To remove from our city the stigma of legalized sin against the "Thou shalt not of God", and to heed the expressed protest of the ministers and people from time to time. We wish to recall the words of Mayor Gilbert in his address of 1893, viz: "We must not lose sight of the fact that the influence of our administration of public affairs may last many years after we shall have relinquished our trust." Apply this to the liquor traffic. Again from the address of the past year. "We are living in an age of progress, and to keep our place in the foremost rank we must equip ourselves with everything that is to promote the health, comfort and prosperity of our people." These are words spoken by your Mayor and which give him the endorsement of the best people of the community. We trust that you will endorse and in reality promote "the health, comfort, and prosperity of the people" by refusing to longer grant license to sell liquor in saloon, inn or tavern.

Respectfully submitted,
CARA L. PECK,
President.
MRS. J. H. FRENCH,
Rec. Secretary.
S. R. KROM,
Asst. Rec. Secretary.
MISS MINEOLA TOMLINSON,
Cor. Secretary.
MRS. RUFUS CASE,
Treasurer.

Judge Brown for Councilman.

Fred N. Brown, who recently resigned his position with the Edison Electric Light Company of the Borough, will be pushed by his friends as a candidate for Councilman at the Republican primary Friday evening of this week. A local statesman says: "Judge Brown would make a rip-snortin' spread-eagle member of that slow debating august boby of borough statesmen, were he to 'git thar!'"

Fire in a Chimney.

A still alarm last night at 7:40 brought the Plainfield fire department to the residence of Dr. Henry H. Lowrie, 414 Park avenue, where a chimney was burning. Dr. Lowrie says he never saw quicker or more efficient work. The alarm was sent by telephone from his house, and in three minutes the firemen were on hand putting out the fire with extinguishers. He highly praises and thanks the department.

To Decide Who Is Best.

Harry C. VanEmburgh will go to Elizabeth this evening to attend a conference of bowling club representatives in the Journal office at which an endeavor will be made to arrange a series of games to decide the championship of Union County.

—Borough election takes place two weeks from today.

—Watson J. Tunison, the Watchung avenue flour and feed merchant, remarks that business is steadily increasing.

—The mustering team under the direction of Sergeant of Guard H. S. Thatcher held a very satisfactory rehearsal last evening.

—Mark Doud of Emily street is out with his truck prepared to move furniture from Hackensack to Haverstraw, or anywhere else.

—The borough liquor dealers are disposed to have no fear of any of the bills now before the Legislature pertaining to the license question becoming laws.

—A parlor sociable will be given at the home of Mrs. Andrew Cox, West Front street, Thursday evening, under the auspices of the Woman's Relief Corps, No. 10, Auxiliary to Winfield Scott Post, No. 73, G. A. R.

—Readers of the New York Sun well remember the Chimmie Fadden and Major Max sketches. They have, with a few other stories by the same author, been published in book form, and R. C. Rand calls attention to them in his advertisement today.

—200 delegates are expected to attend the rally of all the Junior Christian Endeavorers of Plainfield in the First Baptist Church Thursday evening at 7:45. Rev. Dr. Lewis is to give a short address. Masters Hillman and Mackillop and Miss Violet Truell are to assist on the violins. All interested in the Christian Endeavor work are cordially invited.

O. W. O. Hardman, sheriff of Tyler Co., W. Va., appreciates a good thing and does not hesitate to say so. He was almost prostrated with a cold when he procured a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. He says: "It gave me prompt relief. I find it to be an invaluable remedy for coughs and colds." For sale at Reynolds's pharmacy, Park and North aves. T. S. Armstrong, manager.

FOR AN ALMSHOUSE.

Citizens Preparing for a Needed Reform.

TO CONFER WITH THE COUNCIL.

Col. Tyler, Pastor Newell and H. P. Reynolds Appointed a Committee to Act in the Matter.

The attendance of members at the special meeting of the Citizens Organized Aid Association last evening in the parlors of the Crescent Avenue Church was very large.

Col. Mason W. Tyler presided, and after the roll call by Secretary Ladd, Rev. G. Kennedy Newell was asked to state the object of the meeting, which was to consider the advisability of establishing an almshouse, to be under the supervision of the Citizens Organized Aid Association.

Mr. Newell explained in a very satisfactory manner the advantages of the plan set forth in the report of the District Committee, as follows:

REPORT OF THE DISTRICT COMMITTEE.

January 31, upon invitation of the District Committee, there was a joint meeting of Hon. Alexander Gilbert, Mayor of Plainfield, the gentlemen of the Alms Committee of the Common Council of the City of Plainfield, Col. Tyler, Mrs. Woodruff, and the District Committee of the C. O. A. A.

The purpose of the meeting was to discuss the care of the city poor and to see if some steps could not be taken looking toward the establishment of an institution where the dependent poor could be properly cared for.

The present system of helping the city poor in their own homes is technically known as "outdoor relief". In the course of the discussion the following points were brought up against outdoor relief:

First—The city has no control over the city poor. It cannot restrain its wards from immorality, drunkenness and disorder. In his report of Jan. 2, 1895, the Overseer of the Poor states that this lack of restraint results in pauperism and crime.

Second—Private charity can care for the poor in their own homes more wisely than public charity. It would give the beneficiaries what they need as much as material aid, viz: Counsel, lessons in thrift; by its moral influence and individual touch it would stimulate self respect and encourage self support.

Third—The present system of outdoor relief demoralizes and pauperizes its beneficiaries. Having once begun to receive public relief it is almost impossible to stop. It is but a step from temporary public relief to permanent pauperism.

And it tends to pauperize others. The public money is too easy of access. One person in every 175 in Plainfield receives public aid. The effect of this cannot fail to be harmful to the community.

People who would blush at the mention of a poor house, do not feel it a delicate matter even, to appeal to the Overseer. Furthermore, it has been the case in other places where public outdoor relief has been stopped that the number in the alms houses has not increased, but diminished, showing that public outdoor relief is the stepping stone to the alms house.

Fourth—The present system is not economical. In Plainfield probably not more than 20 or 25 would go to an institution for the poor. With this reduced poor list the present appropriation would more than cover the expense of running an institution.

The highest amount paid by the city for the support of a single individual is $10 a month; for 25 persons that would be $3,000 a year. Last year the appropriation for rent, fuel and provisions was $3,197. Ten dollars a month is a large estimate for the care of 25 persons under one roof.

The Herkimer County (N. Y.) alms house is warmed by steam and lighted by gas, and with these luxuries the inmates were cared for at $6 per month for each individual.

After some further discussion the gentlemen of the Alms Committee of the Common Council asked that the C. O. A. A. make some recommendation to the Common Council which that body could act upon.

Therefore the District Committee offers to the C. O. A. A. the following:

The C. O. A. A., of Plainfield, having the deepest interest in the care of the dependent poor, and desirous of helping the Common Council of Plainfield in every way in this matter, respectfully submit the following proposition to wit:

That the Common Council provide a small farm with buildings upon it suitable for the care of the dependent poor, and make yearly appropriations to cover the running expenses of such institution.

On its part the C. O. A. A. promises to give to the institution such practical care and oversight as to guarantee:

1. That it shall be conducted upon the most economical basis.
2. That the inmates shall have all necessary care.
3. That order and discipline shall be maintained.
4. That no unworthy cases shall be admitted.
5. In the cases of those at present upon the poor list whom it would be wiser to help in their own homes the C. O. A. A. will undertake to relieve the city of responsibility as far as possible by directing them to the proper channels of private charity.
6. The C. O. A. A. suggest that the Common Council appoint a committee of three to be with a committee of three from the C. O. A. A. a joint committee to consider and further this matter.

G. K. NEWELL,
Chairman of District Committee.

L. V. F. Randolph then offered a set of resolutions, which were in substance as follows:

That the Committee's report be accepted and approved with the thanks of the Council.

That the Common Council be invited to appoint a committee of three, they to work with a committee of the same number from this Council. That the Committee from this Council consist of Col. Mason W. Tyler, Rev. G. Kennedy Newell, and H. P. Reynolds, they to seek the adoption of the plans as presented by the Committee.

After considerable discussion, in which the legality of the action was considered, the resolutions were adopted.

The meeting then adjourned.

LAST OF THE ASSEMBLIES.

Society Butterflies Enjoy Their Final Flutter Before Their Lenten Rest.

The fourth and last Assembly in the Union County Country clubhouse last night came at an opportune date when society could enjoy a final flutter in the social whirl of pleasure before retreating to the quietude and seclusion of lent—there to slumber till Easter ushers in the season of gayety again.

The affair was a brilliant one in all respects. The number of subscribers to the assemblies this year was very large. This of course gave to them a more lavish display in conducting the events than could otherwise have been, and that of last night was complete in all particulars, tending to make it a fitting finale to the series of the season.

The decorations of the Casino ball room were very pretty, and arranged with taste for artistic effect to the eye. Many of the adornments used at the Ackerman reception still remained in place, and fresh smilax and roses together with potted palms, gave to the scene an idea of tropical splendor.

On the stage a garden scene was placed and down each side the palms waved listlessly back and forth as the gentle breeze was wafted from the current of the dancers. On each side of the platform piano lamps shed forth a suffused glow through red and pink tinted shades. Along the east and west walls of the ball room the green smilax was trailing, while the canopy of the fireplace was obscured with the green verdue. From the balconies red roses were profusely displayed.

Between 9 and 10 stylish turnouts had constantly been arriving, and when the opening overture of Elliott's orchestra was sounded the ballroom was filled with beautifully gowned women and conventionally attired escorts, who animated a scene that always creates in the onlooker and participant a feeling that crowds out all but that which is pleasureable. The dancing was continued with vim until the last number was finished, when the subscribers and guests departed with the prevalent idea that the Assemblies had been all that their promoters had anticipated.

The refreshments were served in the women's reception room under the skilful direction of Thomas Toombs, steward of the Country Club.

CUSTOM SUITS ALL READY TO PUT ON

Read the List of Garments Watson & Co. are Closing Out at Exactly Half the Order Price.

As all custom patterns are now cut up and will be finished this week, gentlemen who want a perfect-fitting suit at just half the order price should make their selections without delay, as they are the last and greatest bargains that Watson & Co. will offer this season, which you can see by looking at the elegant garments now shown in all their Broad and Market Street windows. All superfine black basket, birdseye, tensil-mixed and diagonal suits that were made to order for $30 are now marked $15; while for $12 50 you can buy any of the handsome styles of cassimeres and fancy cheviots that have been $25, and at $9 and $10 can see hundreds of choice silk-mixed suits worth $18 and $20, in any cut you may desire, and have them fitted correctly to your shape, as many of these choice patterns are left only basted in their essential points and can be finished while you wait. Tell your friends it is the last chance this season to get a handsome custom suit for half the order price and have it correctly fitted without extra charge, which many fortunate buyers are securing daily.—Newark Item.

One Way to Cure the Grip.

Albert Rue of Washingtonville felt so ill last week that he forgot all about his birthday till a merry party of thirty friends invaded his home and roused him from his attack of the grip into a jolly celebration. The hours sped all too quickly, hastened by the social chat, games, dances, and feasting of the gathering; and 3 a. m. was at hand before anyone thought to look at the clock. Then Violinist Frank Titus played "Home, Sweet Home", and those who had enjoyed the event wished that Mr. Rue had two birthdays a year.

—Should the Republican party of the borough at their primary Friday evening use wise discrimination in the selection of their candidates for councilmen there is a strong probability that there will be no opposition to their ticket.

The experience of Geo. A. Apgar, of German Valley, N. J., is well worth remembering. He was troubled with chronic diarrhoea and doctored for five months and was treated by four different doctors without benefit. He then began using Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, of which one small bottle effected a complete cure. It is for sale at Reynolds's pharmacy, Park and North aves. T. S. Armstrong, manager.

HIS WIFE AGAINST HIM

Another Deed Charged to Her Convicted Husband.

Says He Killed Their Baby—The Wife of the Man Under the Shadow of Death Tells a Story Placing More Blood on His Hands—His Parents Visit Him.

Newark, N. J., Feb. 26.—Henry Kohl, the condemned murderer of Joseph Preinel, need not expect any help from his wife, concerning whom he has been saying that he hoped she would "tell the truth." She declares that she told the truth when she informed the police that her husband had acknowledged the murder to her, and she not only reiterates what she then charged, but also gives more details of the case than she has ever before indulged. She also asserts that Kohl was responsible for the death of their first child, born in December, 1892. In relating the latter incident, she said:

"One night Henry became angry at me and threatened to kill me with a revolver. He frightened me so that I fainted, and when I revived I was lying on a bed. The next morning he fired two shots from the pistol out of the window and then handed me the weapon and asked me to say nothing about what he had done."

Could Bury Her Cheaper.

Mrs. Kohl's mother, who was standing by, went and got the revolver and showed it to the reporter, and she continued her story as follows:

"As a result of the fright I had received, our firts child, a girl, was born prematurely. The doctor said that she would not live, and then went away. After he had left the house Henry said: 'Do you think I am going to let that baby live for a time and then pay $30 or $40 for her funeral? Not much. I can bury her cheaper now.' He then went down to an undertaker and told the man to come and get the child's body that night. While he was gone I had the baby put into a basket near the kitchen stove so that she might keep warm, and when he returned he was very angry. 'Do you want that baby to live?' he asked. He picked her up, carried her into the front room, which was very cold, and took off all her clothing. I heard her crying for nearly an hour, and begged him to bring her back, but he would not do so. After a while he heard Mrs. Sophie Oberle, who now lives at 31 Pierce street, but who then lived next to us on Sixteenth avenue, coming, and so he brought the baby back. Mrs. Oberle met him in the hallway, felt of the child, and said she was so cold she would die, and she did die at 2 o'clock that afternoon. I think Henry was the cause of her death."

"I Have Killed Him."

Mrs. Kohl related with more particularity than ever how she first learned that Henry killed his cousin Preinel.

"He had always told me," she said, "that Joe had plenty of money, and when Joe came to live with us Henry had a key made to fit the lock on Joe's door, so that he could go in at any time for the purpose of robbery. On the morning after the murder Henry took the key out of his pocket and said: 'I haven't any more use for this.'

"'If you have been stealing from Joe,' I remarked, 'it will all come back on us.'

"'You needn't worry,' was his reply. 'Joe is out of the way. I have killed him.'

"I asked him how he had done it, and he answered that he would tell me some other time.

"'Where is he?' I asked.

"'Oh, never mind,' said Henry. 'Let him rot where he lies.'

"He threw the key out of the window and went away. That was on Saturday, June 16, before the body had been found. On Sunday morning I read in one of the German papers an account of the finding of a body in Schinder's creek, and Henry's mother, who heard me, said: 'That is our Joe.'

"Henry the Murderer."

"'Then Henry is the murderer!' I exclaimed.

"'Be still!' said his mother. 'He is your husband and the father of your child, and Joe Preinel was nothing to you.'

"The murder was committed the day after Henry's father sailed for Germany. Well, on Monday morning, and still before the body was identified, I read in a newspaper that a strap was found around the neck of the dead man. Henry used to keep his trousers up with a strap, and I noticed that he then fastened them with a safety-pin.

"'That must be your strap, Henry,' I said.

"'Yes, it is,' he replied, and then he told me more about the murder.

"From that time on the knowledge that my husband was a murderer lay heavy on my mind, and I would have told about it sooner or later. On July 8 I went to see my mother, and Henry was angry because I stayed so long. He called me bad names, and I called him a murderer. It was then that he tried to kill me with a knife, for which he was arrested, and after he was locked up I told Captain Glori and Judge Eggers what I knew."

Kohl has expressed a wish to see his little girl before he dies, and the reporter asked his wife whether she would allow the child to go the jail and see her father.

He Killed Two.

"No," she answered, "I will not. He killed one of his children and he killed Joe Preinel, and I don't want to have anything to do with him. I do not care whether they hang him or not. I would never live with him again, anyhow."

Mrs. Kohl expects to become the mother of another child this week.

Shipment of Armor Plates.

Bethlehem, Pa., Feb. 26.—The Bethlehem Iron company yesterday shipped the last of the side armor plates for the battleship Indiana. They were eighteen inches thick and weighed nearly forty tons. The plate tested here a week ago has been shipped to the Indian Head proving grounds for a comparative test with the last Carnegie plate.

A TERRIBLE PANIC AVERTED.

Women Faint and a Man Is Carried Insensible to the Street.

Philadelphia, Feb. 26.—A terrible panic was narrowly averted at the Chestnut street opera house last night at the presentation of "The War of Wealth." At the conclusion of the third act of the play a quantity of cotton was set on fire upon the stage to represent the burning of a mill, and the column of fire that shot up from the stage and the volume of smoke that filled the house made the scene entirely too realistic to be pleasant to the spectators. To add to the uneasiness of the audience the asbestos curtain of the house was sent down upon the scene and some one in the audience shouted "fire." The nerves of the audience had already been strung up to a high pitch by the fire upon the stage and this ever terrible cry of "fire" in a crowded theatre proved too much for the spectators and a wild rush was made for the doors. Some of the cool heads in the audience, however, shouted out that the fire was a part of the performance and finally the panic-stricken throng was quieted, and the people returned to their seats and the performance proceeded. During the panic three women fainted and one man was carried in an insensible condition from the house.

"I'LL PUT SIX BULLETS IN YOU."

So Said Captain Glori to "Lanky Bob" During a Quarrel.

Cleveland, Feb. 26.—In two weeks the contract between Bob Fitzsimmons and his manager, Captain Glori, will terminate and so will all connection between the two men. Fitzsimmons and Glori have been quarreling for some time, and an episode which occurred in this city Saturday afternoon came near putting Fitzsimmons out of all kinds of business. The pugilist entered the Wilmot hotel and finding Glori seated in the office began to curse and abuse him for the non-payment of a bill.

"That bill is your personal affair and the funds of the company will not be applied to its payment," said Glori.

"I'll punch that fat face of yours right now," said Bob, and he looked as if he meant it.

"If you move towards me, I'll put six bullets through you as quick as a gun can act," declared Captain Glori, and Fitz retired. They agreed to separate at the end of two weeks.

Fitzsimmons says of Doc Paine, the champion amateur middle-weight, who sparred him three rounds at the Cleveland Athletic club: "That man is all kinds of a champion. I never had the mits on with such a clever boxer."

STAGE, ITS USE AND ABUSE.

A Minister's Sensational Sermon May Cause His Arrest.

Otseco, Mich., Feb. 26.—The members of the Ladies Library club of this village, recently gave a performance of Longfellow's "Spanish Student," some wearing the costumes which the male parts demanded. Sunday Rev. L. N. Pattison, pastor of the Methodist church, preached a sensational sermon on the "Stage, Its Use and Abuse."

He set forth a series of suppositions in which he suggested that the ladies, some of them mothers and none under twenty years of age, had been immodest in exhibiting themselves to the public. He also paid his compliments to the business men who had disguised themselves as bald-heads and sat in the front row, and claimed that the bald-head row was an adjunct of a low-down theatre.

The ladies attacked are of Otseco's best society. They are very indignant and threaten to cause the arrest of Mr. Pattison for slander.

THE WAR UPON CHINA UNJUST.

All Clamoring for Peace, "If the Terms Be Tolerable."

London, Feb. 26.—The Central News correspondent in Pekin telegraphs:

"The grand council met yesterday and the question of war or peace was put to a vote. The high provincial officials, first to third rank inclusive, were questioned by wire and telegraphed their answers. All expressed the opinion that the war was forced upon China unjustly, but they were anxious for peace; some adding: 'if the terms be tolerable.' There is great anxiety among the foreigners in Tien-Tsin, Pekin and New Chang."

Holyoke's New Dam.

Springfield, Mass., Feb. 26.—The contract for the great new dam at Holyoke, which is to be one of the largest and finest in the country, was awarded yesterday by the Water Power company to the Fruin-Baurbrick Construction company and Henry S. Hopkins of St. Louis. The terms of the contract have not been given out. It was signed by Gideon Wells and Edward S. Waters, for the company, and by Mr. Hopkins and Mr. Fruin for the contractors.

An Actor Dead.

Newark, N. J., Feb. 26.—Otto Puls, an actor of prominence in the German theatres, died in this city this morning. Death was due to bright's disease. Mr. Puls was 47 years old. Before settling here permanently he was identified with German theatricals in Milwaukee, Wis., and Omaha, Neb. He was a general favorite not only because of his geniality, but because of his talents.

Carnegie's Employes Idle.

Homestead, Pa., Feb. 26.—About 1,500 employes of the Carnegie Steel works were thrown out of employment yesterday by the closing down of a number of departments in the plant. The converting mill, the 10 inch, 23 inch, 36 inch and 40 inch mills are all idle on account of scarcity of orders. Work will resume as soon as orders are received.

Plumbers on Strike.

Fitchburg, Mass., Feb. 26.—The local plumbers' union declared a strike yesterday for an increase of pay. The plumbers have been getting $3 and want $3.50, which they claim is the pay received in all eastern cities. The strike effects all but four of the master plumbers' in the city.

His Scheme Failed.

Minneapolis, Minn., Feb. 26.—G. Ellis Tuttle, an attorney, was indicted yesterday on the charge of trying to bribe a witness in a case for damages for false imprisonment which he was prosecuting against three police officers.

CONSIDER MANY BILLS

Last Week of the Fifty-Third Congress.

Filibustering in the House To Defeat the Deficiency Appropriation Bill—Uncle Sam Wants the Blaine Property in the Capital—Evening Sessions in the Senate.

Washington, Feb. 26.— Some filibustering, in aid of the effort to defeat the provision in the general deficiency appropriation bill for an extra month's salary for all employes of the house, including clerks to members, was indulged in yesterday after the bill had been reported to the house. But the efforts was futile and by a vote of 125 to 75, a motion to re-commit the bill was defeated, and it was passed, 145 to 91. The principal item under discussion in committee of the whole was the amendment offered by Mr. Breckinridge (dem., Ky.), in charge of the bill, to appropriate $425,000 to carry out the agreement made by Secretary Gresham and Sir Julian Pauncefote, British ambassador, last August, to pay the British government for the claims on account of seizure and warnings of vessels engaged in the fur seal traffic.

The committee on appropriations, by a tie vote, refused to incorporate the item in the bill to be reported to the house. It was advocated by Messrs. Breckinridge, McCreary (dem., Ky.) and Hooker (dem., Miss.), and opposed by Messrs. Cannon (rep., Ill.); Hitt (rep., Ill.) and Henderson (rep., Ia.)

In committee of the whole the amendment was agreed to by a small majority, but in the house on a call of the yeas and nays, it was defeated, 143 to 112.

The conference report on the post-office appropriation bill, an agreement on all but one unimportant item was adopted by the house, the matter in dispute going over until to-day for action. As agreed upon the bill carries a total appropriation for the year ending June 30, 1896, of $89,545,998.

In the Senate.

The senate began yesterday the last week of the 53d congress with the consideration of the great appropriation bill to provide for the sundry civil expenses of the government for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1896. Behind it, as yet untouched by the senate, were the legislative, executive, and judicial appropriation bill, the naval appropriation bill, and the deficiency bill, while seven other appropriation bills—pensions, fortifications, diplomatic and consular, District of Columbia, postoffice and Indian—were still in the hands of conference committees. The sundry civil bill covers 138 printed pages; and when the senate took a recess till 8 p. m., it had disposed of about one-fourth of the bill, or thirty-two pages.

Mrs. Blaine's Interest.

No less than four hours' time was occupied in the discussion of the amendment reported from the committee on appropriation to acquire for the government Mrs. Blaines' interest in the Blaine property on Lafayette square, this city, paying her $150,000 for it, besides an indefinite amount for the cancellation of the lease—estimated at $50,000, but stated by the opponents of the measure at an amount equal to the purchase money. Amendments requiring "a complete and perfect title" and "a fee simple title" were voted down; and finally the committee amendment, slightly modified, was agreed to—yeas 31; nays 25. An amendment was also agreed to for the purchase of sites for public buildings at the capitals of Wyoming, North Dakota, South Dakota, Idaho, Washington—the cost of none of the buildings to exceed, including site, $120,000.

Evening Sessions.

The evening session began with less than twenty senators present; but no objection was made as to the lack of a quorum. The first amendment which led to any question was one changing the arrangement of the offices of assistants in the coast and geodetic survey. The house had made appropriation for only thirty-four assistants; but the committee amendment provides for forty-two; and the discussion was on the point whether the one or the other arrangement should prevail—the committee amendment being most vigirously pressed by the senators who spoke on the subject.

Mr. McLaurin (dem., Miss.) thought it a very strange thing—when the superintendent of the coast survey made an estimate for the appropriations necessary for his bureau, to increase that estimate, as the amendment did, by $18,000. He protested against it.

Five Hundred Imprisoned.

London, Feb. 26.—The cages collided in the shaft of the Whitwood colliery at Normantown, near Leeds, yesterday. The shaft was damaged so badly that it was quite impossible to bring up any of the 500 miners who were below at the time of the accident. Much anxiety is felt for their safety.

La Casino de Paris in Flames.

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Washington, Feb. 26.—Not since the unveiling of the Lincoln emancipation statue in 1878 has there been such a popular outpouring of colored people to pay tribute to a benefactor of their race than was witnessed yesterday in and about the Metropolitan African Methodist Episcopal church where the services over the remains of Frederick Douglass took place. The body was taken from Cedar Hill, near Anacostia, the home of the deceased, at 8:30 o'clock yesterday morning, and reached the church about 9:30. From that hour until 1:30 p. m., thousands of persons, including many white people, passed in double file through the building and viewed the remans which were in charge of a guard of honor composed of members of a colored camp of the Sons of Veterans.

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When the casket was closed at 1:30 o'clock and further admittance to the general public was refused, several thousand people were assembled about the church, and the throng was made greater by the many who were filing out after viewing the body. Delegations had in the meantime begun to arrive and were given seats on the side aisle of the church, a large structure capable of holding about 2,000 people.

The altar and reading desk were covered with floral tributes, the most prominent of which was a magnificent shield composed of roses, orchids and palms, sent by the Haytien government, through Minister Hientjens. Another tribute was from B. F. Auid, the son of Frederick Douglass' old master, who is now captain of the eastern police station in Baltimore.

With Bowed Heads.

Shortly after 2 o'clock, the funeral procession entered the church, headed by Rev. J. G. Jenifer, the pastor, reading the ritual. In the procession were Mrs. Douglass and the family of the deceased; many intimate friends, including a number of white people; Senators Sherman and Hoar, Justice Harlan, Miss Susan B. Anthony, Mrs. May Wright Sewall, president of the Womans' National council; Rev. Anna H. Shaw, Mrs. Rachel Avery Foster and a number of those in attendance on the Womans' council.

Mrs. Sewall, Miss Anthony and Mrs. Shaw were given seats on the platform. The services were simple but appropriate. The funeral sermon was preached by Rev. J. G. Jenifer, pastor of the church. He took for his text: "Know ye not that there is a prince and a great man fallen this day in Israel?"

Rev. H. E. Stevenson, pastor of the White church in Anacostia, attended by Mrs. Douglass, followed with a brief address at the request of members of the family.

He Sang a Solo.

A letter from Mrs. Douglass asking that a place be given in the programme to Mr. John Hutchinson of Boston, was read and served as an introduction to Mr. Hutchinson, white-haired, and white-bearded, the last of the famous Hutchinson family of abolition singers, who, with his sister, accompanied Mr. Douglass to England on his mission against slavery. Mr. Hutchinson told some touching little stories of his life-long friendship with the deceased, and then sang two requiem solos.

Miss Susan B. Anthony then arose, amid a stir of interest, to read a letter from Mrs. Elizabeth Cady Staton, highly eulogistic of the deceased. Miss Anthony prefaced the reading of the letter with some remarks of her own. Mrs. Stanton, she said was beloved by Frederick Douglass more than any other woman in the ranks of suffragists. On last Wednesday as she eat with Frederick Douglass on the platform of the Womans' council she had told him that he must be present at the home of Elizabeth Cady Stanton on November 12 next, to congratulate her on having rounded out four score years. "I shall be there," he said, "and I shall be ready with my words."

Her Eloquent Prayer.

The hymn "Seeking for Me," was followed with an eloquent prayer by Rev. Anna H. Shaw, and then Bishop Williams of the Colored Methodist Episcopal church, delivered the benediction. The services lasted nearly three hours.

Mrs. Douglass and the children and other relatives of her husband filed out of the church and remained in a room below until the congregation had departed. Then the remains were borne to the hearse by eight colored letter-carriers and after the family, friends and others had entered the carriages waiting for them, the funeral procession moved to the Pennsylvania railroad station where the casket was placed on board the funeral train.

Bound and Gagged the Watchman.

St. Louis, Feb. 26.—Three masked men entered the office of the Heitzberg Pork Packing company and bound and gagged Charles Herold, the night watchman in charge of the building. The safe was blown open with a heavy charge of powder and nearly $1,000 secured by the robbers. The men fled, and after releasing himself, Herold telephoned to police headquarters. So far none of the robbers has been arrested.

Horses and Cattle Burned.

Pittsburg, Feb. 26.—The extensive dairy barn, owned by R. M. Senton of Ohara township, three miles from the city line, was destroyed by fire early in the morning. Fourteen cows, four horses and other valuable property was also burned. Loss, $10,000; no insurance. Origin of fire unknown.

Bloodhounds After Them.

Corsicana, Tex., Feb. 26.—Thirteen convicts broke jail at the county farm last night. Bloodhounds were put on their trail. One of the escaped convicts was traced into this city where he took a train for the south.

OUR NEW CUP DEFENDER.

Dimensions of the New Boat Now in Course of Construction.

Bristol, R. I., Feb. 26.—The latest information from the Herreshoff works is so positive in its character as to leave no reasonable doubt as to the type, general dimensions and construction of the new cup defender.

She is an out-and-out keel boat, an improved Colonia and will be of Tobin construction—Tobin bronze plates on steel frames.

She will be 89 feet on the water line, about 24 feet beam and somthing over 17 feet draft, or four feet longer on the water line than Colonia, about the same beam and with over two feet more draft.

Her lead keel is about 30 feet long on the top, is five feet six inches in depth at the centre and tapers away gradually to a point both forward and aft. It is some two feet across at the top and is slightly bulbed at the bottom. The Colonia was about 130 feet over all. The new boat will be considerably less, by reason of the shortening of the forward overhang and the making of a stem whose contour above the water is very much like that of Valkyrie II., challenger for the cup of 1893. The after overhang is about as long as the other Herreshoff boats and the rudder is hung on the sternpost, but is somewhat wider than usual, since it only runs to the top of the lead keel, and not to the bottom.

LADIES TAKE NOTICE.

Jerseymen Wish To Fine You for Obstructing Their View.

Trenton, N. J., Feb. 26.—The house enjoyed itself for an hour over the anti-theatre high hat bill. Mr. Duncan, of Essex, who introduced the measure, read a humorous speech in its favor and Robertson of Passaic, Lower of Ocean and others also made laughter provoking remarks. The bill provided for a fine of ten dollars to be paid by women found guilty of obstructing the view of persons behind them in theatres by reason of the size of their hats. The bill was killed by a vote of 18 to 42.

The house passed the following bills: Preventing street railway companies from watering their stock; giving sheriffs in first-class counties the appointment of all court constables; authorizing Jersey City to issue $250,000 bonds for additional public school buildings; authorizing the erection of a hospital for the treatment of contagious diseases in the city of Paterson.

BELMONT-MORGAN SYNDICATE.

Gold for the Sub-Treasury—Bankers Get 60 Per Cent. of Their Bid.

New York, Feb. 26.—In the allotment of the bonds by the Morgan-Belmont syndicate the bidders for $5,000 and under and the foreign exchange houses which ship gold were awarded the full amount of their bids. Savings banks received 60 per cent. of their bids and others 10 to 20 per cent. of the amount of subscription.

The syndicate is turning over to the sub-treasury all gold received on account of subscriptions, which is charged to syndicate account on the sub-treasury and gold receipts issued therefor. The government will consequently receive a much larger amount of gold than the $65,000,000 for which the bonds are issued.

One member of the syndicate estimates that at least $80,000,000 gold will have been deposited by the syndicate before the contract with the government is completed.

FOUND A MANGLED BODY.

Flesh Torn from the Limbs by Prowling Dogs.

Chicago, Feb. 26.—Two boys yesterday discovered the mangled body of a man, apparently about 25 or 30 years old, half reclining against a tree at Ninety-fifth street and Western avenue. The body was roughly dressed and gave evidence of having been exposed to the weather for a considerable time.

The man's legs and trunk had been burned and ropes around the hands and shoulders indicated that he had been attacked and reduced to submission after a struggle. Large pieces of flesh had been torn out of his legs and the supposition is that prowling dogs had found and attacked the body before it was discovered by the boys.

There is no clue to the man's identity or to the party or parties who assaulted and murdered him.

Fell Heir to a $1,000,000.

Blissfield, Mich., Feb. 26.—Mrs. Isaac Hope, of this town, has fallen heir to nearly $1,000,00 by the death of an uncle in Africa. When 15 years of age, the uncle, William McKay, ran away from Scotland and located in the gold fields of Africa. His parents died and everybody lost track of the boy. He died some time ago, leaving an estate of $15,000,000. There are sixteen heirs living in Ohio, Michigan and Illinois among whom the estate will be divided.

In the Clutches of the Law.

New York, Feb. 26.—Four seamen who went to the captain of the schooner Kate S. Cook a fortnight ago and threatened to cause the whole crew of eleven men to desert the ship unless the captain dismissed one man who was objectionable to them, were indicted yesterday for conspiracy. They are Charles D. Perry, John Dempsey, Edward Duffy and Louis S. Conlance. Each was held in $1,000 bail by Judge Cowing in the court of general sessions.

Couldn't Stand the Shock.

Leavenworth, Kan., Feb. 26.—William Baker was instantly killed by electricity in the North Leavenworth coal mine yesterday. The voltage that passed through his body was less than 300. Baker and three others were operating a machine and accidentally came in contact with the cable. William Jenkins, the engineer, received the same shock, but soon revived.

Minneapolis' $300,000 Fire.

Minneapolis, Minn., Feb. 26.—The Crown Lithographing company and the Housekeeping Publishing company, at Seventh street and First avenue, south, was destroyed by fire yesterday. Loss $300,000; insurance very light. It was the finest plant in the northwest.

Shocks of Earthquakes.

Tacoma, Wash., Feb. 26.—Two slight shocks of earthquake were felt here and at Sumner, twelve miles distant, at 5 o'clock yesterday morning.

HAYWARD AT THE BAR

His Movements Before and After the Ging Murder.

Declares That When He and His Brother Were Arrested He Asked Adry If He Had Committed the Crime—Adry Refused To Answer. Looked on the Corpse.

Minneapolis, Minn., Feb. 26.—Harry Hayward, on trial for the murder of Miss Ging, went on the witness stand yesterday when court opened.

"Mr. Hayward," said Mr. Erwin, "if possible, I want you to take up your story just where you left off. You stated that you got back to the Ozark about 11 o'clock the night of December 3, after taking Miss Bartleson home from the theatre."

"I want to correct one statement," said the witness. "I was not at Chicago May 9, as reported in the papers.

"Well, that night I returned to the Ozark. I went into the Hennepen avenue entrance and went into the basement, and went into Blixt's room. I don't know whether Miss Blixt told me or not, but I got the impression that an accident had happened. That a horse had come back without its driver. I went out and took the elevator. I went up on the elevator to the fifth floor. Here I saw some policemen and young Mr. Goosman. I asked what the trouble was and Goosman told me an accident had occurred. I understood that it was a lady, and my curiosity was aroused. He told me that the patrol wagon had gone out and got the body of a woman. Finally he said that Miss Ging had gone out driving and had not returned with the carriage. All the things that had passed between Miss Ging and I came back to me. Two or three times before that she had asked me for my revolver and I at once came to the conclusion that it was not an accident, but that she had been killed. Mr. Goosman and I went down to the police station, where I talked with Jailor McKenna. I gave them a description of her clothing, for she had worn the shirt waist, sailor hat and blue skirt almost constantly for the past three months. I might have said, 'I told you so.' I was mad. Her secrecy had caused me to think she had been in with someone else gambling."

Adry Was Surprised.

"Did you ask if you could get in that vault?"

"Yes, that night. I did not know whether that money was still there."

"Well, when did you see Adry that night?"

"About 3 or 4 o'clock in the morning, after I had been downtown. I wanted to pass away the time. I wanted him to keep awake and talk to me. There was no revolver transaction, though and that 'picking up money' talk did not occur. I did not take up a revolver. I do not know whether I went into my room or not."

"You did not say while talking with Adry: 'It's like picking up money.'"

"No, sir; I did not." Here the witness went over minor points of the night. He read letters to the police officers and laid down to rest on the lounge in Adry's room between 4 and 5 that morning.

"Adry was surprised when I told him," continued the witness. "I lay there, kind of figuring what I would do. I knew that suspicion would point toward me and I wondered what those newspaper fellows would say. I got a newspaper in the morning and read it. Then I went to Waterman's room and said to him, 'I told you so.' I went to the office in the Oneida block that morning about 9 o'clock. I met Detective Howard and he told me they wanted to see me at the city hall."

"Now you may state what was done at the inquisition," said Mr. Erwin.

He Saw the Corpse.

"I went down there," said Harry, "with the intention of telling every detail of my relations with Miss Ging, except the gambling for her. Next day I told Mayor Eustis about that, thinking it would give him a clue to the real parties. In fact, I think I gave him a hint of my suspicions."

He then told of the sweating process conducted by Mayor Eustis and assistant county attorney, and detailed how Lawyer Bartleson interfered in his behalf.

"They took you to the morgue and showed you the body, did they not?"

"Yes, but not in an ordinary way. In a sensational manner. There was a cover over the corpse, and I was brought up and shown it. I felt pretty bad. I was right there and all these people thought I was guilty. Mayor Eustis asked me some questions, and told me to take off my hat so that he could see my face. Then they took me to the police station. I did all I could during that trouble. I went to Miss Ireland and asked her if I could do anything. I went to the florists and got some flowers for the funeral."

"After your arrest, where were you taken?"

His Troubled Mind.

"To the lock-up. The next morning I was arraigned in the police court, and from there taken to the county jail. My brother Adry was taken there at the same time. I said to him: 'What's the matter with you? We are not guilty.' He said: 'I wish I could feel as well about this as you do.' I said: 'Adry, you held this woman up once; did you do this?'"

As the witness exclaimed this in sharp tones a deep murmur arose in the court-room and then slowly died away.

"He would not answer," continued the witness, "and after that he remained silent and wouldn't talk at all."

"Did you ever say that the man who did this was in New York?"

"I believe I said in conversation once that the man who did it was probably far away in the east."

Killed by a Falling Tree.

Hotchkissville, Conn., Feb. 26.—Ashbel P. Gibson, aged 73, a farmer, was killed yesterday in the woods near his home in Woodbury, a tree falling on him pinning him to the ground. He leaves a widow and three children.

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Oswego, N. Y., Feb. 25.—Five gamblers were fined $225 each in the county court here yesterday, charged with being common gamblers.

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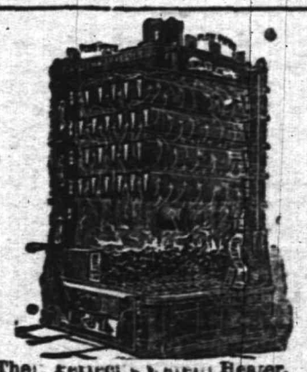

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THE WEATHER.

For Tomorrow: Fair; Colder; Northwesterly Winds, Becoming Variable.

Pitiful is the sight of a man scorned and cast out by his own political bedfellows.

The "Tea at Four o'Clock" players are not anxious to repeat their portion of the Muhlenberg entertainment, and everybody says that to read the story of the minstrels in The Daily Press was as good as seeing the show. It still remains to be seen, therefore, whether or not the benefit will be repeated after the long days of Lent are past. The regret is that the performance was not given in Music Hall, where the crowd could have been accomodated.

Seldom in years was the "license session" of the Common Council as tame an affair as that of last night. The usual large number of protests against license was reduced by the one appeal of the Ministers Association. Even the memorial adopted by the Friends and published in The Daily Press some days ago, was missing. The W. C. T. U. had expected to be on hand to reveal the maresnest that signatures to license applications were bought, but some good friend had told them that that was a matter of common knowledge, and the W. C. T. U. had therefore nothing more to say. The applications were reported correct in form, and went through with bells on. And till 11 that night there was much rejoicing at the bars of the town.

EARLY INTELLIGENCE.

—J. C. Pope & Co. have already settled the insurance on the Milliken fire.

—Electricians were engaged this morning wiring the Y. M. C. A. Building.

—The frost in the ground is 3 feet 8 inches deep—four inches below water pipes.

—Make your homes bright with the lamps that Boehm is almost giving away this week.

—"The Tornado" is a play that ought to fill Music Hall tonight with an appreciative public.

—The supply pipe from the street water main into Trinity Church, is frozen, in the roadway.

—The famous Elkwood property on West Second street is to be put up for public sale Monday.

—You will enjoy visiting Peck's store, and when your visit is completed you will depart in the happiest mood.

—The Fanwood whist team will play a postponed game in the league tournament in the Park clubhouse Friday night.

—Eggs for hatching superior stock may be obtained of Wm. J. Dougherty, New Market, as advertised in another column.

—Henry C. Kelsey, Secretary of State, today gives notice in The Press concerning the dissolution of Music Hall Association.

—All bills against the city should be in the hands of the City Clerk by Thursday night, to insure their payment at the March 4 meeting of the Council.

—The Park Club are endeavoring to arrange an all-round contest with the Union County Country Club. Whist, bowling and billiards will be in progress at once.

—A large attendance was present at the meeting of Queen City Lodge, No. 226, I. O. O. F., at which the second and third rank were worked on two candidates.

—The regular meeting of Perseverance Lodge, K. of P., will be held Friday evening. The members will meet tomorrow afternoon to attend the funeral of Max Hansen.

—The game between the Plainfield and Findaime Bowling clubs this evening on the Board of Trade alleys will be the last of the series, and therefore contested with considerable vim.

—Councilman Fisk has invited the North Plainfield Council to confer with the Plainfield Street Committee in the Mayor's office tonight, to plan for joint action to open Watchung and Madison avenues.

—Mrs. Edwin McCarthy has had delivered to her a lifelike cast of her late husband's face, the work of Emile Brizard, a French sculptor of the borough, who moulded a similar cast of A. T. Stewart.

—Locomotive 386, one of the big compounders wrecked in the recent collision in Phillipsburg, was towed through Plainfield yesterday in battered condition, on the way to the shops for reconstruction.

—The estate of the late James H. Todd, fourteen acres of land with buildings and improvements, is to be sold at auction on the premises at the homestead, opposite the station of the Central Railroad, Dunellen, Thursday, Feb. 28, at 2 p. m.

Mabel Darling Was Surprised.

A very pleasant surprise party was given to Miss Mabel Darling of Prospect avenue last night. Abour 35 young people met at the home of the Misses Giles, East Sixth street, and wended their way to the scene in a body.

Andrew G. Carpenter was with them, and to his music dancing was indulged in until early this morning. Refreshments were served near midnight. Among those present were: The Misses Cumming, the Misses Giles, the Misses Coriell of New Market, the Misses Gardner, Miss Messersmith, Miss Mabel Force, Miss Mills, Miss Moore, Nellie Miss Rockfellow, Miss Drake, Miss Adelaide Runyon, the Misses Jenkine; Messrs. Stimpson, Fuller, Rockfellow, Dietz, Hayes, Steiner, Fitch Moore, Dalton Howard, Jessup, Harry C. Runyon, Abbott and Judson Giles.

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Death of Dennis McCarthy.

Dennis T. McCarthy died Monday morning after a long illness at the residence of his son, T. A. McCarthy. The funeral will take place from the house, Thursday morning, on the arrival of the 8:20 train from Clinton avenue for Junction.

DR. AND EDITOR MORSE.

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The fact of the Editor of the Leader being a physician of the old school, encourages some people to ask why we kick quacks and quackers. We do hate charlatans the worst way; that's a fact. But—every proprietary medicine isn't a quack medicine. In some of them we believe as devoutly as we do in calomel and quinine. There, for example is Dr. David Kennedy's Favorite Remedy. It has our faith. We know its value. In the laboratory it has fully approved itself as containing just those ingredients which every physician knows the materia medica to indicate for the disorders for which the remedy is prescribed. In clinical experience its further proof has not been wanting, as we have reason to know. We have no hesitancy in saying that we would prescribe the remedy in any case where it is really indicated.

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—Butter and cheese, fresh, fine and at prices that astonish housewives and dismay rival storekeepers, are a special feature at Fulper's this week. Note the prices he quotes.

—The nominating committees of the Christian Endeavor society of the First Baptist Church will make their report Friday evening, March 8. There will be no meeting this week, as the Sunday-school teachers of the several schools will hold an important meeting Friday evening, at which time an election will take place.

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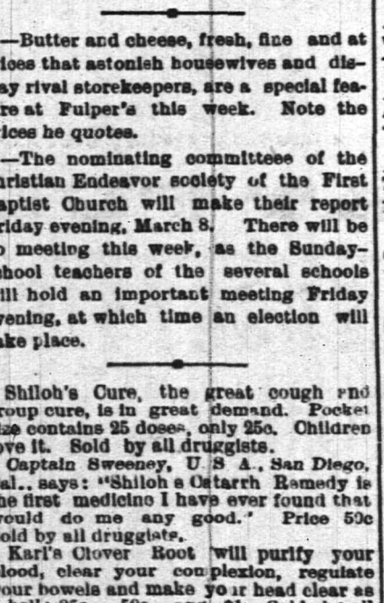

Getting Ready for Public Reports.

The North Plainfield Board of School Trustees met in annual session last night, passed the pay roll for the year, and discussed the president's and financial reports to be submitted at the forthcoming public school meeting, Tuesday, March 19. The Board adjourned to meet again in the schoolhouse next Monday night.

—A slippery piece of walk is that at the west end of the plot of ground surrounding the North Avenue station. Notwithstanding the warm weather of several days past, ice still remains there of considerable thickness, often making pedestrians perform acrobatic feats as they pass over it.

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WANTED—3 furnished or partly furnished rooms without board from March 25 to June 1. Address M. G., care Press. 2 26 2

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TO LET—8 rooms and bath, water and heat furnished; $25 per month; cor 5th st. and Watchung ave. Inquire 333 LaGrande ave. 2 26 tf

MONEY to loan. Mulford, broker. 2 1 tf

TABLE boarders wanted in private family. Apply 303 West Fourth st 2 7 tf

I HAVE 25 houses and lots and 100 building lots for sale cheap on the installment plan. Charles H. Hand, 317 Watchung ave. 2 20 5

FOR SALE—House and lot on Duer st; price $2,000; $500 down and balance on easy terms. Address Bargain, care Press. 2 25 3

BOARD wanted for a middle aged lady with a private family; house with furnance heat and conveniences; state terms, etc. Address Single, care Press. 2 25 2

BARN to let, with room for 3 or 4 horses and wagon; also heavy platform wagon. Apply 112 West 4th st. 2 25 2

FOR SALE or to let, new 7 room house on Stone st; will sell on easy terms. Apply 196 Somerset st. 2 25 3

AGENTS wanted to handle aluminum goods. Call or address G. E. Marx 700 South ave. 2 25 6

WANTED to buy, a milk route in Plainfield for cash. Address A. V., care Press. 2 25 2

FOR SALE, on easy terms, 11 room house 22 Norwood ave., with all improvements, lot 50 x 175, or will trade for smaller property. Inquire J. Voehl, 65 Somerset street. 2 23 7

TO LET—House 109 West Fourth st; rent reasonable. Apply B. R. Force 132 Park avenue. 2 23 6

YOUNG woman offers her services as companion and reader to elderly lady or invalid; if preferred, would occupy only a few hours each day. Address M. L., care Press. 2 21 tf

FLATS to let in Manning's block, West Front st. 2 20 6

STORE to let, No. 325 Watchung ave; rent $25 per month. Charles H. Hand. 2 20 5

SIX-room flat to let; city water; first floor; $10. Charles H. Hand. 2 20 5

5-ROOM flat to let from April 1; city water; in new building; rent $12 50 per month. Charles H. Hand. 2 20 5

STABLE to let, room for 3 horses and 3 wagons; $8 per month. Charles H. Hand. 2 20 5

LOST—Fox terrier pup this morning. Finder will be rewarded by returning to 126 West 4th st.

WANTED—By an English person, a situation as working housekeeper. Please address Priscilla Negus, Bound Brook. 2 19 6

7-ROOM house and stable for sale or to let; 69 Manning avenue; rent $17 per month. Charles H. Hand. 2 20 5

WANTED—House for small family; possession April 1; reasonable rent. Address, stating terms and where located, "House," care Press. 2 11 tf

YOUNG woman wants office work. Address Capable, care Press. 2 4 tf

OFFICES and flats to rent in Babcock Building. Inquire of J. A. Hubbard or W. M. Stillman. 1 30 tf

CASH buyer can get first-class upright piano at bargain. Address Starr, care Press. 2 2 tf

3 7-ROOM houses for sale or to let; E. 5th st., near Berckman; rent $15 per month. Charles H. Hand. 2 20 5

REMOVAL.

Dr. Lighthill begs leave to give notice that he has removed to

NO. 132 CRESCENT AVE.

(a few doors from his former location) where he can be consulted on all chronic diseases of whatever name and nature.

Dr. Lighthill refers with pardonable pride to the success of his practice in Plainfield and submits below a few of the many testimonials which he has received from grateful patients. A mass of similar ones can be seen at his office.

AN ALMOST MIRACULOUS CURE.

The Statement of Mr. Edward Teel, Jr., of Dunellen, N. J.

TO THE PUBLIC:

From a sense of duty I desire to call public attention to the almost miraculous cure which Dr. Lighthill effected in the case of my wife. For eleven years she had been afflicted with piles of an unusual severe and distressing character. She suffered every day of her life the most intense pain, attended with frequent and profuse hemorrhage. This state of things debilitated her entire system until she became a perfect wreck of her former self.

We made every effort to obtain a cure but they all resulted in bitter disappointment, although a number of physicians of excellent reputations for skill in that direction had treated her case. She grew worse and worse all the time, the pain became perfectly unbearable and I felt she could not bear the strain of her condition much longer. In this extremity, a friend of mine, Mr. W. E. Dilts, a resident of Roselle, N. J., a passenger conductor on the New Jersey Central told me that he had been similarly affected, and had been permanently cured by Dr. Lighthill, after other medical skill had failed. He assured me that the doctor would cure my wife, no matter how severe her case may be, and his prediction proved perfectly correct. In spite of her desperate condition, Dr. Lighthill, I am glad to say, has effected a complete and perfect cure in her case, and has given her new life.

Since the cure has been effected she has gained in health and strength and is so improved in appearance that her friends scarcely recognise her. They all consider her cure as almost miraculous, and Dr. Lighthill's praise is heard on every side. Our gratitude to Dr. Lighthill is unbounded and we only hope that other sufferers may be benefited by this publication.

EDWARD TEEL, JR.

A Flattering Testimonial from Colonel John Dietrich, One of Plainfield's Oldest and Best Known Residents.

16 ARLINGTON PLACE,
Plainfield, N. J., July 17, 1894.

I am profoundly grateful to Dr. Lighthill for his speedy and radical cure of a most painful malady of over ten years standing with which I was afflicted.

I deem it proper to say to all afflicted to place themselves under the care of this skilful physician and be permanently cured.

I will cheerfully impart any information I possess when called upon.

JOHN DIETRICH.

Mr. Thomas Callahan of No. 214 Richmond street Cured of a Very Distressing Trouble by Dr. Lighthill.

PLAINFIELD, N. J., June 1, 1894.

TO THE PUBLIC:

For some time past I have been greatly distressed with noises in the head. They were all over my head and troubled me constantly; they were loudest at night when everything was quiet and at such times would often keep me from sleep and disturb my rest. In fact they got to be so bad and distressing that they affected my whole nervous system as well as my health. I did not obtain the least relief until I placed myself under the care of Dr. Lighthill, of No. 132 Crescent avenue, who effected a complete cure in my case in a short time and made me a very happy man.

THOMAS CALLAHAN,
214 Richmond street.

A Card From Mr. T. R VanZandt,
of Nos. 304 and 306 Park ave.,
Plainfield, N. J.

I certify with pleasure that Dr. Lighthill has effectually cured me of a most painful case of piles. For some time past I had been subject to its attacks, but the last attack was so exceedingly painful that it completely upset my whole system. The pain extended to my legs and in many other directions, and made me so nervous that I could neither sleep, sit down, lie down or move about without serious discomfort and distress. Such was my condition when I applied to Dr. Lighthill for relief, and I am glad to say that as soon as he took hold of my case, I began to improve, and in a short time found myself completely cured. Dr. Lighthill has also effected a radical and permanent cure in a most terrible case of piles on my cousin, Mr. J. V. E. Grigg, of Rocky Hill, N. J., whose flattering testimonial is in Dr. Lighthill's possession.

T. R. VAN ZANDT,
304 and 306 Park avenue.

Dr. Lighthill

can be consulted daily (except Thursdays) on all CHRONIC, OBSTINATE AND COMPLICATED diseases of the human system of whatever name and nature, at his office and residence,

No. 132 Crescent Avenue.

Plainfield, N. J.

AT PECK'S

You will find 200 yards of the finest French Hair Cloth black gray and white waiting for you.

CHIMMIE FADDEN,
MAJOR MAX
and other stories as published in the New York Sun paper,
50 CENTS.
R. C. RAND,
140 West Front st.

SEBRING, CLOTHIER,
Will close the balance of $12 suits for $8.
$15 suits for $10.
$12 ulsters for $8.50.
$15 overcoats for $10.
Children's overcoats and school suits at cost.
Park Avenue, Packer's Block.

Hallet & Davis Piano Co.,
Established nearly 60 years.
We sell only high-grade instruments and at as low prices as are charged by many dealers for comparatively worthless ones. Cash or installments.
Warerooms—Babcock Building, Plainfield, N. J. H. C. HADLEY, Manager.
Tuning a Specialty.
Call and secure a copy of the Monthly Musical Guest. 1 23 tf

Commercial Palace, EDSALL'S Babcock Building,
Grocery Department.
TERMS CASH.
We will refund money on any goods that do not prove entirely satisfactory. Goods open for inspection before you purchase.
Figure up what you can save on the following sample list:

	Our new price	Old price
3 cans string beans, good quality, 6c	18c	25c
1 can A 1 chicken soup at	19c	25c
1 bottle Blue Point catsup	17c	23c
1 can Bahama pineapples, excellent	19c	30c
Oyster Bay asparagus, flat cans, first quality	19c	29c
Soda crackers, Edsall's special, per pound	5c	9c

19c Box | Holmes & Coutt's famous fancy crackers, put up in neat boxes; regular price 20 to 29c each; for this sale only, 19c per box. | 19c Box

The amount saved on the above goods, which is only a fair sample all through the department, is a big inducement to economical buyers.
"Second orders" are now coming in rapidly, which is the best proof in the world that our goods are right and give satisfaction.

Housefurnishing Dep't.
Japanned bread boxes, square, well made, regular price 39, special 27c.
12 dozen solid copper tea ketties, choice of all sizes, at 73c.
Hard wood chopping bowls, 12 inches, all perfect, worth 15, at 7c each
Oval foot tubs No. 2 size, japanned, regular price 24c, at 17c each.
Fartnen cuspidors, painted, assorted colors, worth 15c, at 7c each.
Fine china cuspidores, neat decorations worth 50c, at 39c.
It works the same way in

Dry and Fancy Goods.

At 4½cts | A good heavy 1 yard wide bleached and unbleached muslin at only 4½ cents; good value at 6 cents. | At 4½cts

At 4 cts | Good shirting calico, new spring stock, as long as they last, at only 4c. | At 4 cts

At 4 cts | 500 yards Standard Dress Ginghams, as long as they last. at only 4c. | At 4 cts

At 7½ cts | 1,500 yds new Spring Outings, as long as they last, only 7½c a yard; good value at 10 cents. | At 7½Cts

At 29c | 500 yards genuine woven wash silks, sold special in New York at 39c; for a few days only 29c. | At 29c

At 49c | Ladies' muslin gowns, skirts, corset covers and drawers, all at 49c each; reg. 75c article; quantity limited; first come, first served. | At 49c

13 CTS | A good muslin corset cover 13 cts, value 18 cents. | 13 CTS

One lot pure silk ribbons No. 5 at 4c; No. 7 at 5c; No. 9 at 6c.

CORK FILLED
During this month we will offer all of our Burt & Packard
Double Sole Cork Filled Men's
$5 Shoes for $3.98 per Pair.
Just the shoe for you to wear without rubbers up to the first of May. Sizes 5 to 11; widths B to E; styles, narrow, round and Common Sense toes.
See our window Saturday for specials.
DOANE & EDSALL.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Runyon left this morning for a month in Florida.

The Central Avenue Euchre Club meet at the home of E. C. Perkins tonight.

Arthur W. Vail of Franklin place is out again after a severe attack of the grip.

Miss Maltby of West Dunellen has been visiting Miss Chapman in Newark.

Miss Mary Luckey of East Fifth street is suffering from an attack of the grip.

Miss Bessie Barker of Montclair is stopping with Miss Wilson of Greenbrook road.

Master Charles Dresselt of Emily street is still confined to his home with rheumatism.

Dr. P. J. Zeglio will soon occupy his new home, corner of Somerset and Pearl streets.

Clifton Wharton, Jr., gave a private supper to a party of twelve in the Casino last night.

W. N. Runyon of Plainfield was a hit of the amateur minstrels in Elizabeth Saturday night.

Thomas B. Asten, who spent last Summer in Plainfield for his health, died Sunday in New York.

Charles Holstein will represent Miantonomoh Tribe at the State convention in Trenton this week.

Rev. Mr. Gibson of Plainfield preached Sunday at the dedication of the Shiloh Baptist Church, Elizabeth.

John Wendle, an employe of the United States Express Company, is suffering from a disorder of the eye.

Miss Grace Cooley was the guest of Mrs. B. A. Hegeman, Jr., while attending the Assembly last night.

John Ulrich returned to Trenton last night after a day's visit among friends in Raritan, Somerville and Plainfield.

Lowell Van Derveer of Somerville was in town yesterday calling on his friend J. Van Epe, the Park Avenue jeweler.

Frank E. Hale, at one time engaged in the carpentering business in this city, is now conducting a hotel in Irvington.

Miss Zahn returned to her home in New Brunswick yesterday after a pleasant visit with Miss Sadie Blimm on Somerset street.

Clifford McGee has gone to Orleans, N. Y., to represent the Standard Oil interests. He expects to remain there a year.

Mrs. Morgan Taylor has rented her house on Rockview Terrace to N. C. Ayers, who formerly occupied the Van-Deventer house.

Col. Williams, who has been spending several weeks enjoying the Jersey climate, returns to his home at Mount Pleasant, near Charleston, S. C., tomorrow morning.

Justice William Newcorn left on a visit to Philadelphia this morning, and on his return will attend the annual State Convention of the Degree of Pocohontas in Trenton.

Letters received from ex-Borough Street Commissioner Benjamin E. Gavin, who is wintering at Thomasville, Ga., say he is enjoying himself and that his health is improving.

All signs now point to the nomination of Benjamin Arrowsmith Hegeman as the Republican candidate for Mayor of the Borough at the primary to be held Friday evening of this week.

Rev. Jocelyn Johnstone of the Church of the Redeemer has been elected a member of the Ministers Association. He was a guest of Rev. Dr. Rodman Sunday and assisted in the evening service in Grace Church.

A pleasant time was spent at the residence of Miss Maggie Thompson of Stebbins place, last evening. About twenty-five were present, and the hours were passed with songs, games, and various other amusements.

Lawyer Charles B. VanWinkle, who for a long time has been an inmate of St. Michael's Hospital, Newark, is now at his mother's home near Mc. Bethel. His mother is the wife of ex-Freeholder Israel H. Adams, of Warren Township. Mr. VanWinkle visited his brother in the borough yesterday.

—The residence of Jacob Voehl on Somerset street is being improved by a coat of paint.

—The majority of streets about the city afford very fair wheeling for bicycle riders.

—The regular monthly meeting of the Epworth League of the Grace M. E. Church will be held at the home of John Valiant, 35 Craig place tomorrow evening.

—Rev. Father Miller of St. Joseph's Church has made arrangements for a series of sermons to be delivered every Wednesday evening during Lent by out-of-town clergymen.

Marvelous Results.

From a letter written by Rev. J. Gunderman, of Diamondale, Mich., we are permitted to make this extract: 'I have no hesitation in recommending Dr. King's New Discovery, as the results were almost marvelous in the case of my wife. While I was pastor of the Baptist Church at Rives Junction she was brought down by pneumonia succeeding la grippe. Terrible paroxysms of coughing would last hours with little interruption and it seemed as if she could not survive them. A friend recommended Dr. King's New Discovery; it was quick in its work and highly satisfactory in results. Sold by L. W. Randolph druggist. Regular size 50c and $1; our price 45c and 90c

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report

Royal Baking Powder

ABSOLUTELY PURE

A Disputed Question.

Scientists and electricians cannot agree upon the number of electric volts which are necessary to cause a cessation of life in the human body; some claim that an excessive shock is more likely to cause incineration rather than instantaneous death, but if they would turn their attention to prolonging and increasing the pleasure of life, the public would hail the result with more satisfaction. For instance, the electricity generated in a wave of laughter is after all the most pleasant shock, and to see a large assemblage moved by a current of uncontrollable mirth while witnessing the play of "She Couldn't Marry Three," places beyond dispute the fact that large volts of laughter are better than volts of electricity any day.

—The Dorcas Circle of King's Daughters had a final rehearsal last night of the "unique" entertainment to be given in the Y. M. C. A. Hall this evening for the benefit of the city poor. "The Muses" and a Japanese drill will be given. It will be a fine affair.

—At the model sociable in the Trinity Reformed Church tonight two members from each Christian Endeavor society in the county will be present to give good advice in each department of Christian Endeavor work, and there will be many enjoyable features.

On March 6 we shall begin publication of a detective story by Nym Crinkle, entitled

"EIGHT MINUTES TO THREE".

A. C. Wheeler, who uses this pseudonym, is one of the best known journalists in the United States. He has been for many years the dramatic critic of the New York World, and is today one of the most brilliant writers on the American press. It is to his inimitable sketches o New York life that the Sunday World owes a considerable part of its popularity. Mr. Wheeler has written many successful stories, of which the best known is perhaps "The Great Laran Rebellion".

"Eight Minutes of Three" is in every way a remarkable piece of fiction, and deserves to rank with some of the weird tales of Poe. It will run five days, and will be followed by a short story of New England life by Mary E. Wilkins.

This story, like all the Daily Press serials, is brand-new, and copyrighted to Daily Press use.

BARRED PLYMOUTH ROCKS pure stock. Eggs for hatching, guaranteed. $1.50 a setting (13) delivered anywhere in Plainfield. Stock can be seen on premises. Address Wm. J. Dougherty, New Market, N. J. 2 26 1m

BETTER THAN GOLD BONDS

VALUABLE

REAL ESTATE

in the business centre of Plainfield. The large building on West 2d street, known as

The Elkwood Building,

Will be sold at public auction on

Monday, March 4, 1895,

At 2 P. M., on the premises. The property is about 65 feet front by about 160 feet deep, and contains a three story brick building used for stores, public hall, flats lodge rooms and offices. This property originally cost about $43,000, and affords a grand opportunity for investment. Attend the sale.

For further particulars inquire of W. R. Codington, Attorney corner Park avenue and Second street, Plainfield, N. J. 2 26 5

STATE OF NEW JERSEY

DEPARTMENT OF STATE.

To All To Whom These Presents May Come, Greeting:

Whereas, In the judgment of the Board of Directors of The Music Hall Association of Plainfield, a corporation organized under the laws of this State, it has been "deemed advisable and most for the benefit of such corporation that the same should be dissolved before the expiration of the time limited in its certificate of organization," as appears by a duly authenticated record of the proceedings of said board of directors of such corporation held in accordance with the provisions of an act entitled "An Act concerning corporations," approved April 7, 1875, and the several supplements thereto, which said record, including the consent in writing of "two-thirds in interest of all the stockholders" of said corporation that such dissolution should take place, as by said act required having been by said corporation deposited in my office;

Now therefore, I Henry C. Kelsey, Secretary of State of the State of New Jersey, being satisfied by due proof that the requirements of "An Act concerning corporations," approved April 7, 1875, and the supplements thereto, relative to the dissolution of corporations, have been fully complied with by the said corporation, do hereby certify that The Music Hall Association of Plainfield did on the twenty-fifth of February, 1895, file in my office a duly executed and attested certificate of consent to the dissolution of said corporation by two-thirds in interest of all the stockholders thereof which said certificate of consent and the record of the proceedings aforesaid are now on file and of record in my said office, as provided by law.

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my official seal, at Trenton, this twenty-fifth day of February, A. D. eighteen hundred and ninety-five.

(L. S.)

HENRY C. KELSEY.
Secretary of State.
2 26 4

NOTICE.

The classes in whist which have been conducted by Miss Lockwood of Philadelphia, and which for the past two years have proved such a social function in this city, are about finishing their winter lessons. Miss Lockwood will give another course of lessons extending through the spring. Any information concerning terms, etc., can be obtained from Mrs. Wm. E. Lowe, 1024 Park ave.

FIRE IN BROOKLYN CITY HALL.

Brooklyn, Feb. 25—Fire this morning destroyed the tower of the Brooklyn city hall, leaving only a heap of charred timbers on the roof of the building to mark the brief course of the flames. The water which the fire engines threw upon the building completely flooded it, and caused damage roughly estimated at $25,000, besides ruining two old paintings which hung in the Common Council chamber.

A Des Moines woman who has been troubled with frequent colds, concluded to try an old remedy in a new way, and accordingly took a tablespoonful (four times the usual dose) of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy just before going to bed. The next morning she found that her cold had almost entirely disappeared. During the day she took a few doses of the remedy (one teaspoonful at a time) and at night again took a tablespoonful before going to bed, and on the following morning awoke free from all symptoms of the cold. Since then she has, on several occasions, used this remedy in like manner with the same good results, and is much elated over her discovery of so quick a way of curing a cold. For sale at Reynolds's pharmacy, Park and North aves. T. S. Armstrong, manager.

NOTICE.

As directed by a resolution of the Township Committee of the township of Fanwood, county of Union, State of New Jersey, notice is hereby given that an application has been made to the Township Committee of the township of Fanwood aforesaid, by the New York and Philadelphia Traction Company, for permission to construct, operate and maintain a street railroad, with one or more tracks and necessary turnouts, to be operated by electricity or other motive power except steam, and to erect necessary poles, conduits and wires, power plant and necessary buildings along the following routes:

Beginning in the division line between the city of Plainfield and the Township of Fanwood where Midway avenue crosses said division line and running thence in an easterly direction along Midway avenue to its connection with North avenue; thence still easterly along North avenue to the division line between the Townships of Fanwood and Westfield.

Beginning at the intersection of Mountain avenue and Forrest avenue or road, in the village of Scotch Plains, in the twp of Fanwood and running thence southeasterly along Forrest avenue or road to its intersection with North avenue; thence southerly along said North avenue to Depot street; thence to a point at or near the Fanwood station of the Central Railroad of New Jersey.

The name of the corporation making the application is the New York and Philadelphia Traction Company.

The application was filed on the 15th day of February, eighteen hundred and ninety-five and will be considered by the Township Committee of the township of Fanwood, at a meeting to be held on the 7th day of March, eighteen hundred and ninety-five, at Excelsior Hall, at Scotch Plains, in the township of Fanwood aforesaid, county of Union, at 8 o'clock in the evening.

EDWARD L. HAND
Township Clerk.
2 26 14

MUSIC HALL,

Jos. Sohl, Prop. R. C. Varian, Man.
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TONIGHT

Lincoln J. Carter's massive scenic play,

THE TORNADO.

All special scenery; wonderful effects; a great company.
Prices 25, 35, 50, 75c $1. Box office now open.

A Late Spring

Does not prevent us from displaying new and pretty designs in Spring Suitings. We are receiving new goods daily and the prices we have put on them will prove that we are the leaders of bargains. These are not CHEAP GOODS, but good goods at cheap prices.

15 pieces flannel suitings 25c.
10 " " 49c.
10 pieces plain serges 25c.
8 pieces fancy plaids 12½c.
15 " worsteds 15c.

Ladies Ready-Made Suits

A complete line of stylish spring suits in all shades. Our prices—

$5 00	$6 85	$7 50	$8 75
worth	worth	worth	worth
$ 50	$8 00	$8 75	$10 25

We will take your order for a silk dress, skirt or waist and guarantee a fit.

Waists and Skirts.

Silk waists $3 49, sold elsewhere for $4 50
Cashmere waists $1 39, " $2 25
Dress skirts $2 49, sold elsewhere for $3 65
These goods we have in all shades and sizes.

Muslin Sale.

For one week only we will sell unbleached muslin 36 in. wide for 4½c.

7c SALE IN Basement 7c

Any article on our 10c counter for 7c for one week only. On this counter you will find articles that are useful in your kitchen.

BOEHM'S,

113 WEST FRONT STREET.

5 CENTS buys at REYNOLDS'S a cake of good **Toilet Soap.** 5
perfumed and wrapped, made by the best and biggest soap house in America (whose stamp is a guarantee of excellence). We warrant this a sound, pure soap. 1 cake or 100 at 5c each.

REYNOLDS.

8 CENTS buys at REYNOLDS'S a good **Baby's Bottle** 8
with pure black rubber nipple, complete and ready for use: Bottle has a wide base, rounded corners, graduated sides.

Reynolds's Pharmacy,

Established 1868. Park and North avenues, only.

We Set the Pace

and are perfectly willing to let the other fellows tag on behind. You know that when it comes to selling good reliable goods at a clear profit there is a store in town that knows how to do it. You can go there, buy or not, do just as you please and if what you buy does not quite suit, bring it back and get something else for it, or your money if you want it. That's our way.

Just Try Us.

Special in Rugs.

	Price	Value
18x36 Jap rugs	39	75
36x72 "	$1.29	$2 25
36x72 goat rugs	$1 29	$2.00
36x72 black fur rugs	$1.69	$2.50
36x72 linen warp matting rugs	33	75

Good Things in Hosiery.

Double knee and double sole stockings for children sizes 6 to 8½, 15c.
Ladies' extra fine hose, quarter kind, 19c; men's fine half hose, fast black, 13c.

Table Linen.

66 inch bleached damask 49c, value 75c.

Dress Goods.

New ones coming in every day.
45 in imported serges 45c, value 75c.
50 in wool mixtures 37c, value 50c.
Fancy silks 39c, value 50c.
54 in Covert cloth 49c, value 98c.

Housefurnishing Dep't.

500 blue and white Jap tea pots 10c
300 granite iron tea and coffee pots 37c.
Granite iron wash basins 17c.
" tea kettles 73c.
" stew kettles 27c.
200 pair A. D. cups and saucers, very fine, 19c pair.
Gold banded china cups and saucers 10c pair

WHITE, of Plainfield.

Van's 2 Van's CORSETS.

Gee-Wiz, What?

Corsets, value 50c, going at
23 cents.
Corsets, value 75c, going at
33 cents.

HOSIERY

fast black, seamless, at
8 cents pair.

EXTRA, EXTRA, EXTRA.

A 40 gauge silk finish ladies' full regular made hose, value 40c, going at
25 cents.

Van Emburgh,

Corner Store, Babcock Building.

FLORIST.

A. E. LINCOLN, 226 Park avenue, has just received an elegant assortment of rare ferns and other plants. Also will have a fine assortment of flowering plants, azaleas, lilies, etc., for Easter. Large assortment of choice cut flowers daily. Floral design work for all occasions a specialty.

H. Eggerding,

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Manufacturer of the celebrated
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The best 5c cigar in the State, and made on the premises from the finest Havana. Clear Havana cigars a specialty. A large assortment of the choicest brands of domestic cigars. Tobacco

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MONDAY, MARCH 4.

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SEE the life-like railroad scenes,
SEE the genuine full-sized monster locomotive, constructed of steel, propelled by steam,
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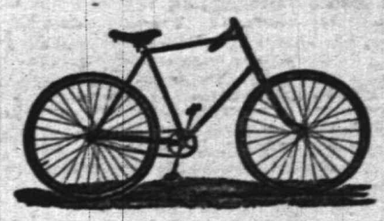

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Extra fine creamery butter 21c pound.
5 pounds for $1.00.
Fresh country roll butter 18c pound
6 pounds for $1 00.
Extra Vineland sweet potatoes 50c per basket.
2 pounds creamery cheese, extra fine, for 23c.

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LEGGETT'S TOILET SOAP,

for the toilet, bath and nursery. 15 cents a cake, 6 cakes 75 cents. Warranted absolutely pure.

The compounding of physicians' prescriptions a specialty.

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Fine China, Cut Glass, Miller Lamps, Oil Heater Stoves

Gavett's,

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VANITY FAIR FEASTING BEFORE LENTEN SECLUSION.

Evening Gowns Just Now Are in Demand, and How to Change Their Appearance So that They Be Serviceable for Consecutive Wear is the Feminine Question.

The season of parties, dances and social festivities of all sorts and degrees of magnificence is at high tide now that the restrictions of Lent are not far distant, and repentance in sackcloth and ashes must so soon replace the reigning frivolities in Vanity Fair.

Evening gowns may be simple or as elegant as money can make them, but one is quite as fashionable as the other. Tulle dresses are made with one, two or three layers fulled over a gored satin skirt, just as you fancy, or, if preferred, the front of satin may be spangled and only the back covered with tulle.

Laces are a dominant feature of all gowns, and some of the new importations are more beautiful than anything we have had before. Different kinds of lace are interwoven in the most exquisite manner, for example, Chantilly and Venetian, thread and rose point in alternate scallops of each. Some of these laces are beautifully jetted, and the very latest

novelty in lace is perfumed as well as jetted. Chantilly laces have revived their old time popularity and appear in lovely new patterns. Black and white are intermixed in one wide flounce, which may form the entire skirt of a dress.

A simple and stylish bodice can be made of soft silk fulled into the belt back and front. The neck is cut low and well off from the shoulders in the Victorian style and is edged with a bertha of lace. A band of ribbon extends from under each arm to the shoulders, where it forms a rosette.

One of two very youthful evening dresses is made of spotted muslin with a full plain skirt over one of taffeta, which may match the muslin or contrast with it. The full simple waist is cut square at the neck and edged with a frill of the material, with here and there a small bunch of flowers. A band of ribbon goes around the waist and ties in a bow on the left side, from which it falls half way down the skirt and ends in a bow.

The new crepons are so varied in design and beautiful in coloring that they baffle description. One of the latest novelties has an ecru ground which resembles canvas, with crinkled silk stripes of two or three subdued colors woven on its surface, crossing and recrossing to form a large plaid, which is all very modest in

coloring, but showy in effect. Many shades of one color are prettily blended on one surface; two colors in strong contrast are woven together, while other crepons have dots and spots of bright colored silk to further emphasize the deep crinkles.

Summer silks show the creped effect which has come to be a reigning feature of all dress goods, and are either crinkled in stripes of various widths or all over.

Among the novelties in washable goods are robe gowns of grass linen, deep ecru in color and beautifully embroidered in open work scroll and flowered designs.

Diagonal materials of both plain and mixed colors, and in great variety as to the width of the diagonal, are to be worn for spring gowns, and woollen goods, in canvas and basket effects, are to be made up in tailor dresses.

Round waists will continue in favor through the coming season, except perhaps for stout women, to whom they are not very becoming, and all sorts of beaded yokes, spangled and finished on the edge with jet cabochons, are used for their decoration.

The latest bonnets for evening and afternoon wear are, in most instances, all black, made with flat crowns or shapes of net closely spangled, and trimmed with rosettes of net mousseline de soie beaded on the edge, and gauzy wings of wired mousseline, with spangles. Where flowers are used they are made in the form of rosettes.—N. Y. Sun.

Off With An Old Love.

They broke up. She sighfully gathered a bushel of letters, dropped tears on some withered rose leaves, added a volume of "Trilby," a copy of "Oh, Promise Me," a candy box, several empty perfume bottles and a pearl ring and sent them back with the brief but expressive words: "Please do likewise." He sent her two letters, a cigar holder and a silver hat marker.—Emporia (Kan.) Gazette.

On the Honeymoon.

Persistent Bride—Will you love me just as much when I'm dead?

Groom (absently)—More, darling, more.

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CHAPTER V.

The battle (considering the romantic environment) did not amount to much. Meryon began it with two impulses, both foolish. The first was to put himself between Terah and danger—which, since they were both already surrounded by the enemy, was impossible except he formed himself into a hollow square, which is well known to be impracticable. His next idea was to swallow the hollow ruby, which would have resulted, had he accomplished it, in his being cut asunder like a bean pod, for the sake of what was inside. He put his hand to his pocket and felt the ruby there, but it had slipped through a hole and lodged in the lining. While he was frantically fishing for it, he heard Terah cry out; the memory of his dream flashed over him—but where were the black mountains and the embroidered eagle? He felt a burning, numbing sensation in his right shoulder and would have fallen over backwards but that he was sent the other way by a bang on the back of the head; after which he knew nothing.

Death is said to be a painless operation; when Meryon came to himself he was assured of continued existence by the excruciating discomfort which he suffered. He was in a small dark place

HE STAGGERED OVER IT.

—the cave in the big rock, as he rightly surmised—with a gag in his mouth, a bullet wound in his shoulder, a gash in the back of his head and a splitting headache. A raging thirst beset him, hiding from him the fact that he was also fainting with hunger. The first thing he did was to feel in his pocket. The ruby (as he expected) was gone.

In his groping, however, his hand came in contact with his canteen, which he had filled at the spring just before Terah's arrival. After a fierce struggle he succeeded in getting his gag off and took a drink—the best drink he ever had, before or after. Why had he been gagged at all? Why shut up in the rock? There were several perplexing features about this affair. Meanwhile he was not going to submit without a struggle to being buried alive. He got to his feet and dragged himself to the doorway of the cave, revealed by gleams of light coming through chinks, and found it stopped by a mass of rock. With all his remaining might he gave this rock a kick; to his astonishment it fell outward, being only a slab resting against the aperture; he staggered over it, out into dazzling daylight, and into the arms of a man in European dress, who exclaimed in some surprise: "Hullo, Fred Meryon! I might have known it would be you," in the voice of his old friend, Horace Chase, the surgeon. Meryon said: "Great Scott, Horace!" and fainted—not being an oriental.

The meeting had come about thus: The English had a "post" in the capital of our prince's ally, and hearing that a row was brewing between the two other principalities, sent a detachment out to stop it. Chase went with it to cut off arms and legs in case anyone was injured. After transactions which do not concern us, they got on the trail of a marauding party and captured them with their booty, among which was a young person dressed like a boy, but a girl underneath. She said she was a princess, and told a queer tale, in consequence of which they kept on until they came to the tall, conical rock, and were about to investigate it when it opened and out popped Meryon, as we have seen.

Among the prisoners was a fat old person whom the princess denounced as her father's chief eunuch, a fugitive from justice, and the shooter of her lover. This creature, upon interrogation, denied not only what was charged against him, but, most shrilly of all, something which was not, namely, that he had taken the hollow ruby. Further inquiry developed that he had got together his band of cutthroats ostensibly to waylay Meryon and capture the princess, who was to be held for ransom; but he himself had secret knowledge of the ruby, and designed to get that for himself. Accordingly he had shot Meryon, gagged him lest he recover and swallow the stone, and deposited the body in the rock, meaning to sneak back unobserved and hunt for the jewel at his leisure. Fate had then stepped in and laid him by the heels as narrated.

What was the hollow ruby? the Englishmen wanted to know. Terah told them; though it was news to her that Meryon had had it in his keeping. Where, then, was the hollow ruby now? Hatipha was not only searched outwardly, but fed for a day or two on a diet of castor oil and soapsuds, to no purpose. Meryon's clothes—he being still unconscious in the delirum of fever—were examined; and they even sent back and searched the cell in the rock. The ruby was not to be found. At this juncture Meryon came to himself, learned from his friend Chase what had been going on, and spake. It should be premised that the English had brought their prisoners to a city of the hostile country; and that Terah had become an object of general admiration.

"That old swine Hatipha has it, depend on it," said Meryon.

"We can cut him open. There's nothing else left to do to him," said the always low-voiced and undemonstrative Chase in a dreamy, professional tone. "But I fancy you swallowed it yourself."

"With that gag in my jaws? But I see your game. You want to incise my epigastrium and get the glory of an operation. All right. Only, mind you, if ever I get well again, I'll give you such a licking as—"

"Don't excite yourself; I won't risk it, then, for my operations always succeed! This wound of yours is enough for the present."

"Why not try the experiment of removing the bullets?" growled Meryon, testily.

"Dear boy, it just went in at one door and out at the other. Here's the aperture of exit at the back."

"I can feel it all the same. Why doesn't my princess come and nurse me?"

"Your princess?" Chase repressed a smile. "She's busy."

"What the devil do you mean?"

"Look here, my boy," said Chase, gently, "don't agitate yourself—but what *is* she, anyway? You were always a fool about girls—it's your temperament, you know; but you can hardly be quite such an imbecile as to mean anything serious with her?"

"Dr. Chase, I consider your remarks damned insulting! I want no more of 'em! I shall marry the princess and take her to New York, and whoever doesn't pay her proper respect as my wife, will regret it, do you understand!"

The surgeon was imperturbable. "You should have had her boxed up in the harem and expressed through to your New York residence, and married her as she stepped out; and afterwards keep her in the meat-safe, or some equally cool and secure retreat. For, to be frank with you, she has been carrying on here in a manner that may be natural to an oriental princess with a taste for variety long repressed and finally indulged, but which, were she my fiancee, would make a murderer and suicide of me in five minutes. Why, you great red-headed calf, if she'd been able she would have been married by this time to the entire detachment, from the drummer-boy to the captain. You can punch my head, you know, but I'm giving you cold facts. Of course I don't blame her—who would? it's the way she's made, and would be just right in a Nautch-girl—but as Mrs. Fred Meryon, of Murray Hill and Beacon street, eh? Come, man, swallow your medicine!"

"Are you giving me this straight?" inquired Meryon, after a short and pregnant silence.

"Straight and cold; and a good bit diluted, too!"

There was another silence long and meditative. "Poor little thing!" at last muttered the artist. "It's my fault. To marry her would make it worse. We don't understand these eastern women—their warm blood or their cold blood, either. But now she has found out what freedom is, it would be cruel to take her back to be shut up again. Still, what else . . ."

"We'll take her back and see if something nice can't be done for her," said Chase; "meanwhile I'll see she gets into no mischief here; and do you keep quiet and get that shoulder healed."

A week later they set out and proceeded by easy stages, carrying Meryon on a palanquin. Terah and Hatipha

THEY PROSTRATED THEMSELVES AT THE FEET OF EBAL.

were of the party, much against the will of both. But whereas Hatipha's only objection was that he would be flayed and impaled at the end of the trip, the poor little princess had to tear out of her heart some thirty or forty vigorous young flirtations. It may be stated here that during the first night's encampment this young lady disappeared, and with her a handsome young camel-driver and a camel; and there is reason to think that she has been living happily ever since.

Upon arriving at the prince's palace, they found changes.

It appeared, in the first place, that the princess, the mother of Terah, having been taken very ill of a dropsy and at the point of death, summoned the prince to a private interview at which she informed him that Terah was not his daughter, but that as compensation Ebal, who had been brought up as a slave, was in truth his lawful son and heir. Their remarkable likeness to each other was due to their both favoring their mother. The lady further explained that her infidelity and deception had been carried out in retaliation for a disappointment the prince had given her, some fifteen years before, in the matter of a box of sweetmeats. She died, with a smile of satisfaction, just as the executioner whom the prince had lost not an instant in sending for, arrived with his bowstring—too late!

But his highness was indignant, and somebody must be impaled. He sent for Terah. It was then discovered for the first time that she had eloped with Meryon, and left the slave boy Ebal—now the true prince—in her place. The latter was brought to his father, expecting instant death; but as his highness needed an heir and had no other, he was forced to spare him. He sent, however, for the father of Terah, whoever he might be.

The messenger learned that he used to be a gardener in the service of the harem, and that he had died a natural and easy death only a week before.

Here truly was a maddening state of things: four impalements missed one after another, and Hatipha and Meryon also out of reach. Some one must be slaughtered, and at once; but whom? No one who had offended the prince could be got at, and nobody who could be got at would offend him. His highness' wrath, which had been warmed up for eight and forty hours, now attained the temperature of super heated steam, and the boiler exploded. In other words, this great and worthy potentate expired of an apoplexy in the midst of his trembling courtiers, who instantly, with hosannas of joy, prostrated themselves at the feet of the astonished Ebal and proclaimed him their ruler.

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9 54 A. M. for Flemington, High Bridge branch D L & W R R, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Pottsville, Nanticoke, Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c. Through coach to Williamsport.

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CHAPTER VI.

By the time Meryon, Chase and the others arrived, the young monarch was well settled on his throne, and was showing himself a wise, skillful and merciful administrator. He welcomed the artist with heartfelt joy, and they told all their adventures to each other. Meryon was given a suite of rooms next to the prince's own, and they were

"BUT I'M NOT MARRYING JUST NOW."

always together, with Chase in the chair as moderator. The prince expressed regret at the miscarriage of the Terah affair. He had no better substitute to offer than Senuah, who was his half-sister by another mother and Terah's father—a rather obscure and roundabout relationship.

"She's a nice girl," said Meryon, "and her birth would be no obstacle; but I'm not marrying just now."

"We haven't got any airtight harems in the states yet," commented Chase; "but we may come to it later."

"I still shall hope to visit you sometime in New York," said his highness, "and see the white house and the ward politicians and the other things. Meantime, the misfortune that keeps you on this divan is my gain, for it compels you to stay with me."

"You must thank Chase," replied Meryon, with a moody grin; "he won't treat it as I advise."

"The man imagines that the bullet is still in the wound," Chase explained. "His real trouble is the block of wood in his head, which will come away only with the head itself."

"I wish I were as sure of the whereabouts of the hollow ruby as of that bullet," Meryon observed; and, having said this, he shut his eyes as if intending a nap.

In fact, he remained motionless and seemingly asleep for about twenty minutes, during which the prince and the surgeon conversed in low tones and smoked their nargilehs.

Then Meryon opened his eyes and fixed them upon Chase, with a strange expression.

"Horace," said he, in a husky voice, "something queer has happened. I've been back in that cell in the big rock, and saw myself there as I was when those fellows threw me in. I saw all I did while I was in there—and I know what became of the ruby!"

"Oh! that's it, is it?" returned Chase, slipping his fingers on his friend's pulse, and winking to the prince to humor the sick man's fancy. "We were just wondering what had become of you."

"You think I'm cracked, but the story will prove I'm not," continued the other, speaking with emphasis, but not wildly. "I lay stunned for awhile; when I came to I was delirious—and that's the reason I wasn't able till now to remember what happened. But the ruby was on my mind and the first thing I did was to hunt in my pocket for it, and there it was all safe. I tried to get it in my mouth, but for some reason I couldn't understand—it was the gag, of course—it wouldn't go in."

"Well?" said the surgeon, regarding him with mingled perplexity and interest.

"Then I thought I was standing in front of a safe in a vault," Meryon went on, "and I was being hunted by thieves who wanted to get the ruby from me. The safe wouldn't open. I felt all over it in the dark to find an opening; at last I found one—a small hole in the upper part—but, when I touched it, something sharp came through and gave me a jab so that I yelled with pain. But the thieves were close up by that time, and my only chance was to get the ruby through that hole, if I died for it. So just as they appeared, I made a desperate effort and crammed it in; and got a jab that sent me off unconscious again. The next thing I knew—however, that's no matter. The ruby is in that hole."

"What does the boy mean?" said Chase, impressed by the force and vividness with which the tale was told.

"I understand him," interposed the prince, gravely. "The stone is in his shoulder. Allah is great!"

"I wish some of your brains would get into Horace's skull," sighed Meryon, relapsing on his cushions. "If he'd followed my directions in the first place, the thing would have been cleared up and I should have been a well man by this time. I knew there was something there, and naturally supposed it was a bullet; but there's no arguing with a man who can't see farther than his nose. Get your instruments, now," he added, testily, "and have the job over. If it hadn't been for my vision I should have gone to my grave with that confounded talisman in my body and a cloud on my reputation. Let this be a lesson to you!"

It is not necessary for us to assist at a surgical operation. In ten minutes it was over. The hollow ruby, cleansed from its gory stains, was lying upon a white satin cushion, upon which it shed its glorious light. Meryon was reclining on the divan with an expression of pardonable self-satisfaction on his pallid features. Chase was looking subdued and thoughtful, and the prince said:

"Meryon, my friend, the jewel is yours. My only sorrow at its loss was that I was thus prevented from giving it to you. No less precious a keepsake would be worthy of our friendship. If it bring you no good fortune, may it at least remind you of the youth who loved you, to whom in his obscurity you were as a light of day and the warmth of the sun at noon."

This was very handsome; too much so, indeed; and Meryon would have declined the gift on the spot but from unwillingness to hurt the prince's feelings. Perhaps, however, it was not quite so valuable as the prince supposed. I saw it last year in Meryon's studio, and I must say that it seemed to me . . . . but, after all, I am not an expert in those things.

Hatipha, in another attempt to escape, fell headforemost into a water-butt and was wedged in so tightly that he drowned before they could get him out. As or Senuah—ah, yes! there is something to tell about her.

She made herself very useful and agreeable during Meryon's convalescence—a period of a month or more. But for her skillful and tender nursing he might have been bedridden twice as long. He and Chase had agreed to go home to New York together as soon as he got well. But one morning the surgeon came into his room, and, after examining him and pronouncing him fit to travel, added: "By the way, you'll have to excuse me."

"What for?"

"About going home, I mean; I shall have to stay here for the present. The fact is, I have another patient—at least—you'll have to congratulate me, old man."

"What ails you, Horace?"

"Senuah is a capital nurse, and a most charming and lovely girl. Away in front of Terah in all respects."

"Horace, you don't mean to—"

"We're to be married to-morrow. And whoever doesn't pay her proper

"HORACE, YOU DON'T MEAN TO?"

respect as my wife will regret it, do you understand!"

"If you don't regret it, my dear boy, you may be sure I shan't," replied Meryon, with a broad smile; and up to last accounts, I am happy to add, there seems to have been no cause for dissatisfaction. Yet we should not forget, in considering the incident, that it is an exception and not a precedent that confronts us.

[THE END.]

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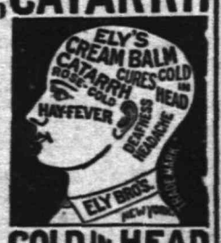

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BETWEEN SCYLLA AND CHARYBDIS

BY MRS E. LYNN LINTON

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Pretty girls with good fortunes and susceptible temperaments need careful guardianship in smart hotels where society is mixed and credentials are not always forthcoming. Harpies of both sexes abound; and more than one good bag has been made for the benefit of the fowler and the ruin of the victim—always under cover of fine manners and high-sounding names. This being so, it was a little doubtful if Mrs. Brand was the right kind of guardian for Ida Maynard. A ladylike woman who had less self-respect than complaisance, and whose capacity for belief was as large as her power of discrimination was small, had a burden of responsibility rather heavier than she could bear in the charge of a pretty young person of romantic tendencies and a handsome income. And more than one of Ida's old family friends lamented the chain of circumstances which had driven her into Mrs. Brand's nerveless hands as the sole guardianship she had. So far, however, no harm had come to the young heiress with a chaperon who never thwarted her, but also who never knew when the ice was thin or when there were rocks ahead.

The hotel was crowded, and the company was of the gayest. Butterflies sporting with one another among the flowers best expressed their general condition, and, because the place was so overflowing and the *salle-a-manger* had not space for universal segregation, the small tables usually given up to two or three were perforce tenanted by five or six. Whence resulted intimacies which were sometimes dangerous even when most delightful.

The hotel was crowded, and there was not space for segregation in the *salle-a-manger*. Owing then to this congestion the *maitre d'hotel*, with bows

THE INVISIBLE LINE OF POSSESSION.

and apologies, begged to be allowed to place three charming people at the table of the young heiress and her chaperon. They were all that he had of most *comme il faut* on his list; and he was sure that in asking this accommodation he was doing nothing that would be displeasing to madame or mademoiselle.

That evening, then, at dinner three strangers were at Ida's table, and the mental stock-taking began.

Imprimis, a tall handsome Englishman about thirty-two or three, with fine features, a good carriage, good manners if somewhat overbearing, and the unmistakable look of one who had seen service of some sort. Secondly, a soft-voiced young Italian, with the caressing eyes and soft seductive ways of his country; accompanied by, thirdly, his mother, a typical southerner, graceful, indolent, astute and fascinating. The Englishman was Gerald Frobisher; the Italian was Il Barone di Siena; his mother was la Principessa di Certosaria. They were all noticeable because of manner, dress, and general appointments; and soon this special table became the cynosure of the room, as rumor magnified the fortune of the young heiress and the social standing of her companions.

In the sweetest ointments lurks at times that intrusive fly. Through the most harmonious combination of circumstances strikes the jarring note of unpleasant friction. And this little coterie, formed by chance, was no exception to the rule. The jarring note came from the Englishman. From the first he seemed to have translated his condition as a compatriot into the privileges of a friend and the duties of a guardian. He drew an invisible line of possession round Ida and Mrs. Brand; and before they well knew that he had cast his shoe over them he was the master of the situation. He made no overt demonstration of authority, such as the world could see and comment on. He simply gave them to understand that they must not do such and such things, and that it would be better for them—indeed it was imperative—that they should follow his advice.

As his strong will coerced Mrs. Brand's weaker mind he had things on the whole pretty much his own way, which was not always Ida's. Yet somehow, willing or unwilling, she had to go as Gerald Frobisher ordained, and bit by bit she felt her liberty slipping from her without ever coming to the moment when she could make a stand and say: "I will not."

On the other hand, the young baron and his mother, the princess, were the very heart and soul of complaisance. They seemed to live simply for Ida's pleasure. They had not a wish which was not in signorina's—not a thought extra to her service. Whatever they might propose had but one object—the pleasure or convenience of la signorina, for whom, had they the power, the very elements would be ruled to render service and tribute. Always suave and amiable, they made a decided contrast with Gerald Frobisher, who was generally the very reverse of amiable, with a certain arbitrariness of manner, a certain subacidity of accent, that was less reassuring than threatening—less enticing than compelling. "The bear," the princess used to call him in her pretty Italian way—her very distaste more caressing than Gerald's praise; and—"Ah! he is your typical Englishman who does not understand love and would beat his wife or sell her for so much and so much"—as the young baron would say, with that little shudder which expresses so much, generally adding: "Per Bacco! that is not the way we Italians treat our women! We Italians know how to treat women as they should be treated—with love and gentleness and courtesy and indulgence, but, most of all, with love!"

And when he said this his velvet-brown eyes would look into Ida's with something behind and within which made that erstwhile frank and half-unconscious young woman drop hers to the floor, overpowered by she knew not what. All that she did know was—it was something pleasant, yet something that made her feel part afraid and part ashamed, and especially desirous that Gerald Frobisher should not see.

The day was glorious. A day when youthful spirits were not to be confined within the four walls of a house, nor yet between the hedges of a hotel garden. It was a day for amusements, expeditions, adventures, what not. One of the kind which holds the promise of some undeclared joy like the secret perfume lying within the closed bud of the lily; one of those when Prince Charming is on his way, and the princess is setting forth in her golden chariot to meet him—when the young feel and the old remember, and the joy of living has no flaw from either regret or despair.

"This is the right day for the old Schloss," said Gerald Frobisher at breakfast.

He spoke with the manner of command rather than suggestion—ordaining for the others according to his own ideas of fitness, without reference to their wishes.

"Just!" said Mrs. Brand, complaisant as usual.

"It would be rather jolly," said Ida, not caring to agree too enthusiastically, but secretly charmed with the idea. "What do you say, princess?" she added, turning to the Italian as if it were a foregone conclusion that those two, who were their table companions, should also be their comrades in the day's pleasures.

Gerald's keen eyes flashed impatiently; and his stern mouth hardened to a line.

"Five is an impossible number," he said, as if to himself, but everyone heard, though no one took up the challenge.

"It will be lovely," said the princess, smiling in her sweet way. Her eyes and her smile took in the whole company. "Giulio had already suggested this little journey to me. I am glad that Mr. Frobisher has fallen in with the idea so amiably."

"Pardon me, I have fallen in with no idea from the baron or anyone else," said Gerald, ill-temperedly. "I was not aware that the baron had any ideas—on the subject," he added, as a rider to the original proposition, and when he thought the sarcasm had had time to strike.

The young man laughed and showed his small, white, pointed teeth, like a row of little shark's teeth gleaming beneath his silken mustache.

"Ah! my friend!" he said, gayly. "A life spent in shooting rhinoceroses and bears is not the best school for the knowledge of mankind. We who live in cities have the advantage over you men of sport and the chase. We have humanity as our books. You study only the habits of bears and buffaloes."

"We learn a little about men, too," said Gerald, slowly. "We have to deal with slaves and thieves, cowards and adventurers of all kinds. We learn their ways pretty accurately, I assure you."

"No doubt," said the baron, retreating in good order, but adding, as his last shot: "This, however, proves my point. These slaves and cowards, etc., do not make up the general society of ordinary European drawing-rooms. Hence you must allow us stay-at-home citizens to have some advantages—and among them you must grant us the knowledge of our own world of gentlehood and the best traditions of good breeding and social diplomacy."

"What time shall we start?" said Ida, to create a diversion.

These dangerous fencings and bitter double-meanings were always going on between the two men—a duel as yet with the foils only; (but the young heiress was beginning to fear a more serious collision, as the animosity between them was daily growing more apparent and more extreme). How long it would continue restrained within the due boundaries of courtesy remained to be seen. As things were, it continually looked as if it would break loose like a flood and carry devastation and destruction into the little settlement they had formed among themselves.

Gerald looked at his watch.

"Be ready in half an hour," he said, shortly.

"That will be a little too quick for me, Mr. Frobisher," said the princess, again smiling as if the very soul of sweetness were lodged in her handsome body. If they could have read her heart and thoughts! "I am not so energetic as you English. I want a margin for deliberation."

"If your margin throws us too late we cannot go at all," said Gerald, unpleasantly.

"We must not inconvenience my mother," said the baron, with a fine air of filial duty and conventional courtesy.

"Of course not," said Ida.

Whereupon the young Italian leaned over to the pretty girl, and said: "Thank you, signorina!" with effusion, holding out his hand as one under the influence of strong emotion. Looking into the flushing face of the girl with a world of tender meaning in his eyes, he said, speaking to his mother, but still looking at Ida: "The signorina always does and says exactly the right thing at the right moment and in the right way. Is it not so, my mother?"

"Assuredly! She is a saint!" said the princess.

Gerald rose abruptly from the table.

"Very well," he said, holding his head straight and high. "I will give you a quarter's grace, princess. I will order the carriage for the half hour, when I shall expect you all to be ready."

"If our proceedings inconvenience you, my friend, I will take command of the party," said the Italian, with a manner suggestive of the heathen Chinee, it was so bland and so childlike.

Gerald disdained to reply, save by a look that was decidedly contemptuous—as contemptuous and as essentially insulting as a blow would have been. Then he strode out of the room, and worked off a little of his spleen on the unoffending hall-porter, who chanced to cross his path.

Mother and son exchanged looks.

"Our friend is not in the best of humors to-day," laughed the baron.

"Are all English gentlemen like that?" queried the princess. "And yet"—correcting herself—"how foolish to ask such a question, when I know so much better! Who, indeed, knows so well as I the charm of the English character? Was not my own dear mother an Englishwoman?"

"They are adorable," said the baron, with fervor. "Who that knows them would not love them?—for the sake of one!" he added, in a low voice, those velvety eyes looking into Ida's with the love and softness, the passion and the prayer he knew so well to throw into them—"for the sake of one, loving all!"

"Had we not better go and get ready?" said Mrs. Brand, with the fear of Gerald Frobisher before her eyes.

"Yes, let us go," said Ida, in a half-relieved, half-embarrassed kind of way.

And again mother and son exchanged glances, and the smile that just lifted the corner of each well-shaped but over-fleshy mouth meant "Good so far." "Winged if not yet bagged" would have been an Englishman's formula.

The morning had passed into the early afternoon without untoward accident of any kind—unless Gerald Frobisher's temper might be called untoward. Never remarkable for amiability, to-day it was of the vilest kind to be found. His rough life and adventurous experiences seemed to have hardened him to so much granite—granite abraded at all four corners and full of jagged edges and wounding spikes. It served, however, to bring out into greater relief the sweet courtesies and graceful plasticities of the baron, whose whole energies seemed devoted to the one desire to please and entertain the signorina, to do as she desired—to anticipate her unspoken wishes and make her feel that she was the main object of his thoughts and the—as yet undeclared—mistress of his heart and life. His gentleness, his unfailing good humor, the skill with which he parried Gerald's rougher onslaughts—but in the parrying inflaming the Englishman's anger still more, thus putting him for ever more and more in the wrong—his caressing eyes and musical voice, his subtle tenderness, all stole over Ida as some irresistible charm, some powerful spell spoken by a potent magician. For one of the few times in her young life she contemplated her wealth with a glow of pride and delight, and rejoiced that she was free, rich and the mistress of her own destiny.

All this Gerald saw and understood. And the feelings which this knowledge roused in him were akin to those with which he had defied a savage chief at the head of his tribe, stalked a rogue elephant, circumvented a man-eating tiger, fought single-handed with a cobra, or looked for whipsnakes in the grass that he might crush them before they had power to sting. In the baron he recognized his enemy, whom yet he despised; and forthwith set himself to destroy him with the same feelings if not by the same methods as those with which he had destroyed those others in the jungles and the wilds.

The object of the expedition had been accomplished. They had seen the Schloss and heard the legends; peered into the dungeons and admired the view from the battlements; eaten their luncheon spread on the trestled tables of the courtyard; talked platitudes with an air of profundity; skirted by intense feelings with an air of indifference; and done all that people in their circumstances are wont to do. And now it was time to return, Ida always between the two men who were battling together for her possession with as much fierceness, and to the same purpose, as if they had been fighting with clash of steel, not mere fire of words. Fortune hunters both of them, they were the Scylla and Charybdis of the girl's perilous voyage. Into whose hands soever she might fall she would fall to her enduring sorrow.

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A LINK AT LAST.

City and Borough to be Wedded by a Drive.

WATCHUNG AVE. OPENING REVIVED

Officials from Both Sides of the Brook Agree on Proceeding Simultaneously to Get the Thoroughfare Through, and Hustler Smalley Lends a Hand.

Chairman Charles J. Fisk of the Committee on Streets of the Plainfield Common Council is determined to have the long agitated project to open Watchung avenue from Front street to the foot of the mountain pushed rapidly to completion, and at his prompting a consultation between the Plainfield and North Plainfield authorities was held last night as announced in The Daily Press of last evening.

The session was held in the office of Mayor Gilbert, in the Coward Building, and was informal; those attending were Councilmen Ginna and Fisk of the Plainfield Committee on Streets, Councilman Valiant of the North Plainfield Committee on Streets, Street Commissioner Robert A. Meeker of the city, ex-Borough Councilman Newton B. Smalley, Town Committeeman Robert M. Fountain, and the Editor of The Daily Press by invitation.

The map and list of assessments which were left as a $2,000 legacy of the former effort to open the avenue were open for inspection and discussion. Mr. Fisk reviewed the action that had been taken, stating that the Town Committee and the City Council had acted jointly in appointing commissioners and assessing benefits and damages. They had operated under a law which had been passed to cover just such cases, and after the preliminary work had been accomplished objectors had obtained a decision in the courts setting it aside on the grounds of the unconstitutionality of the act under which they had conducted the survey.

The method of procedure left was for the two councils to agree informally on action, and then proceed independently but with thorough understanding of one another's movements.

All agreed that the opening of the avenue would be a vast improvement. Mr. Smalley, who was one of the most agressive in previous agitation of the enterprise, said he could talk a week on the matter, and not exhaust argument in favor of it. The only cause for previous defeat had been the injustice of the assessments. Too much had been put on some individuals, some had been awarded too large benefits, and not enough had been put on the township at large.

The commissioners had awarded damages of $25,423.08, and provision to raise this amount had been made by assessment on the property-holders most directly benefited in the immediate neighborhood of the improvement. Outside of this, $1,509.73 had been assessed on the town at large, for the expenses connected with the work of the commission. Plainfield had been assessed $657.37 as her share of the cost.

Mr. Smalley pointed out that the work involved in perfecting the improvement would be less today than when agitated before. Much of the proposed extension has already been opened, thereby lessening future cost, and opening up property improvements which would take a generous share of the assessment. For instance, Grand street had been opened through Watchung Park, and deeded by A. D. Thompson to the Borough, and that was really a part of the proposed Watchung avenue, and a portion of the assessments would be distributed over the various properties thus opened up in the Park. Formerly, the work of opening would have to be done clear from the brook to Johnston drive, but now the only part really unopened was from the brook to Jackson avenue. If the work of assessment were carefully done, and if the individual amounts were not excessive, and a fair proportion were assessed on the borough at large, he was sure that everything would be plain sailing and that all would push the enterprise along as a good thing.

He believed that too generous allowances had been made to some of those whose property would have to be taken to complete the improvement. For instance, Mr. Messersmith had been awarded $2,917 damages, when only three-fourths of his $2,000 lot of land was to be taken, and he was left his house, which Mr. Smalley would pay $1,500 for tomorrow gladly and move to a lot he had ready in Watchung Park. St. Joseph's Church had been awarded $1,800, when it had always been understood that she would be glad to have her land taken without recompense, for the sake of having the thoroughfare opened. The street would not touch the church building, but instead would pass directly between the church and parsonage, opening up for the church two very desirable corner lots. So with many other similar cases; he believed that by cutting the damages down to the actual selling figures of the land, and making the assessments so that no one would growl, there would be speedy accomplishment of the desires of the projectors of the improvement.

Asked if he would be willing to undertake the work of getting signers to the petition to the Borough Council, Mr. Smalley said he was glad to be identified with the matter as he felt that it would be the making of the borough. That new street meant the immediate development of one-third of the North Plainfield territory, now lying dormant. No better building land lay outdoors than the lots of that section, especially along the crest of the hill, and all that was wanted was a thoroughfare reaching it from the station. Even far-away Washington Park would be benefited by the opening, as the avenue would be used by the residents of that fashionable section in communicating between their homes and the station. It would be a wonderfully popular and handsome driveway, and would give great relief to Somerset street, now congested with traffic and made dangerous for skittish horses because of the trolley cars.

Mr. Fisk said that what was wanted was to start right and then go ahead. As a sample of enterprise and push he cited the widening of Peace street, for which Mr. Smalley expressed admiration as one of the best things Plainfield had done. Mr. Fisk told how injunctions had been all ready to serve, on the part of the obstructionists, against the city's procedure, and how the city stole a march on them by beginning the work at 2 a. m. and pushing it through in the night; and when the kickers came down to breakfast they were glad to have the work proceed, and were now among the proudest residents of the improved street.

Plainfield, said Mr. Fisk, was ready to go ahead just as soon as North Plainfield saw her way clear. He advised that Mr. Valiant consult Borough Counsel Reed, and get instruction from him as to the exact method of procedure. Then Mr. Smalley could be advised in the matter, and he could secure the necessary petition, and when that was presented to the Borough Council the work of appointing commissioners and assessing benefits and damages could proceed. Mr. Fisk said he would guarantee to have an ordinance go through the Plainfield Council simultaneously with that in the North Plainfield Council, and thus the street would be laid out on both sides of the brook at once and would meet at the brook and be ready for a bridge from the Boards of Freeholders of the two counties.

It was pointed out that the natural sequence of opening Watchung avenue would be the vacation of Warren street, and the improvement of the houses already up in that locality. On the Plainfield side the assessments for benefits from the improvement had previously been extended out Watchung avenue as far as Seventh street.

After thorough discussion of every detail of the plan, it was decided that Mr. Valiant and Mr. Smalley should proceed immediately on the line suggested by Mr. Fisk, and that an effort should be made to get the project in shape for the new Borough Council to act on it. It is hoped to get the enterprise under good headway during the Summer, so that by Fall the avenue, straight as an arrow, and 60 feet wide, will sweep in grandeur from Front street all the way to the mountain drive, uniting at the Y. M. C. A. Building with that portion already affording such a splendid drive from Front street to the Netherwood Heights.

8 MILES MORE OF TROLLEY TRACK

That's What the Plainfield Street Railway Company Plan to Build.

Councilman Fisk spent yesterday afternoon with Mr. Riker of the Plainfield Street Railway Company, going over the available routes for street railway extension. The company is anxious to begin work on the extensions, and the only trouble is to get the sufficient rights of way. It is hoped everything will be ready for action at the meeting of the Common Council next Monday night. The extensions are planned to reach Netherwood, Scotch Plains, Hillside Cemetery, the West End, and Dunellen. Altogether the company will ask for franchise for eight miles of track in addition to that already in operation. The people have only themselves to blame if these extensions are not completed this year, as the company is ready to go ahead as fast as the consents can be secured.

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A TEXT FROM THE PRESS

Rev. Dr. Lewis Gives a Plain Temperance Talk.

SHARP SARCASM ON THE SUBJECT

Interesting Comparison of the Relative Value of the Signature of John Doe (His Mark) and the Signatures of Clergymen and Christian Women.

"THE APPLICATIONS WERE REPORTED CORRECT IN FORM, AND WENT THROUGH WITH BELLS ON. AND TILL 11 THAT NIGHT THERE WAS MUCH REJOICING AT THE BARS OF THE TOWN."

TO THE EDITOR OF THE DAILY PRESS: The above quotation from your editorial note of yesterday is remarkably suggestive as to the situation of things in Plainfield. It was all right that the saloons should rejoice. Those who win rejoice in spite of themselves. Your editorial records that the protests against licenses were unusually meager. Undoubtedly. The most persistent sometimes grow a little weary of useless methods. The clergymen have come to think it a little monotonous and a trifle wearying to be politely listened to as to their protests and then hear the order given: "File the protests and go on with the voting." It is just a trifle humiliating, not to say insulting, to be told year after year that John (his x mark) Doe has an hundred fold more weight with the men who are under oath to administer the government of Plainfield as the best interests demand, than the name of J. K Newell "Secretary of the Ministers Association" has, or than the combined names of D. J. Yerkes, D. D., and W. R. Richards, D. D., "pastors" etc., would have. John (his x mark) Doe evidently represents something; something tangible; something that shows on the ledger.

It is not wholly conducive to enthusiasm on the part of Christian women to be told, year after year, that Margaret "her mark" Doe counts for more on "license night" than Mrs. Horace Kimball, "President of the Children's Home Association". Mrs. Kimball represents only the results of the liquor traffic, which form so large a factor in the demand for a Children's Home, while Margaret "her mark" represents something else, causes, not results. Margaret's "mark" is necessary to scatter the results of the saloon system promiscuously about the city, so that Mrs. Kimball and her compeers will have some use for a Children's Home. Othello is nothing when his occupation is gone.

Your editorial suggests that Christian and temperance influences have depressed the market for signatures to applications for license, so that it is "A matter of common knowledge" that the X "marks" of John and Margaret cost money. Quite likely; but since the "applications go through with bells on" nothing is lost, and the commercial power of the saloon is increased, and its hold on the throat of the city is strengthened.

If the total cost of a given license is $700, plus $25 each for the names of applicants, and possibly the cost of a burial lot signers somewhere, so that tender consciences can swear that John and Margaret are owners of "real-estate", it is easy to see that between the brewer, who holds a mortgage on the saloon, and the demands of the license system, the saloon keeper is "between the devil and the deep sea" and that business must be pushed to prevent shipwreck. And who except preachers and Christian women, does not know that the "very best interests of our fair city" are enhanced in proportion as the business of the saloons is increased?

"Rejoice?" By all means. The saloons do right. Let them rejoice. They are securely intrenched, if their fees are somewhat large. Protection always costs something. But when a saloon can vanquish a church, count by count, it is competent for the saloon to smile complaisantly, "set 'em up all around", and suggest between drinks that the "churches are not in it tonight". I wonder sometimes if it would not do well, just for a change, for the Common Council to have a session some "license night" which would call for "praise meetings" in the churches as well as the saloons. Is that asking too much for Christianity?

I hope The Press will not make it public, but judging by the past the time will come again when these clergymen and church people whose prayers are as powerless

"As a painted ship upon a painted ocean"

to move the Common Council, will be besought to rally for some phase of good citizenship or good government, especially when such a rally will help one party to put another out of power. When the saloons have done their work so well that corner lots and houses to rent are rated as they were in Sodom one morning after a big fire, the secretary of the Ministers Association, and the presidents of all the societies of Christian women, and the most efficient church officers, will be sent for by the politicians and real-estate men to help pull society out of the ashes of its own folly, and revive business and our good name.

Meanwhile, let the saloons rejoice "until 11 at night", but not any later, please, because they are in partnership with the city, and the city says "Close at 11", and the firm should not be divided against itself, when it is so well united against the churches. A. H. LEWIS

ANOTHER SECRET ORDER.

Chosen Friends Organize Under the Name of Plainfield Council.

Plainfield Council, No. 44, Order of Chosen Friends, is the title of a new fraternal and beneficial order organized in Odd Fellows Hall last evening, with 23 active members. Officers were elected and installed as follows:

Councilor—Martin R. Lantz.
Past Councilor—C. F. Gullburg.
Vice Councilor—Anna E. Brownell.
Prelate—Kate Frazee.
Marshal—C. R. Skillman.
Warden—Mary E. Stevens.
Guard—Chas. Kelderling.
Sentry—Fred R. Schmidt.
Secretary—G. T. Mullin.
Treasurer—N. R. Barnes.
Trustees—Jas. Bell, E. S. Schenck, C. N. Brownell.

The order was organized by C. F. Gullburg, and the following installing officers from Jersey City took part:

S G S—J G Reid.
P C—L Hopkins.
V C—Mrs J G Reid.
Treas—G B Ludman.
Prelate—Mrs E F Ludman

Remarks on the good of the order followed. Regular meetings are to be held twice a month.

THEY'LL GET THERE!

Plainfield Bowling Club Now Tied for First Place, and on the Climb.

The Plainfield Bowling Club are up where they belong, but the question is whether they will stay there at the pinnacle or be compelled to bite the dust, figuratively speaking, at the hands of the Bound Brookers, with whom they are now tied for first place in the Watchung league by ignominiously defeating the Finderne Club last night in the Board of Trade alleys.

If the Plainfielders put up the game on the play offs that they did last night there is reason to believe that victory will perch on their banners as the finishing leaders of the league.

The game last night was an exciting one, and the bowlers of both teams spat on their paws, wiped their throbbing brows, grated their molars and rolled with a determination to win, while the onlookers and rooters rooted with great vehemence at every good play. This of course made things interesting for both sides.

The Findernes started in at the commencement as though they were going to grab all the high scores to be grabbed, and in the first half of the game things looked a trifle favorable for the accomplishment of these intentions. Especially so every time a ball went bowling down towards the pins from the brawny arm of Terwilliger, who played a star game in the first half for Finderne, but whose score dwindled. This seemed to be the principal trouble with the Finderne's—that of exhausting their best playing at the start.

On the contrary the Plainfield boys kept up a good average all the way through, and finished up winners with 49 points to spare. Vail bowled the best game for Plainfield.

The score:

PLAINFIELD.		FINDERNE.	
VanAlystie	140	Brown	167
Barnes	133	White	159
Maltby	174	Price, J	140
Watters	141	Shaw	179
Vail	173	Terwilliger	205
VanAlystine	150	Brown	175
Pope	159	White	123
Maltby	170	Price, J	154
Watters	189	Shaw	143
Vail	185	Terwilliger	141
	1634		1585

Scorers—Saunders and Petrie. Referees—Stevens and Reynolds.

The playoff will be bowled on the Finderne alleys, their club offering a special trophy to the winners.

THE SPOUSES ENTERTAIN.

Red Men's Auxiliary Provide a Pleasant Time for Palefaces.

The dance and entertainment given by Iona Council, No. 14, Daughters of Pocohontas, in the Red Men's hall on West Front street last night, provided amusement for 250 people who attended. The floor had been crashed, and the walls gayly decorated with bright colors. From the centre chandelier hung miniature flags and Chinese lanterns, while four streamers of red, white and blue bunting were suspended from the centre to each corner of the room.

The entertainment portion of the event was commenced at 9, and continued to 10:30, during which time the following Plainfield artists rendered songs and recitations that in many cases were more meritorious than is usually found in the amateur performer, and who were greeted with applause by those present:

Piano solo, Mrs. Fred Canfield; recitation, Miss Webber; comic recitation, A. Gorton; songs, Eli Odam; songs, Dr. G. C. Bedford; recitations, Elmer Neal; song, Mrs. A. J. Stiglitz; humorous sayings, John H. Carney; song, Mrs. W. Westphal.

At 10:30 the grand march was commenced, led by David C. Allen and Mrs. George Voehl. At the intermission refreshments were served by members of the council. Mrs. George Voehl was the chairman of the committee having charge of the affair.

A. Vanderbeek is ill at his home.

LEVI HETFIELD DEAD.

Paralysis Ends a Busy and Useful Life.

VIGOROUS AT THE AGE OF 77.

He Was One of the Pioneers in Plainfield's Development, and Leaves a Record of Industry, Integrity and Success.

Death this morning at 4 removed from among Plainfield's citizens Levi Hetfield, to whom much of the present success of this city as a residence and business centre is due. There is no person in this section of the State who was better known as a business man and more respected as a citizen than Mr. Hetfield. His whole life and interests have remained in Plainfield from his boyhood days, and the sturdy habits of his character are evidenced in the many organizations and institutions which are now important factors in local life, and in forming which he took a prominent and active part. The large property interests of which he was the owner are self-sufficient in themselves to speak for his great executive ability as a business man.

Mr. Hetfield was a native of Westfield. He came to Plainfield when a young lad, and commenced to learn the trade of a carpenter, at which he soon became an adept, and by industrious and frugal customs soon launched into business for himself—that of a builder and contractor. From that time forward his life had been one of continuous prosperity.

His first business venture of any magnitude was the erection of a flour and feed mill on Madison avenue, but which a few years later was burned. This business was supplemented by a lumber and coal yard.

A large part of the fortune which he left was made from increase in value and improvement of real-estate, between Third and Fifth streets, which he purchased years ago as farm land, and which is now covered with valuable residences.

In politics he was Democrat, active in serving his party, but true and consistent in advocating its principles. For three terms he was an influential member of the Common Council. He was one of the charter members of the Dime Savings Bank, a director in the Plainfield Street Railway Co., Bound Brook Mutual Fire Insurance Company and the American Mutual Fire Insurance Company. He was an active member of the First Baptist Church. A number of years ago he retired from active business life and has since devoted his time to overseeing his large estate. His executive ability was frequently recognized by the Court of Chancery in appointing him as administrator of various estates, notably among them being the Job Male and Alfred Berry estates.

In 1838 he was married to Miss Sarah A. Hand, who died in 1868, and in 1874 he was again married—this time to Miss Maggie Freeman. He leaves four children, Walter L., John M., Mrs. Harold Serrell and Mrs. Dr. Andrew Manning, all of this city.

Mr. Hetfield's death was caused by paralysis, with which he was stricken last week after returning from Elizabeth on Wednesday, where he had over-exerted himself in the work incident to settling up the affairs of the estate of Mrs. Colt. No immediate fears were entertained at that time, but on Monday afternoon he sank into unconsciousness, which continued until death ensued this morning.

The funeral will be held Saturday afternoon at 2:30, at his late home on Madison avenue.

Praise for Congressman Dunn.

[From The Elizabeth Daily Journal.]

Congressman Dunn's Newark bay bridge bill has received President Cleveland's signature, and it is a law. But it is merely permissive; it does not, of course, provide ways and means for building a bridge between Elizabeth and Bergen Point, but it opens the way for such a bridge so far as Congress can open it. The rest must be done by the New Jersey Legislature and by the people of Union and Hudson Counties. Mr. Dunn has given his best effort to secure the passage of this bill, and he is to be congratulated upon his success.

"She Couldn't Marry Three."

This play is presented by one of the cleverest companies in existence, every one of them being especially selected for their adaptability in portraying the character they represent. The star, Miss Lillian Kennedy, is the brightest ingenu soubrette in America, and in this comedy she has a role which gives full scope to her wonderful versatility.

The experience of Geo. A. Apgar, of German Valley, N. J., is well worth remembering. He was troubled with chronic diarrhoea and doctored for five months and was treated by four different doctors without benefit. He then began using Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, of which one small bottle effected a complete cure. It is for sale at Reynolds's pharmacy, Park and North aves. T. S. Armstrong, manager.

HYMENEAL.

Bowen—Vingut.

The marriage of Miss Augusta Floyd Vingut to Herbert Wolcott Bowen, formerly a resident of Netherwood for several years, was celebrated yesterday at high noon at the residence of the bride, 46 West Thirty-fourth street, New York, the ceremony being performed by Archbishop Corrigan.

The bride, who is a daughter of Mr. Vingut, is descended on the paternal side from a distinguished Castilian family, her father being a prominent resident of Barcelona, Spain. On the maternal side she is a great-great-granddaughter of William Floyd, a signer of the Declaration of Independence and a great-granddaughter of Major David VanHorn, who was an aide de camp at Washington's inauguration. She was educated abroad and made her social bow to the fashionable set in New York about a year ago.

The groom, who is United States Consul-General at Barcelona, Spain, is a son of Henry C. Bowen, proprietor of The New York Independent, and a lineal descendant of John Eliot, a great-grand-nephew of Benjamin Franklin, and is connected with the Winthrop, Tappan, Aspinwall and many other well-known families. He is a Yale graduate and attended the Columbia Law School.

Owing to a recent death in the groom's family only the relatives witnessed the ceremony. There was no reception afterward. Miss Grace Coudert, daughter of Hon. Frederic R. Coudert, was maid of honor, and the bridemaids were Miss Dorothy VanSchaick and Miss Marie Vyse of Staten Island. The maid of honor wore pale green satin, and the maids salmon pink satin, trimmed with old point lace and spangled chiffon. They carried bunches of violets. The bride wore a frock of heavy white satin, trimmed with point lace, and a veil of the same dainty material. The groom's brother, Clarence W. Bowen, acted as best men.

Mr. and Mrs. Bowen will spend a week in Washington and after a short stay in New York will sail for Barcelona, Spain.

JUST FOR CHARITY.

The King's Daughters Impersonate Pretty Characters for the Benefit of the Unfortunate.

For sweet charity's sake the Dorcas Circle of the King's Daughters gave a delightful entertainment in the Y. M. C. A. Hall last night, consisting in the first part of a Japanese fan and parasol drill and in the second of a series of nine muses. The profits of the affair are to be devoted to relieving the city poor.

The drill was divided into three parts, each followed by a tableau. As the curtains on the stage were drawn apart six young women emerged from each side and to the slow and catchy music went through a series of fancy steps that were performed in a graceful manner. Each was attired in gowns of Japanese style—six carrying fans and six parasols, the fantastic movement of which added to the beauty of the first part. The second part was an execution of four movements representing Gossip, Coquette, Fencing and Bird figures, ending with a rendition of the "Three Little Maids" from the Mikado opera by three central figures. The finale of the drill was another series of fancy steps differing somewhat from those of the opening. The following are the young women who impersonated the characters: Misses French, Maltby, Clark, Green, Patten, Barrett, Pangborn, Langdon, Kline, Runyon, Cornwell, and Mrs. S. W. Clark. The music and figures of the drill were arranged by Mrs. A. A. Rockwell of New York.

After an intermission of ten minutes, the Muses, originated by Mrs. Welles T. Miner of New York, consisting of nine tableaux, were presented by nine young women, each portraying a different Muse. With varied colored costumes, appropriate to the poses assumed, and executed with artistic precision, this portion of the entertainment was also a pretty sight to gaze upon. The muses were followed out in this order: Melpomene, Miss Sutphen; Clio, Miss Cornwell; Urania, Miss Green; Terpsichore, Miss Swayze; Polygynia, Miss Langdon; Erato, Mrs. S. W. Clark; Euterpe, Miss Cone; Thalia, Miss Wyckoff; Calliope, Miss Pangborn. The production was under the direction of W. A. Archer and J. S. Miner of New York.

The following kindly officiated as ushers: Messrs F L C Martin, Samuel Clark, Gilmore Drayton, Harry F Johnson and H A Patten. The box office was in charge of F C Green and son.

Quarterly Conference.

The prayer meeting this evening in the Methodist Church will be addressed by Dr. Byman, the presiding elder. After the meeting the fourth quarterly conference will be held.

Mrs. Emily Thorne, who resides at Toledo, Washington, says she has never been able to procure any medicine for rheumatism that relieves the pain so quickly and effectually as Chamberlain's Pain Balm and that she has also used it for lame back with great success. For sale at Reynolds's pharmacy, Park and North aves. T. S. Armstrong, manager.

CLEVELAND CRITICISED

Senator Fithian Condemns the President's Actions.

Shall the Chief Executive Protect Each State from Invasion, or Domestic Violence? - Controversy on the Late Chicago Strike - Governor Altgeld Not an Anarchist.

Washington, Feb. 27.—Mr. Fithian in his speech before the house regarding the late Chicago strike said:

The gentleman from New York (Mr. Bartlett) who is evidently opposed to this bill on constitutional grounds, takes the position that the action of the president of the United States in the late strike was constitutional and right, in face of the very provisions of the constitution itself, which ought to teach him or any other gentleman who has given any thought to constitutional questions, that the action of the president was in direct violation of the express provision of the federal constitution. The strike in the state of Illinois was a domestic affair. It was an affair between the people of Illinois themselves. There was no invasion by any foreign power. There was no invasion from the people of any other state of the union. The president had no power, under Section 4, Article 4, of the constitution, to invade and take charge of domestic affairs of that people.

Cleveland's Power.

When the president of the United States assumed the duties of the high office which he now fills, he was also required to take an oath that he would, to the best of his ability, protect, preserve and defend the constitution of the United States. Now, can any sane man, can my distinguished friend from New York, who assumes to be a constitutional lawyer, say that in the face of the language of the constitution, that the United States shall protect each state against invasion or domestic violence, on application of the legislature, or of the executive when the legislature cannot be convened, the president has power to step in and assume control by regulating such affairs, when there is nothing of domestic violence? Why, sir, this question was settled in 1794 in the Pennsylvania riots, growing out of the passage of the excise laws.

He Did Not Inquire.

Let me call your attention, gentleman, to the fact that at the time the federal troops were ordered into the state of Illinois, neither the sheriff of Cook county, who is a republican, nor the mayor of the city of Chicago, had ever applied to the governor of Illinois to send them any aid whatever in executing the law. Neither did the president of the United States before he ordered troops into the state of Illinois, inquire of the sheriff or of the mayor whether he was able to enforce the law or not. Neither did he inquire of the governor whether he was willing to enforce the law or whether he could enforce the law.

Now, gentlemen, what else did they do? Immediately following the issuing of the order to send federal troops into the state of Illinois, the administration appointed a gentleman by the name of Walker, a corporation lawyer and a republican, to act as counsel for the United States in all question growing out of this riot, to represent a democratic administration in this affair, contrary to and in violation of the constitution, and ignoring the local and state authorities.

Altgeld Not an Anarchist.

Now, Mr. Chairman, whatever these gentlemen may say about the governor of the state of Illinois, I want to say to them that they cannot put down the constitution. They cannot put down the precedents that have been established in this country since 1794, by President Washington, simply by raising the cry of anarchy. The governor of the state of Illinois is no more an anarchist than any gentleman that fills a seat in this house. He stands as much for law and order as does the president of the United States; and he has kept the peace and maintained law and order in the state of Illinois, and will continue to do so as long as he is governor of the state.

"I Am Harry Brown, of Michigan."

Buffalo, Feb. 27.—Tuesday evening a young man about 30 years old registered at the New Carleton hotel and was assigned to a room. Last evening his body was found on the floor and on a table near by was a note reading: "For God's sake don't bury me in potters field, I am Harry Brown of Grand Rapids, Mich. An empty bottle that had contained laudanum was thrown on the floor beside the bed. Undertaker McShane took charge of the body.

Cannot Find the Bodies.

Thompson, Conn., Feb. 27.—The search for the bodies of the Storweski woman and her child has been abandoned. The entire territory within a radius of five miles of the farmhouse where the bloody hatchet was found has been gone over without result. The matter is now in the hands of State Attorney Hunter of Willimantic, and what he proposes to do with the case will probably develop next Tuesday, when the superior court comes in.

Parents Angry.

Middletown, Conn., Feb. 27.—It was stated yesterday that formal charges will be made against Supt. Ferguson, of the high school, by parents of the pupils who were alleged to have been whipped by the superintendent last week. The members of the school board will not discuss the matter.

Nicholson Temperance Bills Passed.

Indianapolis, Feb. 27.—The legislature yesterday passed the Nicholson temperance bill by a vote of 75 to 20. During the debate Andrew Jackson apoligized for his charge that there was a barrel of whiskey in the state house cellar being used to bribe members to oppose the bill.

They Fought for Points.

Cincinnati, Feb. 27.—"Kid" Hogan and Australian Billy Murphy fought ten rounds for scientific points in this city last night. Hogan was given the decision after one of the best fights seen here this winter.

THE CITY MUST PAY.

Burning of Brooklyn's City Hall—It Was Not Insured.

Brooklyn, N. Y., Feb. 27.—Early yesterday morning, Brooklyn's citizens were alarmed by the cry of fire. The city hall was in flames. Keeper Dunne promptly sent in an alarm, and immediately gave his attention to his sick wife, and notified other members of his family to hurry out of the apparently doomed building. Firemen were soon on the spot, their efforts being directed on the cupola, but it was dry wood and their labor was in vain. Only a few minutes more and the great bell fell with a crash through the roof. Here it broke in two, one half going through to the floor below. The damage to the building, apart from the roof and tower is mainly from water. The question of loss cannot as yet be fully estimated, but it will be about $100,000. There is no insurance on the building and the city will have to pay the damage. The fire originated in a waste paper closet, through the carelessness of some person, who used it. The remains of the great bell were carried away by relic hunters.

A RIOTOUS PARTY.

Filled with Liquor, They Smash Things Generally.

Kingston, N. Y., Feb. 27.—Early yesterday morning Andrew Ostrich, an Austrian, who keeps a store at Rosendale, near this city, wished to close his shop and retire for the night. There was a crowd of six men in the store at the time, all of whom were under the influence of liquor and very noisy. When Ostrich ordered the men to leave they became very angry and smashed things generally. The proprietor ordered them to desist and upon their refusal he procured his revolver and fired seven times into the crowd. Wright Wood was shot in the left side and will die; Matthew Burns was shot in the leg, and a bullet passed through the coat sleeve of another member of the riotous party. Immediately after the shooting Ostrich surrendered himself to the village authorities and was locked up in the county jail.

KILRAIN TO MEET O'DONNELL.

Boston and New England People Curious To See Steve Perform.

Boston, Feb. 27.—A dispatch from Jake Kilrain states that he has accepted Steve O'Donnell as his opponent in place of Peter Maher at the Suffolk A. C., March 18. They are to box eight rounds with a decision. The club declared the Maher-Kilrain contest off on account of the "fake" between Maher and Hall. When this became known Manager Brady telegraphed that O'Donnell would fill Maher's place at a weeks' notice. There was some question whether Kilrain would agree to the change, but he has done so. Local sports are of the opinion that Kilrain and O'Donnell will make a better fight than the pair originally agreed upon. There is a great curiosity in this city and New England to see O'Donnell perform.

CELESTIAL WEDS A JEWESS.

Married in Joe Lee's Laundry to Obscure Curious Spectators.

Atlanta, Ga., Feb. 27.—Joe Lee, a Chinaman, and Ella Moses, a pretty young Jewess, were married here yesterday. The ceremony was performed by Judge Bloodworth. The groom wanted the ceremony performed in open court but the bride objected because of the crowd of curious spectators. So they substituted the groom's laundry for the temple of justice and the ceremony was duly performed. None of the brides family would attend and no Chinamen were present. Joe Lee states that since he lost his cue, two weeks ago, his fellow countrymen have cut him. Lee and his bride have been sweethearts for a long time but it was only recently that she consented to marry him.

Good-bye General Booth.

New York, Feb. 27.—A farewell reception was tendered General William Booth, leader of the Salvation Army, by the staff and soldiers of the New York division of the army last night at Carnegie hall. James Talcott, was chosen as chairman, and Commander Ballington Booth, on behalf of the staff and troops of America, read a farewell address to the general. The general since leaving England has covered 18,453 miles, and addressed about 437,500 people. General Booth replied to the address in a long speech. He reviewed the work of the Salvation army from its foundation down to the present time.

An Impostor Escapes Punishment.

Middletown, Conn., Feb. 27.—An impostor claiming to be Berty A. Davis, representing the Eagle Publishing company of Albany and an Odd Fellow, attempted to get H. M. Thayer, a prominent member in this city to cash a check for $10, for him last night. Thayer was suspicious and refused. The police arrested Davis, who had also another check for $50, both being drawn by the Eagle Publishing company. After an examination he was released, as Thayer refused to prosecute.

France Retaliates.

London, Feb. 27.—A dispatch to the United Press from Paris says that it is understood that the United States embassy to France will lodge a protest against the decree submitted to the French cabinet by M. Gadaud, the minister of agriculture, and adopted, prohibiting the importation into France of American cattle on account of the prevalence of Texas fever and pleuro-pneumonia.

Robbed an Insurance Company.

Chatham, Ont., Feb. 27.—Thomas McBride, agent of the Metropolitan Life Insurance company of New York, on trial here on the charge of defrauding his company, has been found guilty, and Charles Davis, also employed by the same company has been arrested on the same charge.

Why Was He There?

Dallas, Tex., Feb. 27.—Aaron Bracken of Jacksonville, Ill., was given poison in a disorderly house here last night and died this morning. Robbery was the object. He was on his way to visit a brother in Ellis county, Texas. No arrests have been made.

Shirt Factory Burned.

Albany, Feb. 27.—Samuel N. Munson's shirt and collar factory occupying half a block and adjoining the Albany Press club burned last night.

FRIGHTFUL EXPLOSION

A Brooklyn Factory Shattered Mysteriously.

One Person Killed and Several Fatally Injured, While Fifty Others Were Shocked or Bruised—Italians Engaged in Excavating May Have Struck Concealed Chemicals.

Brooklyn, N. Y., Feb. 27.—A terrific explosion which resulted in the death of one person, wrecked several houses, shattered glass for several blocks and injured at least fifty people, some of them fatally, occurred just before 5 o'clock last evening in the unoccupied factory building at 27, 29 and 31 Johnson avenue, this city, formerly used as a dye works and owned by Mr. Levy, of Nassau street, New York.

Near the factory is a vacant lot. Half a dozen Italian laborers, employed by Contractor John Auer, were engaged at the time excavating for the foundation of a stable.

Heartrending Cries.

Suddenly there was a terrific report which seemed to shake the earth and lifted the roof from the factory building.

In some miraculous way the laborers escaped injury. As soon as the cloud of dust had cleared away, the cries and shouts of the residents of the vicinity told the story that several had been injured.

A fire alarm was rung out and the police of the Sixth precinct were soon upon the scene.

In Death's Embrace.

It was found that two children, who were playing in the vicinity, were the most seriously injured. They were John Fluhr, 6 years, of 38 Montrose avenue, whose skull was fractured by the flying debris, and Peter Wenz, 4 years old, of the same address, who had his skull fractured, his left leg and forearm broken, with several contusions of the body.

These were taken to the St. Catharine's hospital, where the Fluhr boy died. The other lies in a critical condition with but little chance of recovery.

Explosion a Mystery.

The others injured were John Schoen, 14 years old, of 35 Johnson avenue, cut about face, and Annie Weiss, 30 years, of the same address, severe laceration of the scalp. These were attended by an ambulance surgeon at their home and not removed. The other injured and shocked persons went to their homes and their names were not learned.

The residence of Jacob Schoen, a two-story structure at 35 Johnson avenue, was the most badly damaged.

The origin of the explosion is a mystery. The building had been vacant since April.

WEAVERS' STRIKE SETTLED.

To Hold a Mass Meeting To Form a Union.

Clinton, Mass., Feb. 27.—Most of the weavers at the Lancaster Gingham mills who went out on strike yesterday morning and who voted last evening to return to work were at their looms as usual this morning. About 200 looms are now running.

A mass-meeting of the weavers will be held Saturday evening when a weavers' union will be formed.

Everything is quiet about the mills and the business men of the town are breathing more easily.

Butter and Cheese Men's Convention.

Rockford, Ill., Feb. 27.—The third annual convention of the National Butter and Cheese makers opened yesterday and will continue three days. The morning was devoted to the reception of reports of dairy interests from all over the country. The formal programme was opened in Central hall late in the afternoon. The exhibit of machinery is in the armory of Companies H and K, national guard, and is large and varied. Secretary Burridge says the meeting will be the best in the history of the association.

Their Difficulties Settled.

New London, Conn., Feb. 27.—The announcement is made that an agreement has been made between granite cutters and bosses at Niantic, Millstone and Waterford, whereby differences as to wages have been amicably settled for a year to come. A scale has been agreed upon by which a reduction of 3 per cent. is made in wages. It is calculated that the men can average 29½ cents per hour. The agreement only affects the workmen at the quarries named.

Factories Burned.

Warren, Pa., Feb. 27.—Yesterday fire completely destroyed Hood, Gale & Co.'s veneering works, two of Warren's ham Table works, two of Warren's leading manufactories. They furnished employment for 150 hands. The total loss will be over $100,000, with $75,000 insurance, and they will probably be rebuilt.

Great Loss of Saw Logs.

Huntington, W. Va., Feb. 27.—The "boom" in the Guyandotte river let go last evening, caused by an immense gorge of ice breaking away three miles up that stream. About 40,000 saw logs and a large number of cross-ties were swept away into the Ohio river, and the loss will reach into the thousands.

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Judge William Henry DeWitt is one of the most prominent lawyers and judges in East Tennessee. He is a leading member of the Southern Methodist Church in Chattanooga. In legal business and social circles he stands high, and his statements, says the Chattanooga Press, are regarded of special weight because of his venerable character, he being now 67 years old.

He has held several prominent position in a legislative and judicial capacity having served as a member of the Southern Congress at Richmond during the war, and since that time as judge of the Chancery Court, one of the highest offices in judicial practice next to the Supreme Court.

He was admitted to the bar in 1850. In 1855 he was elected to the State Legislature, but declined a re-election.

After his removal to East Tennessee he was appointed special chancelor by Gov. Taylor, and filled the office for two years. He has successfully practiced before the Supreme Court of the United States for years.

In recent years, owing to the heavy work he has performed, he has been subject to nervousness, and his attention has been called at various times, both by friends and physicians, to the need of fortifying himself against physical collapse. His attention was called to Paine's celery compound as a vitalizing force. He sought and obtained this valuable aid, and to friends he recommended the use of the remedy for shatted nerves.

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ELBE'S INVESTIGATION

Testimony Taken Before the Coroner's Jury.

The Pilot of the Elbe Said That He Showed a Warning Light—He Burned Paper on the Boat in Order To Attract Attention of the Colliding Vessel—Batteries Frozen.

London, Feb. 27.—In the coroner's inquest yesterday in the Elbe collision, which cost nearly 400 lives, both the captain and the chief engineer of the Crathie deposed that their vessel's telegraph was frozen at the time of the collision. Orders were given to the lookout man, who shouted them to the engine room.

The engineer admitted that he had not looked to see whether the telegraph was all right when the vessel sailed from Rotterdam.

Capt. Gordon testified that when the wreckage was cleared away from the Crathie's bows the ship was turned around to go after the Elbe. This was about three-quarters of an hour after the collision, but the Elbe had steamed away.

Sixteen Miles an Hour.

The English pilot, Mr. Greenham, said that he burned paper in the boat in order to attract the attention of the colliding vessel, and expressed belief that if the Crathie had kept a good lookout it would have been possible for them to have seen it burning.

He said that the speed of the Elbe at the time of the collision was sixteen miles an hour, and she would consequently go some distance before she ran her way off after her engines were stopped. The steamer he had seen stopped at the time of the collision, but until after daybreak it was impossible for those on board to see a lifeboat without a light.

He also testified that after the crash he saw attempts made to close the watertight doors of the Elbe. When he got to the deck he saw that the Elbe had lost her port rockets, but her blue lights burned and her siren was blowing.

No Confusion.

Captain von Goessel was on the bridge until the last. The captain ordered the boats got out, but the ropes were frozen and had to be chopped away. The orders given by the captain were obeyed and there was no confusion. When Greenham got into the boat he saw a green light and a white stern light, which he believed to be the lights of the colliding vessel. These lights disappeared to the southward.

Miss Boecker, the only woman saved, was called to the witness stand, and confirmed her previous statements. She was unable to say whether the Elbe's engines had stopped when she went on deck.

No Verdict Reached.

It was decided to limit the inquiry to events occurring subsequent to the collision. No investigations will be made into the cause of the disaster in view of the proceedings in that direction which are pending in Rotterdam.

On the conclusion of yesterday's testimony, the coroner intimated that the inquest would be adjourned until March 26.

The solicitor for the captain of the Crathie objected to this proposal, and asked that the jury render a verdict. It would be cruel, he said, to let the matter hang fire over the captain's head for a month.

The coroner opposed the rendering of a verdict at the present time, and the inquest was adjourned.

Killed in an Explosion.

Philadelphia, Feb. 27.—By the explosion of a cylinder charged with carbonic acid gas in the drug laboratory of Smith, Kline & French company yesterday, Frank Robinson, aged 21 years, of Camden, N. J., was killed outright and Frank Duffy, aged 33 years, of this city, was fatally injured. The men were engaged in manufacturing acid at the time of the accident. The cause of the explosion is not known.

General Carr's Funeral.

Troy, N. Y., Feb. 27.—Secretary of War Lamont has, through Adjutant-General Ruggles, directed Major Isaac Arnold, commander of Watervliet arsenal to have the war department represented at the funeral of Major-General Joseph B. Carr, which will take place to-day in this city. Major Arnold will himself attend accompanied by Captains Hobbs and Blount and Lieutenant Pierce.

American Girl in London.

London, Feb. 27.—The marriage of Miss Annabel Winslow, daughter of Mr. George Scott Winslow, of Boston, Mass., and Mr. J. J. Cairns, of Stanneer, Drogheda, Ireland, took place at St. Mark's church yesterday. There were three hundred wedding presents, among them being gifts from the Duke and Duchess of Manchester, the Countesses of Fingall and Huntingdon.

How They Do It in Maine.

Belfast, Me., Feb. 27.—Constable McGee, of Unity, tried for corruption in office by inducing tramps to come within his town by which he obtained large fees for their arrest was yesterday held in $500 to the supreme court. Other constables similarly implicated are under arrest. These criminal procedures are novel in Maine and create much interest.

They Have the Grip.

London, Feb. 27.—Lord Rosebery, who has been suffering from influenza, is improving. His insomnia has lessened. The Hon. A. J. Balfour, the conservative leader, who has also been a victim of the influenza, is better and is able to leave his room.

They Know Him Not.

San Francisco, Feb. 27.—Joseph Dale, who registered from Port Huron, Mich., Feb. 15, at the American Exchange hotel, committed suicide with poison in his room last night. Nothing is known here about him.

Made Her Supervisor.

Boston, Feb. 27.—The school last evening elected Miss Sarah Lernod, for seven years past superintendent of the primary department of the Minneapolis public schools, as a supervisor of the Boston schools.

FLOWERS FOR HIS ANNA.

Comment on the Approaching Matrimonial Event.

Newark, N. J., Feb. 27.—It is said that everything in the world that is worth a thought, becomes food for controversy sooner or later. No better illustration of this can be given than the approaching marriage of Miss Anna Gould to Count de Castellane, a French young nobleman, with a comparatively empty title, but not an empty head, as can be seen by his persistency to win not alone Miss Gould's heart, but her millions, not alone her millions, but, demands that she renounce her Christian faith for the belief of the pope. This must be very displeasing to Miss Helen Gould, who still has the love of the American people, who devotes her time and money to the interest of the poor, but who would not renounce her Christian religion for a hollow mockery. It is but natural, that in sight of this great matrimonial event, with all its grandeur and brilliancy, with all its pompt and show, that we can see two pictures of human life. As the great dailies reach the homes of the people who have made the Gould millions, what do they say?

But, "its none of the publics' business." The people live in squalid dens where there can be no health, no hope, nothing but discontent in their own lot, and futile discontent at the wealth which they see possessed by others. Every one in this great American nation seem to like the name of "royalty" with its titles and for weeks the people have thought the Count de Castellane "an awful amusing chapple," but, no one ever associated the idea with work. Count Castellane has nothing much to do, his hardest work for many days has been carrying the box of flowers to his Anna, and the leader at a cotillion, after which he handles a very active knife and fork.

American girls no longer desire to marry American husbands, but crave for royal empty heads and titles, to reside in European palaces, where they can bask in the atmosphere of royalty and squander the plunder they collected from the American dupes; who will deny that they long for a monarchy here, of which they will be the nobles? But, "we are all born equal," and what are we going to do about it?

SKIPPED FOR PARTS UNKNOWN.

Thirty Employes Want Three Weeks Back Pay.

Rochester, N. Y., Feb. 27.—Benjamin Cohen, a manufacturing tailor, after borrowing all the money possible and mortgaging everything in his shop has skipped to parts unknown, leaving his thirty employes three weeks behind in wages and other bills said to amount to $5,000. John Steurmer who owns the shop became suspicious on Saturday and in the evening called at Cohen's home for rent money. Cohen met him at the door with tears in his eyes and said his poor wife was awful sick. At this Mrs. Cohen, who was in another room began groaning loudly and the landlord left without pressing his claim. All day Sunday Cohen and his wife were busy packing their goods and in the morning nothing could be found of them. A search is being made at Syracuse where Cohen's father resides.

Nabbed by the Police.

Chicago, Feb. 27.—The police authorities yesterday received information from Council Bluffs, Ia., to look out for a valise consigned to Mark Davis, a South Water street saloon-keeper and supposed to contain $500 worth of postage stamps, part of the proceeds of the robbery of the First National bank of Griswold county, Ia. Detectives went with the express messenger, and after the delivery of the valise to Davis, they arrested the latter and his bartender, John Whimartin. On opening the valise $600 worth of stamps were found.

France Sends War Ships.

Washington, Feb. 27.—It is stated that the presence of three French ships of war in the harbors of San Domingo has been made the subject of diplomatic representations on the part of the United States at the request of the Dominican government. France has long had claims against San Domingo which seemed incapable of settlement by ordinary diplomatic methods, and three vessels have been assembled in the vicinity as an incentive to speedy action.

Cannot Keep Out of Jail.

Saratoga, N. Y., Feb. 27.—Judge Houghton, in the court of sessions yesterday, sentenced Burtis Wells, the young desperado and horse thief on two indictments, to an aggregate of thirteen years in Dannemora prison. Wells has served prior sentences in that prison and at the Albany penitentiary. He escaped from the latter place last July, came home and stole a horse which he drove to Bridgeport, Conn., where he was recaptured.

Before England's Queen.

London, Feb. 27.—The Japanese minister will present his credentials at Windsor this afternoon. He will be introduced to the queen by the Earl of Kimberly, foreign secretary. Lord Kimberly next week will accompany to Windsor the Chinese minister, who will take handsome presents to the queen from the ex-empress of China in return for those sent by her majesty on the occasion of the ex-empress' birthday.

With His Bride to China.

Evansville, Ind., Feb. 27.—Charles Denby, jr., secretary of legation for the United States at Pekin, China, has arrived here and will be married March 19 to Miss Martha Orr, daughter of James L. Orr, who is the wealthiest man in this city. Mr. Denby will return to China with his bride immediately after his marriage.

He Was Unemployed.

Buffalo, Feb. 27.—Randolph Hagenbush, a cabinet maker, living with his wife at 100 Puener avenue, committed suicide yesterday by hanging. He left a letter in which he stated that he could not find work because he was too old. His wife says he had been acting strangely for several days and thinks he was demented.

Extradition Warrant Granted.

Albany, Feb. 27.—Captain Martin Short of the Brooklyn police obtained from Governor Morton yesterday a warrant of extradition for John Bohemann, under arrest in Hoboken for the murder of the two boys in the Williamsburgh hotel.

LABOR IS REPRESENTED

Board of Arbitration To Be Appointed by Congress.

The Board To Consist of Three Men Who Will Decide All Trouble Between Railroads Engaged in Interstate Commerce and Their Employes—Doings in the Senate.

Washington, Feb. 27.—Labor had its innings in the house yesterday with the result that an arbitration bill, recommended by the leaders of all of the railway labor organizations in the country, by Carroll D. Wright, the commissioner of labor; and drawn in part by Attorney-General Olney, was sent to the senate for its action. The bill was reported from the committee on labor by Mr. Erdman (dem., Pa.) who explained its provision in a brief statement to the house and answered questions that were put to him by various members with regard to its practical operations.

Must Be Incorporated.

The bill provides for the appointment of a board of arbitration of three persons to decide all controversies between common carriers engaged in inter-state commerce and their employes, which cannot be adjusted by mutual arrangement, and makes the award of the board enforceable in the United States courts, acting as courts of equity. It was stated by Mr. Erdman that in order to make the award effective, the various labor organizations interested had agreed to become incorporated concerns, and as such subject to liability for damages for failure to carry out the terms of the award. The bill was advocated by Mr. Hepburn (rep., Ia.) and various members of the committee on labor, and was opposed by Mr. Bartlett (dem., N. Y.) and Mr. Vanvoorhis (rep., N. Y.) The opposition, however, was ineffective, and after being slightly amended in committee of the whole, the bill was reported to the house with favorable recommendation and passed without a division. The bill was also passed authorizing the bureau of labor to issue bi-monthly bulletins, in editions of 10,000 each, upon subjects investigated by the bureau.

In the Senate.

The progress made by the senate yesterday in connection with the sundry civil appropriation bill was not very appreciable, as only two of the amendments reported from the committee on appropriations were disposed of. These were, to be sure, of the kind that were sure to be disputed. The first of them was on the subject of the protection of public lands from timber depredations.

The house had appropriated $90,000 for that purpose; the appropriations committee had recommended a reduction to $60,000; and Mr. Berry (dem., Ark.) had proposed an amendment to make the figure $120,000. The discussion of that question occupied nearly two hours, and the question was finally decided in favor of the committee—39 to 25.

Filibustering Continues.

The next amendment occupied practically the rest of the day's session and was decided only at the moment of taking a recess. This was the proposition to pay to the sugar producers of the United States the full bounty up to August, 1894, when the new tariff bill went into effect—those who had not yet received it—$258,289, and eight-tenths of a cent per pound bounty on all sugars above 80 per cent. polariscope test, produced up to June 30, 1895. Various side issues were raised, a proposition by Mr. McLaurin (dem., Miss.), who was opposed to the bounty, to pay it, if paid at all, in silver coin; one by Mr. Wolcott (rep., Col.) to purchase four millions ounces of silver per month for eight months and to coin it from time to time; one by Mr. Mitchell (rep., Ore.) to pay a bounty of five cents a pound on wool grown in the United States; and one by Mr. Hoar (rep., Mass.) to make an exception against the sugar cane producers of Louisiana on the ground that their senators, by voting for the tariff act of 1894, rejected and repudiated the sugar bounty. All these side issues were either ruled out as not in order, or were voted down.

Bank Burglar Captured.

Council Bluffs, Ia., Feb. 27.—Deputy Sheriff O'Brien, who was shot by the Griswold bank burglars, is very low and slight hopes are entertained of his recovery. The authorities have identified Smith, the wounded robber captured. He is Cad Maguire, of Omaha. Riley, the robber who shot O'Brien and then escaped, is the son of O'Connor, of Omaha, his right name being Charley O'Connor. The authorities are hot on O'Connor's trail and expect to capture him before many days.

A Terrible Accident.

Chillicothe, O., Feb. 27.—News has just reached here that the saw mill of Jacob Woltz, near South Ferry, was blown up and Woltz and his son William and a man named Curtis, were killed or fatally wounded. Curtis had his bowels blown out and Jacob's head was nearly severed from his body. William was found forty feet from the mill, with an arm and a leg missing. The engine was found 126 yards away, standing on end. The boiler was blown seventy-five yards.

Did He Kill Her?

Pottsville, Pa., Feb. 27.—Edmund Welch was yesterday brought to the county jail from Mahony Plains charged with the murder of his wife at that place on Saturday night last. The couple had been drinking during the evening. Welch denies all knowledge of the manner in which his wife met her death and claims to have found her dead body at the foot of the stairs when he arose Sunday morning.

His Body Found.

London, Ont., Feb. 27.—The body of Robert Huson, terribly mangled, was found on the Canadian Pacific railway tracks last night. He belonged to Jarvis and was to have been married next month. Suspicions of foul play are entertained.

Bond Against the Saloon.

Indianapolis, Feb. 27.—The Nicholson bill which deals a terrific blow to the saloons of Indiana, passed the legislature yesterday by a vote of 75 to 20.

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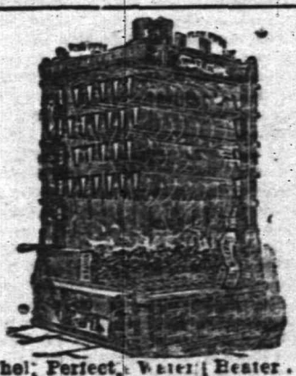

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"Between Scylla and Charybdis", a good story like all of The Press copyrighted serials, is concluded on Page 8 of this issue.

A new serial, a pioneer sketch by Hamlin Garland, will be published in The Daily Press tomorrow and Friday, under the title "The Wapsypinicon Tiger". It is a bit of thrilling realism, cleverly told. It will be succeeded by "The Thirteenth Column", a splendid story by Barry Pain.

The time to agitate for no-license is before as well as after election. Those who elect a Republican Council with the full knowledge that it is a license Council have no right to lash that Council for voting for license. If the people of Plainfield want their representatives to stand on a certain platform they must establish that platform at the primaries and convention, and bind their nominees to it. Plainfield has tried the experiment of running "dry" on this side of the brook while all is mellow on the other, and when the Plainfield people are really anxious to have the local bars closed they'll vote that way again.

Another gross injustice was done to the Plainfield Common Council by the discarded Republican organ last night. In two parts of the paper it was stated that the Council had unceremoniously filed the anti-license protest of the W. C. T. U., and editorially the Council was chastised by the self-appointed dictator for not heeding the Union's appeal.

Being a newspaper, and Plainfield's truest newspaper, The Daily Press told last night that the Union's communication was never presented to the Council. As a fact, no member of the Council received a copy of the petition, nor did the City Clerk receive it. None of them had any knowledge of the document till they read it in the papers last night. Yet it suits the ex-city-clerk to censure the Council for not considering a letter it never received. It is not a new departure in his system of personal abuse.

FEAR AS A CAUSE OF DEATH.

The Imagination a Potent Factor In Acquiring a Fatal Disease.

"Of the whole number of persons supposed to die of disease," said a prominent physician the other day, "I should say that at least 50 per cent are really carried away by fear. Were it not for this element mortality would be far less than it is."

In support of his statement he cited various cases where the element of fear had entered largely in as a potent factor to persuade people that their time had come. Presentiments, prophecies, premonitions and general nervousness all played their part. Some years ago four criminals, condemned in Russia to die, were taken to a house and shown several beds, in which, they were told, a number of cholera patients had died. In fact, the beds were new, never having been slept in. The criminals were informed that they would be set at liberty if they would undergo the ordeal of sleeping several nights in the beds. From the prisoners' point of view it was a possible though desperate chance of escape. They one and all decided to take the chances. At the end of the time prescribed two were uninjured and went free, but the others developed all the symptoms and died of Asiatic cholera.

Two physicians determined to take advantage of the impressionable mind of a female patient and prove a theory for the benefit of science. The lady had complained of an itching on her back. She was told that a blister would be applied. Instead a common postage stamp was applied, and, so runs the chronicle, performed all the offices of the plaster which was not there.

A college professor was once the subject of a practical joke at the hands of the students. They met him one after another, and each successively inquired after his health, saying that he looked ill. He took to his bed, a physician was called, and for days the professor imagined he was ill.—New York World.

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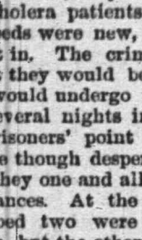

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IMMORALITY IN PLAINFIELD

REV. DR. LEWIS SAYS IT'S GETTING WORSE.

Police Officials Say Different—Interesting Information at the Meeting of the Plainfield Branch Alliance.

At the regular monthly meeting of the Plainfield Branch Alliance in All Souls Church yesterday afternoon the discussion of the "Criminal Classes" developed interesting facts in connection with the morality of Plainfield.

The meeting was called to order by Mrs. Edwin W. Conklin, vice president.

H. P. Reynolds opened the discussion with a paper on "The criminal classes; what are they and how should they be dealt". Mr. Reynolds spoke substantially as follows:

One subject there is on which most people are quite willing to confess ignorance and that is the life within prison walls—the world of the outcast and convict. Yet the modern spirit of inquiry is penetrating these barriers. A study of our modern attempts to deal with the law breakers which should enumerate the various methods in use and the experiments tried would occupy much time, but of these methods, two, at least, possess great usefulness and greater promise. First, as to the reformatory idea: Is it not strange with the reformatory principle imbedded in every great religious system that it should have been left to this century to try the reformatory experiment? We see reformatory schools increasing in our own country, while reformatory methods are being introduded into every grade of penal institutions in Engalnd. In accord with universal experience youth is the period when reform is most possible. Hence commitments to reformatories have largely been restricted below the age of 18. Faith in the possibility of reform is taking wider scope in the founding of such great establishments as those at Elmira, N. Y., Concord, Mass., and Huntington, Penn. Mr. Brockway's big school at Elmira has been turned inside down; its fame is literally "World" wide, but what has it proved. Barring some exceptions it has proved that even such appaling products of civilization as the American tough can be made a man of, and not a bad sort of a man. Many young men have gone there born and bred to emnity with society; their only school the slums only trade theft, only amusement drunkeness. They have come forth reading and writing, sober and healthy.

Reformed, you ask? Out of every 100 of these graduates, 80 and odd are never again committed for criminal offenses, while a somewhat less proportion are known to become self-supporting and respectable. Idleness, i. e., lack of a habit of industry is the source of more criminality than drink—plus ignorance. Of existing reformatories no two are alike in methods, although all rest upon a common basis. For example, we find at Elmira that Father Stick has played an important part. At Concord corporal punishment is unknown.

Some 25 miles southeasterly from Plainfield at Jamesburg is located the New Jersey State Reform School for Juvenile Delinquents. Here the boys are trained in some practical trade or occupation; worked upon the farm and instructed in the usual English branches. Moral and religious training are prominent features. The trustees have power to grant absolute discharge of such boys as merit freedom. In cases of those whose reformation is incomplete after three years of confinement the trustees may grant a parole to continue in force during the period of minority or good behavior. While paroled the boy may be apprenticed or allowed to return to his own home on his own recognizance, always subject to rearrest for misconduct. Thus he is aroused to a sense of responsibility and manliness. All reformatory work involves a trial of the inderminate sentence and of probation and parole laws.

A few conclusions are now generally accepted with regard to penal law. First, that fear of punishment does not greatly serve to prevent crime; second, society for its own protection must put the criminal under restraint for his own good, and the good of society, and every effort should be made for his reformation.

There is great need for a prison on the lines of the Massachusetts or Elmira reformatory in New Jersey. Six years ago a commission of five capable gentlemen was appointed by Gov. Abbett to investigate and report on the advisability of establishing a reformatory prison. This commission in April, 1890, presented a report that was strong, concise and practical. The commission took occasion to indicate an appropriate location for the new prison of interest to us as dwellers of Union County—at Rahway. If the prison was wanted then the want has grown with every year. But we have not the beginning of a reformatory system. More than anything else is this the hope and aim of the S. C. A. A., nor will the Association cease its labors till this aim is attained.

A paper on "Is Drunkenness Prevalent?" was read by Mrs. T. H. Tomlinson, which answered the question in the affirmative.

G. E. Marx, secretary of the Boys Club, talked on the treatment of juvenile offenders. "Is Crime on the Increase," was discussed by Miss Erskine, who said that she had talked with Chief Grant and Judge Coddington, both of whom told her that they had encountered less vice in the past two years than ever before.

An informal discussion followed, during which Dr. Lewis made the interesting announcement that immorality had been constantly increasing in the last five years in Plainfield, the prevalence of which was not due to the lack of vigilance of officials, but to the mother and housewife who displayed in many cases great indifference as to the associations their children and servants kept.

My neighbor's jackass made more noise
Than all the hens in my back lot,
The jackass' bray was nothing worth,
But each day found eggs in my pot.
To tell the town of his new store
My neighbor scattered posters wide,
I used The Press—a page or more;
My store was filled; my neighbor—died.

O. W. O. Hardman, sheriff of Tyler Co., W. Va., appreciates a good thing and does not hesitate to say so. He was almost prostrated with a cold when he procured a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. He says: "It gave me prompt relief. I find it to be an invaluable remedy for coughs and colds." For sale at Reynolds's pharmacy, Park and North aves. T. S. Armstrong, manager.

Personal Pleasantries in Congress.

(From The New York Sun.)

Mr. Bartlett (Dem., N. Y.) got the floor for a personal statement regarding a remark made by Mr. Dunn (Dem., N. J.) in the discussion of the Arbitration bill, to the effect that if the constituents of the gentleman from New York (Mr. Bartlett) knew his sentiments they would kick him into the gutter. With a full knowledge of his sentiments and of his services in this Congress, said Mr. Bartlett, his constituents re-elected him to the Fifty-fourth Congress. With the same knowledge of his sentiments and services, said Mr. Bartlett, the gentleman's constituents had kicked him into the gutter, or into oblivion.

Choral Society.

A special rehearsal for sopranos and altos will be held tomorrow afternoon at 3:45. A full attendance is requested.

Shiloh's cure is sold on a guarantee. It cures incipient consumption; it is the best cough cure, only 1c a dose; 25, 50c, $1. Sold by all druggists.

Karl's Clover Root, the great blood purifier, gives freshness and clearness to the complexion and cures constipation; 25c 50c, $1. Sold by all druggists.

Mrs. T. S. Hawkins, Chattanooga, Tenn., says: "Shiloh's Vitalizer saved my life; I consider it the best remedy for a debilitated system I ever used. For dyspepsia, liver or kidney trouble it excels; 75c. Sold by all druggists.

DEATHS.

BROUWER—In this city Feb. 26, 1895, Sarah A., widow of the late Samuel Brouwer, in her 78th year.
Funeral services from her late residence near Samptown, Friday, March 1, at 3 p. m. 2

HETFIELD—In this city Friday, Feb. 27, 1895, Levi P. Hetfield, aged 77 years, 4 months and 28 days.
Funeral services from his late residence, 322 Madison avenue, Saturday, March 2, at 2:30 p. m. 3

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LOANS NEGOTIATED. J. T. Vail, broker. 2 21 tf

MONEY to loan. Mulford, broker. 2 1 tf

WANTED—3 furnished or partly furnished rooms without board from March 25 to June 1. Address M. G., care Press. 2 26 2

AGENTS make $5 daily; marvelous invention; retails 25c; 2 to 6 sold in a house; sample mailed free. Forshee & McMakin, Cincinnati, O. 1 2 y-w

WANTED—Store and 3 rooms for upholsterer and furniture repairing business; state rent and where located. Address 185 Grove st., up stairs. 2 27 2

A YOUNG colored girl wants situation at any kind of work. Apply at 411 East 3d st. 2 26 2

TO LET—8 rooms and bath, water and heat furnished; $25 per month; cor 5th st. and Watchung ave. Inquire 333 LaGrande ave. 2 26 tf

WANTED—A girl for general housework must have references and be good cook and laundress. Apply to 54 Grove street. 2 25 3

MONEY to loan in sums to suit. Reed & Coddington, atty's., Babcock Building. 2 26 tf

2 ROOMS to let 25x35 feet each; 104 and 106 Park ave. J. Cory. 2 27 6

TABLE boarders wanted in private family. Apply 393 West Fourth st 2 7 tf

FOR SALE—House and lot on Duer st; price $2,000; $500 down and balance on easy terms. Address Bargain, care Press. 2 25 3

FOR SALE or to let, new 7 room house on Stone st; will sell on easy terms. Apply 196 Somerset st. 2 25 3

AGENTS wanted to handle aluminum goods. Call or address G. E. Marx 700 South ave. 2 25 6

FOR SALE, on easy terms, 11 room house 22 Norwood ave., with all improvements, lot 50 x 175, or will trade for smaller property. Inquire J. Voehl, 65 Somerset street. 2 23 7

TO LET—House 109 West Fourth st rent reasonable. Apply B. B. Force 132 Park avenue. 2 23 6

YOUNG woman offers her services as companion and reader to elderly lady or invalid; if preferred, would occupy only a few hours each day. Address M L., care Press. 2 21 tf

FLATS to let in Manning's block, West Front st. 2 20 6

WANTED—House for small family; possession April 1; reasonable rent. Address, stating terms and where located, "House," care Press. 2 11 tf

YOUNG woman wants office work. Address Capable, care Press. 2 4 tf

OFFICES and flats to rent in Babcock Building. Inquire of J. A. Hubbard or W. M. Stillman. 1 30 tf

CASH buyer can get first-class upright piano at bargain. Address Starr, care Press. 2 2 tf

REMOVAL.

Dr. Lighthill begs leave to give notice that he has removed to

NO. 132 CRESCENT AVE.

(a few doors from his former location) where he can be consulted on all chronic diseases of whatever name and nature.

Dr. Lighthill refers with pardonable pride to the success of his practice in Plainfield and submits below a few of the many testimonials which he has received from grateful patients. A mass of similar ones can be seen at his office.

AN ALMOST MIRACULOUS CURE.

The Statement of Mr. Edward Teel, Jr., of Dunellen, N. J.

TO THE PUBLIC:

From a sense of duty I desire to call public attention to the almost miraculous cure which Dr. Lighthill effected in the case of my wife. For eleven years she had been afflicted with piles of an unusual severe and distressing character. She suffered every day of her life the most intense pain, attended with frequent and profuse hemorrhage. This state of things debilitated her entire system until she became a perfect wreck of her former self.

We made every effort to obtain a cure but they all resulted in bitter disappointment, although a number of physicians of excellent reputations for skill in that direction had treated her case. She grew worse and worse all the time, the pain became perfectly unbearable and I felt she could not bear the strain of her condition much longer. In this extremity, a friend of mine, Mr. W. E. Dilts, a resident of Roselle, N. J., a passenger conductor on the New Jersey Central told me that he had been similarly affected, and had been permanently cured by Dr. Lighthill, after other medical skill had failed. He assured me that the doctor would cure my wife, no matter how severe her case may be, and his prediction proved perfectly correct. In spite of her desperate condition, Dr. Lighthill, I am glad to say, has effected a complete and perfect cure in her case, and has given her new life.

Since the cure has been effected she has gained in health and strength and is so improved in appearance that her friends scarcely recognize her. They all consider her cure as almost miraculous, and Dr. Lighthill's praise is heard on every side. Our gratitude to Dr. Lighthill is unbounded and we only hope that other sufferers may be benefited by this publication.

EDWARD TEEL, JR.

A Flattering Testimonial from Colonel John Dietrich, One of Plainfield's Oldest and Best Known Residents.

16 ARLINGTON PLACE,
Plainfield, N. J., July 17, 1894.

I am profoundly grateful to Dr. Lighthill for his speedy and radical cure of a most painful malady of over ten years standing with which I was afflicted.

I deem it proper to say to all afflicted to place themselves under the care of this skilful physician and be permanently cured.

I will cheerfully impart any information I possess when called upon.

JOHN DIETRICH.

Mr. Thomas Callahan of No. 214 Richmond street Cured of a Very Distressing Trouble by Dr. Lighthill.

PLAINFIELD, N. J., June 1, 1894.

TO THE PUBLIC:

For some time past I have been greatly distressed with noises in the head. They were all over my head and troubled me constantly; they were loudest at night when everything was quiet and at such times would often keep me from sleep and disturb my rest. In fact they got to be so bad and distressing that they affected my whole nervous system as well as my health. I did not obtain the least relief until I placed myself under the care of Dr. Lighthill, of No. 132 Crescent avenue, who effected a complete cure in my case in a short time and made me a very happy man.

THOMAS CALLAHAN,
214 Richmond street.

A Card From Mr. T. R VanZandt, of Nos. 304 and 306 Park ave., Plainfield, N. J

I certify with pleasure that Dr. Lighthill has effectually cured me of a most painful case of piles. For some time past I had been subject to its attacks, but the last attack was so exceedingly painful that it completely upset my whole system. The pain extended to my legs and in many other directions, and made me so nervous that I could neither sleep, sit down, lie down or move about without serious discomfort and distress. Such was my condition when I applied to Dr. Lighthill for relief, and I am glad to say that as soon as he took hold of my case, I began to improve, and in a short time found myself completely cured. Dr. Lighthill has also effected a radical and permanent cure in a most terrible case of piles on my cousin, Mr. J. V. Z. Griggs, of Rocky Hill, N. J., whose flattering testimonial is in Dr. Lighthill's possession.

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We will refund money on any goods that do not prove entirely satisfactory. Goods open for inspection before you purchase.
Figure up what you can save on the following sample list:

	Our new price	Old price
3 cans string beans, good quality, 6c	18c	25c
1 can A 1 chicken soup at	19c	25c
1 bottle Blue Point catsup	17c	23c
1 can Bahama pineapples, excellent	19c	30c
Oyster Bay asparagus, flat cans, first quality	19c	29c
Soda crackers, Edsall's special, per pound	5c	9c

19c Box | Holmes & Coutt's famous fancy crackers, put up in neat boxes; regular price 20 to 29c each; for this sale only, 19c per box. | 19c Box

The amount saved on the above goods, which is only a fair sample all through the department, is a big inducement to economical buyers.
"Second orders" are now coming in rapidly, which is the best proof in the world that our goods are right and give satisfaction.

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Japanned bread boxes, square, well made, regular price 39, special 27c.
12-dozen solid copper tea ketties, choice of all sizes, at 73c.
Hard wood chopping bowls, 12 inches, all perfect, worth 15, at 7c each
Oval foot tubs No. 2 size, japanned, regular price 24c, at 17c each.
Fartnen cuspidors, painted, assorted colors, worth 15c, at 7c each.
Fine china cuspidores, neat decorations worth 50c, at 39c.
It works the same way in

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At 4½cts | A good heavy 1 yard wide bleached and unbleached muslin at only 4½ cents; good value at 6 cents. | At 4½cts
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At 4 cts | 500 yards Standard Dress Ginghams, as long as they last, at only 4c. | At 4 cts
At 7½cts | 1,500 yds new Spring Outings, as long as they last, only 7½c a yard; good value at 10 cents. | At 7½Cts
At 29c | 500 yards genuine woven wash silks, sold special in New York at 39c; for a few days only 29c. | At 29c
At 49c | Ladies' muslin gowns, skirts, corset covers and drawers, all at 49c each; reg. 75c article; quantity limited; first come, first served. | At 49c
13 CTS | A good muslin corset cover 13 cts, value 18 cents. | 13 CTS

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THE MODEL SOCIABLE.

Christian Endeavorers Have a Pleasant and Profitable Time.

When it was known among the Christian Endeavorers that there was to be a model sociable in the Trinity Reformed Church last evening everyone wanted to be present, and a very large number of them were.

Westfield, Rahway, Willow Grove, Dunellen, Cranford, and all the Plainfield societies were represented.

The social features of Christian Endeavor work is perplexing to most of the societies and just how to hold a sociable with the best possible results is no easy task.

E. E. Anthony of the Trinity Society has charge of the social work through the county and at his suggestion the first model sociable was held. Members from societies all through the county were present.

During the day a number of the young women gathered at the church and with artistic hands made a scene of rare beauty.

Wm. Milliken of Dunellen was the only Endeavorer to be found not engaged—in work, and he very willingly gave his time and experience in assisting the young women.

The decorations were pink, and green, and bunting with these colors encircled the room and neatly entwined the several pillars in the room. The presence of several banquet lamps added much to the beauty of the scene.

The chief feature, of course, was sociability, and everyone present was doubly impressed with this fact. It was a happy departure from the old style, when a person securing a seat would hold it the rest of the evening.

The young people moved and chatted freely with those whom it was made possible they should know through the use of a card prepared by Wm. Milliken and Wm. Crawford, with the bearer's name on and which was attached to the lapel of the coat.

Mr. Anthony arrested the attention of the large audience, and introduced Miss Bessie Blair who rendered a beautiful vocal solo, "Who is Sylva?"

The merry company then without any difficulty joined in social convereation. When Mr. Anthony thought that they had talked enough, they were called to order, and Mr. Beekman gave a pleasing piano solo which was finely executed.

After another intermission the audience enjoyed a delightful alto solo by Miss Nancy Randolph. Then the least important feature of the event, as so stated, was indulged in. The committees then served cocoa and wafers which were all to be desired.

The last number on the programme was a vocal solo by Miss Fanny Mattison, accompanied by Miss Nettie Mattison on the piano and Miss Florence Bates, with the violin. The rendition was enjoyed to the fullest extent. Miss Bates is a pupil of Carl Feininger, and her work is of high merit. Mr. Anthony then asked for interchange of ideas on the social question, but none were able to offer a more novel plan than that presented, and all were highly pleased with the success of this model sociable.

The committees acting under the direction of E. E. Anthony were as follows:

Social—Miss Fanny Mattison, Miss Jennie Buidk, Miss Ella Gardner, Miss Jennie Smith, Mrs. Clarence Mundy.

Flower and Decorating—Miss May Sheppard, Miss Carrie Mehl, Miss Viola Huff, Miss Grace Berg, Miss Lizzie Dunlap.

Reception—Miss Cora Gardner, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Woodruff, Miss Garretta Wikoff and Elmer Garretson.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

Mrs. F. H. Wills did not improve at Lakewood, and is to be brought home.

Mrs. E. D. Moffett has returned home after spending a week with her daughter, Mrs. W. H. Toms, Trenton.

The Central Avenue Euchre Club prizes last night were won by Miss Behman, Mrs. Adams, Howard Corlies and Mr. Gilbert.

James J. Dolliver of South Branch, Somerset County, spent last night at the home of his brother, G. Q. Dolliver of Manning avenue.

Miss Stone of North avenue was summoned today to her home in Annandale on account of the dangerous illness of her sister Lizzie.

—Bath Beach lost its entire business district of 18 buildings by fire this morning.

—The removal of the postoffice to the Babcock Building will probably be delayed until next week owing to the death of Postmaster Hetfield's father.

—A horse of Hoff's stage line fell on the icy street in front of Thorn's block on Somerset street this morning. It took the combined effort of the driver and of Messrs. Hoff, Gratton, Coddington, McCarthy, Randolph and several unknown persons to get him on his feet again.

Marvelous Results.

From a letter written by Rev. J. Gunderman, of Diamondale, Mich., we are permitted to make this extract: "I have no hesitation in recommending Dr. King's New Discovery, as the results were almost marvelous in the case of my wife. While I was pastor of the Baptist Church at Rives Junction she was brought down by pneumonia succeeding la grippe. Terrible paroxysms of coughing would last hours with little interruption and it seemed as if she could not survive them. A friend recommended Dr. King's New Discovery; it was quick in its work and highly satisfactory in results. Sold by L. W. Randolph druggist. Regular size 50c and $1; our price 45c and 90c

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Mrs. Lynn Linton, the novelist and essayist, who is one of the esteemed Serial Contributors of The Daily Press, and author of the charming story concluded in this issue, is the wife of William James Linton, the wood engraver. After a stirring, early life, in which Chartism art and poetry were mixed, Mr. Linton came to this country in 1867 and settled in New Haven, Conn. He is a charming old man, with very white hair and beard and a ruddy face. Dickens once recommended Mrs. Linton as a person capable of any sort of work to which she was put. She is a strong-minded woman who is reactionary in her views as to her own sex. She does not believe in the new woman. She would keep women out of the open competition which the modern emancipated strive after. "What Zilah is in the tents of Kedar", says she. "Women are everywhere, the world over. In the life of even the most undesirable and belated Cinderella of the village is a moment of exultation when she carries in brown little hands that gift for which more than one Collie Clout would willingly pay the prince". This is a mild specimen of Mrs. Lynn Linton's views. William James Linton's greatest delight is to write a set of poems, set up the type himself, print, bind and finish off the volume with his own hands, and send off copies to his friends on birthdays and such occasions.

Street-Lighting Improvements.

The electric lamp in front of 59 Westervelt avenue, whose light in the Summer time is hidden by the dense verdure of trees, is likely to be turned so as to shine over the roadway instead of the sidewalk.

The lamps in the Netherwood district are to be rearranged so as to be more evenly distributed over the territory. Now many of them are bunched, while some portions of the Heights are neglected. More light is to be given to far Watchung avenue, which in spots would be a very dark street were it not for the private lights of the large grounds.

"She Couldn't Marry Three."

No company that we have ever heard of has ever come to our city with such favorable couriers as "She Could n't Marry Three." They have the unanimous endorsement of the New York Press; and this, you may rest assured, will be your only chance to see this superior company, as they will make no stops going from San Francisco to New York City. We have no doubt of their success here.

—The old clock which was burned with the Brooklyn City Hall cupola was made by Timothy S. Sperry, whose funeral took place from his late residence, 653 West Seventh street, Monday.

Dr. Deane's Dyspepsia Pills Cure Sick Headache.

SICK HEADACHE is usually caused by indigestion. If you take Dr. Deane's Dyspepsia Pills, you won't have sick headache.

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On March 6 we shall begin publication of a detective story by Nym Crinkle, entitled

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A. C. Wheeler, who uses this pseudonym, is one of the best known journalists in the United States. He has been for many years the dramatic critic of the New York World, and is today one of the most brilliant writers on the American press. It is to his inimitable sketches o New York life that the Sunday World owes a considerable part of its popularity. Mr. Wheeler has written many successful stories, of which the best known is perhaps "The Great Laran Rebellion".

"Eight Minutes of Three" is in every way a remarkable piece of fiction, and deserves to rank with some of the weird tales of Poe. It will run five days, and will be followed by a short story of New England life by Mary E. Wilkins.

This story, like all the Daily Press serials, is brand-new, and copyrighted to Daily Press use.

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The reader of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly on the blood and mucous surface of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer $100 for any case that it fails to cure.

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TODAY IN HISTORY.

Short Stories of Heroism from Real Life.

Hot Shot For a Privateer.

On the 27th of February, 1863, Captain Worden, the hero of the Monitor fight, destroyed a dangerous Confederate privateer in Ogeechee river. The swift blockade runner Nashville, having been hemmed in by the Union fleet, was transformed into a privateer and lay in the river above Fort McAllister. The bed of the river was lined with torpedoes to prevent Union vessels running up to destroy the Nashville before she could get to sea, where, her owners hoped, she would prove another Alabama. Scouts reported that she had dropped down near the fort, awaiting a chance to slip out. Worden promptly steamed up in the Montauk to verify the report, and seeing the Nashville aground above the fort went ahead in defiance of the torpedoes and the guns of the fort. When within 1,200 yards of the privateer, he opened with shells and continued to bombard until she burst into flames and blew up. Turning back, he ran the Montauk through a gantlet of fire, both shot and shell, from the fort and batteries opposite. The iron sides of the Montauk turned the balls like water, but in contact with infernal machines no vessel is invulnerable. Near the mouth of the river she ran upon a submarine torpedo, which tore a chunk out of her hull, and she grounded, fortunately within range of companion vessels which had stood at safe distance to witness Worden's gallant exploit. GEORGE L. KILMER.

A Des Moines woman who has been troubled with frequent colds, concluded to try an old remedy in a new way, and accordingly took a tablespoonful (four times the usual dose) of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy just before going to bed. The next morning she found that her cold had almost entirely disappeared. During the day she took a few doses of the remedy (one teaspoonful at a time) and at night again took a tablespoonful before going to bed, and on the following morning awoke free from all symptoms of the cold. Since then she has, on several occasions, used this remedy in like manner with the same good results, and is much elated over her discovery of so quick a way of curing a cold. For sale at Reynolds's pharmacy, Park and North aves. T. S. Armstrong, manager.

Something

That gives you light at light prices are the Lamps which we have on sale this wee — the largest and best assortment in the city. We quote only a few of the many specials for this week.

Hand lamp, complete.....10c
Bracket " " 12c
Hall lamp complete 97c
Hanging lamp, complete.....$1.98

Specials

Glass butter dishes.....9c
Shoe brushes.....17c
Scrubbing brushes 5c
Roll toilet paper.....5c
Ammonia, best.....5c
Fancy cuspidores.....23c

Silk Waists

We intend to make this line of goods a specialty this spring and summer and will have the prettiest line in the city.

A $6 changeable Taffeta silk waist, latest spring style $4 75.

Fancy China silk waists, all sizes, $3 49.

Spring Capes

This weather compels you to wear a cape, just what we have a large asssortment of at low prices.

A changeable velvet cape $8, worth $9 50.

A Faille Silk cape, silk lined $8.75 worth $10

A Faille Silk cape silk lined $11.50, worth $13.50.

Broad cloth capes in blue and tan, $4 50, worth $6.

Broad cloth capes in black only $2.50, worth $3.25.

Just received a very pretty line of satin skirts, latest organ pipe back, $7 95.

Dress Goods

On the tip end of every lady's tongue. What? Why, they all say what a pretty line of spring dress goods Boehm has. How can they help it? Our dress goods department will surpass any in the city. We intend to be the leaders of low prices if we are compelled to give them away. A broad assertion, but nevertheless it is true. You are welcome at any time to examine our goods and be convinced that we are the leaders.

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LILI'S DISCRETION.

SHE MIGHT HAVE HAD WEALTH IF SHE HAD SUBMITTED EARLIER.

The Ex-Queen's Part in the Last Revolution. Hawaii Doing Business for Itself. It Was All Ready to Be Annexed to the United States but Cleveland Said "No."

When the monarchy was overthrown in Hawaii two years ago the government which succeeded it, then as now recognized by foreign powers, sought annexation to the United States. The agreement drawn up for that purpose treated with great consideration the deposed queen, making a most liberal pecuniary provision for her.

Mr. Cleveland, however, withdrew that treaty from the Senate, and sought instead to restore Liliuokalani to her throne. The attempt failed utterly; but while it was going on the queen, whose hopes had been raised by the interference, still further discredited herself by refusing to agree to pardon her enemies, preferring the privilege of beheading them.

Now, lately we have seen the royalists of Hawaii engaged in a conspiracy to destroy the republic and put the queen back in power. This project has failed as miserably as did our own plan directed to the same end; and the latest news concerning it is that the wretched queen has been arrested as an accomplice in the plot.

EX-QUEEN LILIUOKALANI.

What a contrast between the present condition of this hapless woman, under guard, and perhaps in jail, threatened possibly with the confiscation of her property, should the charge of conspiring against the government be proved against her, or at the least with banishment, and what she might have been. She might be living in luxury in her island home, free from the ambitions that have since distressed her. Was ever a dusky potentate so luckless in her self-constituted champion?

Her abdication is the best victory yet won by the Dole government, and puts an end to the power of this intriguing woman, who, it is now clearly shown, was at the bottom of all the royalist plots against the provisional government and the republic. That so proud and stubborn a woman as the ex-queen should have made this unconditional surrender shows that she was in desperate straits and only adopted this course to save her life.

In the safe of her Washington place residence were found documents in her own handwriting which establish a clear case of treason against her. Had her arrest been made two days earlier, as Marshal Hitchcock urged, the government would have secured important secret papers relating to the days of Kalakau's reign. In her house was found a regular arsenal of guns and dynamite bombs. All the bombs were provided with one-minute fuses and were prepared to throw among the crowds that should oppose the royalists. A portion of one of the cement-covered bombs was found on the ex-queen's private desk, and among her papers was evidence that she had devoted considerable thought to the dynamite feature of the conspiracy.

Of the fifty foreigners placed under arrest, 75 per cent. were English. In fact, the number of English leaders and sympathizers caused this revolt to be called the "English rebellion."

Her Hair Is Twenty Feet Long.

Aunty Nancy Garrison came to Chicago from Holly Springs, Miss. Aunt Nancy brought her hair with her, a statement which at first blush does not sound as though it involved any undue exertion on her part. But when Aunt Nancy binds her hair about her brow she takes up the burden of a day's work in cartage. It is kinky hair—aunty is a colored woman—and when let free it falls the five and one half feet of its owner's height and stretches away a like distance on the floor. There are eleven feet of hair as it drops from the big coil. Take hold of the end of the mass and pull it so that the kinksstraighten out and twenty feet of heavy strands are developed.

Mrs. Nancy Garrison was born in Tennessee somewhere about sixty years ago. In 1878, after she had moved into Mississippi, she had the yellow fever. At that time her hair was a foot long. It began to grow when she had recovered.—Chicago Daily Tribune.

Delsarte.

Teacher—How do you indicate grief.

Pupil—By burying the face in the hands.

Teacher—How bashfulness?

Pupil—By burying the hands in the face.

Arithmetical notation by the nine digits and zero was used in Hindostan in the sixth century.

For every fault we see in others we have two of our own which we overlook.—Ram's Horn.

The devil can behave himself as well as an angel when he has to do it to gain his point.—Ram's Horn.

METROPOLITAN NOTES.

Interesting Facts and Opinions Chronicled by the Daily Press of New York.

A well dressed, sharp eyed man entered the office of one of the largest jobbing houses in New York recently and said to the head of the firm, a man worth many millions:

"Mr. ——. I want to get a report on the credit of John Jones of Waukegan."

The merchant touched a button which summoned the chief bookkeeper.

"I want you," he said, "to allow Mr. —— to examine our account with John Jones of Waukegan since he began trading here."

The visitor went out with the bookkeeper, and for an hour thereafter was looking over the books. He made a written statement from them, showing when and under what conditions John Jones had opened his account, the number of times he had purchased goods, the dates of shipping and payment and such other details as would appear in the accounts of a mercantile house. Then he went back to the office of the head of the firm and asked some further questions about Mr. Jones, which the merchant, although very busy, promptly answered. Finally he saw the salesman who had waited on Jones and had a confidential talk with him, so that when he left the store he knew all that this great firm could tell about Jones and his financial standing.

Information of this sort is most difficult to obtain from any merchant and the books of this particular firm are especially hard to get at. In fact, with the exception of this one man, no one except members of the firm and the bookkeeper ever has access to them, not even the heads of departments. The explanation of this one outsider's privilege lies in the character of his business. He is engaged in protecting four of the leading jobbing firms of the United States, of which that referred to is one, from bad debts. He does this by examining their books. Each of these firms has about the same class of customers, although their business is not identical. He has a contract with each which allows him to examine its books at any time. Such examinations he always makes in person. When it is understood that there is hardly a merchant of any standing throughout the country who does not purchase from one of these four firms it will be seen that such a privilege enables the person who uses it intelligently to get a pretty thorough knowledge of the financial standing and responsibility of nearly everybody who comes to this market to buy goods.—N. Y. Sun.

To one enterprising man the storm that has blocked the railroads and kept the babies waiting for their regular supply of "one cow's" milk has proved a silver mine. And not only did he reap a rich pecuniary reward, but he brought to the memory of those who have been abroad recollections of odd customs in London, Paris and especially in South America.

It is not often that one sees a man walking through the streets of the city leading a cow by a rope, but the residents of the upper east side caught a glimpse of Herman Muller struggling through the deep snow and dragging behind him an unwilling 5 year old that looked and behaved as though it had never visited the metropolis before. Perhaps nobody would have noticed him had he not called in loud tones that penetrated to the innermost recesses of the topmost apartment:

"Milk! fresh milk! Milk fresh from the cow!"

The word milk in itself was enough to attract the attention of the mothers, for there had not been a drop in any household for three days. But when it was emphasized by "fresh from the cow" it caused a rush to the windows. Muller had provided himself with a folding stool, and, tying the cow to a lamppost, placed the stool by her side and then in a snowdrift, watched by many women from windows, he milked.

In Eighty-first street he found a crowd of mothers eager for milk and before he finished there even the "strippings" had been converted into money and he trudged home with his cow and more coin, he said, than he had made in a month before.—N. Y. Herald.

If Col. Waring has no other solace amid the perplexities of the street cleaning department, he is certain of the admiration of New York women. He is the hero of the town, as far as they are concerned, for he has paid particular attention to the shopping streets, and women are quick to appreciate any improvement in the condition of such thoroughfares. To business men who rise at a certain hour every morning and hurry to their offices, engrossed in reflections about the day's work the condition of the sidewalks and crossings is not a matter of great moment. If it is damp the business man pulls on a pair of overshoes, turns up the collar of his overcoat and runs mechanically after his car. Then he is immersed in the morning's paper until he reaches his office. But to the women the condition of their boots and skirts is of extraordinary moment and they apparently have an inherent horror of overshoes of any kind. Col. Waring's work in their behalf has made him stand first in their affections. The colonel, by the way, is already a well known figure about town. He is easily recognizable from his portraits, published in the newspapers, and he seems ubiquitous. He is in the business in earnest. There cannot be any mistake about that, for he hangs over the rear railing of a car, peers up the side streets, hurries from one inspector to another and is seen bowling about in his hansom at all hours of the day and night. It would be interesting to find out exactly how many miles he travels through the streets of New York in the course of a week, for he seems to be constantly moving.

Mr. Cleveland's Money.

The President of the United States always uses new money. He never gets any old notes, except in change when making purchases. His salary is paid him in installments of $4,166.66 each on the last day of every month, and the treasurer always makes it a point to send him notes of the latest issue. Mr. Cleveland, as his predecessors have done, keeps a private bank account with Riggs & Co., and makes a deposit regularly the 1st of every month, reserving enough from his salary to pay current expenses and setting a good example by putting the rest aside for a rainy day.—Chicago Record.

Watts—What do you think of this idea that there are medicinal virtues in music?

Potts—I believe it. Lots of these new popular airs make me sick.—Indianapolis Journal.

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Leave New York from foot of Liberty street 4 30, 6 00, 7 15, 8, 8 40, 9 10, 10.11 45, A. M., 1 10, 1 30, 2 30, 3 30, 3 45, 4, 4 30, 5, 5 15, except Saturday, 5 30, 5 45, 6, 6 15, 6 30, 7, 7 30, 8, 8 30, 9 15, 10 15, 11 30 P. M., 12 15, 1, night. Sunday—4 30, 7 15, 9 00, 9 15, A. M., 12 M., 1 30, 4, 5 30, 7, 9 00, 10 00 P. M., 12 15 night. 1 A M.

PLAINFIELD AND NEWARK.

Leave Plainfield 5 38, 6 30, 6 59, 7 38, 7 30, 8, 8 49, 9 32, 10 04, 10 37, A. M., 12 06, 1 18, 2 07, 2 50, 3 19, 3 51, 4 50, 5 54, 6 54, 7 03, 8 30, 10 17, 11 28 P. M. Sunday—8 01, 8 59, 10 08, 11 25, A. M., 12 33, 1 45, 3 30, 5 36, 7 11, 8 33, 8 32, 10 17 P. M.

Leave Newark 6 10, 7 18, 7 55, 8 30, 9 08, 10 05, 11 35 A. M., 1 15, 1 35, 2 20 Saturday only, 3 50, 3 55, 4 05, 4 40, 5 04, 5 34, 5 10, 6 20, 7 15, 7 35, 8 45, 10 05, 11 35 P. M. Sunday—7 30, 8 45, 9 35, 11 05 A. M., 1 10, 2 35, 4 10, 5 40, 7 30, 9 25, 10 20 P. M.

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Leave Plainfield 5 45, 7 10, 8 16, 9 54, 11 a.m., 12 46, 2 08, 2 32, 3 46, 4 38, 5 06, 5 14, 5 34, 6 04, 6 19, 6 38, 7 12, 7 35, 8 21, 10 26, 11 23, P. M., 12 38 night Sunday—5 45, 9 54, A. M., 2 08, 3 38, 5 14, 6 38, 10 15, 11 14 P. M.

Leave Somerville, 6, 6 30, 7 00, 7 25, 7 35, 7 45, 8 20, 9 05, 9 48, 11 40 A. M., 12 50, 1 45, 3 08, 3 25, 4 25, 5 28, 6 35, 8 17, 8 45, 11 05, P. M. Sunday 8 25, 9 45, 10 55 A. M., 12 08, 1 20, 5 05, 6 45, 8 03, 8 06, 9 40 P. M.

PLAINFIELD AND EASTON.

Leave Plainfield 5 45, 8 16, 9 54, A.M., 12 46, 3 08, 5 06, 5 14, 6 38, 8 21 P. M. Sunday—5 45, 3 28 A. M., 3 08, 6 35, P. M.

Leave Easton 6 05, 7 00, 8 53, A.M., 12 52, 4 04, 7 00 P. M. Sundays—7 15, 10 52, A. M. 6 40, 7 30, P. M.

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5 45 A. M. for Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport and Tamaqua.

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8 16 A. M. for Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R. Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9 54 A. M. for Flemington, High Bridge branch D L & W R R, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Pottsville, Nanticoke, Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c. Through coach to Williamsport.

12 46 p. m. way for Easton, connecting at Junction for stations on D. L. & W. R. R.

2 08 P. M. for Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Sunbury and Williamsport, Wilkes-Barre and Scranton. Buffet parlor car to Mauch Chunk.

5 06 p. m., way for Easton, connecting at High Bridge for stations on High Bridge branch.

5 14 P. M. for Flemington, Easton, Bethlehem, Bangor Allentown, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, Mauch Chunk Shamokin and Tamaqua, Buffet parlor car to Scranton.

6 19 P. M. for Flemington.

6 38 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading and Harrisburg.

8 21 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

5 45 A. M. Sunday for Easton, Bethlehem Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Wilkesbarre and Scranton. 3 28 a.m. Sundays for Easton, 2 08 p. m. Sundays for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Reading and Harrisburg, 6.35 p. m. Sundays for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, &c. and at Junction for D. L. & W. R. R.

For Atlantic City, 3 37 a. m. 1 18 p. m.

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For Perth Amboy, 3 37, 5 38, 8 10 37 a. m., 1 18, 3 51, 4 50, 5.54, 7 03 p.m. Sunday—8 52, a. m., 3 30 p. m.

For Freehold, 3 37, 8, 10 37 a.m., 1 18, 3 51, 4 50, p.m.

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For Trenton 5 45, 8 44, 9 40*, 10 46, a. m., 12 46, 2 08*, 5 34*, 6 38*, 8 21, 9 37* p.m., 1 12 night. Sunday—5 45, 9 54, a. m., 2 08*, 5 14* 6 35 p. m., 1 12 night.

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Leave Trenton, Warren and Tucker sts., 1 30 4 58, 9 06, 10 35, a.m. 12 15*, 2 10, 4 28*, 5 54, 9 01 p. m. Sundays—1 00, 4 58, 9 06, 10 27 a. m. 1 16*, 4 37 6 48*, 9 03 p. m.

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A HINDOO TRICK.

IT IS RIDICULOUSLY EASY WHEN YOU KNOW HOW IT IS DONE.

Professor Herrmann Explains the Mystery of the Sealed Box and the Crafty Way in Which the Performer Who is Tied in a Bag Exchanges Her Prisons.

Where, if not in India, should we turn for the weird and mysterious, for the wonderful, for that which may not be understood by any one, even those who profess to understand everything? India, with a civilization that was older than Europe's when Europe's civilization began. What is developed is naturally more fully developed in India than in any younger country. What has been made a study for years must be surpassed by that which has been made a study for centuries. Although the magic of the Hindoos is by far the most celebrated, it is not the most scientific magic in the world.

European and American magicians, a few years since, introduced an illusion called the Hindoo box trick, for no other reason than that Hindoo is a very good word to tack on any illusion, as it is to a certain extent mystifying. This trick was performed in the following manner:

A large box capable of holding a human being was brought in and examined by a committee invited on the stage for the purpose of making this inspection. It was found to be a strongly built iron bound box, with great hasp hinges fastening one side of the lid to the box, the other side of which was held down with a hasp and staple, firmly riveted through the wood, and any one in the audience was called upon to secure it with a padlock. This was done. Then the box was placed on two trestles sufficiently high to sustain it about eighteen inches from the stage floor; a coil of rope, usually about a hundred feet in length, was handed to the committee and they were requested to tie the box, which was invariably tied by lashing it so securely as to render it an impossibility to open the lid in any way without destroying the rope. The knots of this rope were often sealed with sealing wax, marked with rings and charms worn by members of the committee in such a manner as to prevent the seals being tampered with without a discovery.

After this was done to the satisfaction of the committee the assistant, generally a young woman dressed in a page's costume, was called in. This assistant was placed in a strong linen bag, the bag drawn up over her head and securely tied with a stout string, the knots of which were sealed in the same manner as those on the box. The page was then taken and seated on the box, a screen drawn around both the box and the performer, when in an incredibly short space of time, never exceeding thirty seconds, a smart tap on the box announced that all was ready; the screen was hastily drawn aside, and the empty bag, still sealed exactly as left by the committee, with every seam intact, would be found lying on top of the box, the page having disappeared entirely.

A rapping on the inside of the box proclaimed the fact that the performer was inside of it, and after the seals and knots were inspected and untied and the network of rope wound around it removed the key was produced and the box unlocked. The performer would step out as cool and unruffled as though she had been lying on a sofa during the whole affair.

Now, unexplained, this appears truly wonderful, but the explanation is so simple as to be ridiculous. The box, carefully corded and locked, of course could not have been opened at the top, the bottom was resting on the trestles, and we naturally turn to the sides for an opening. The front side of the box, just below the hasp, was so arranged that an invisible hinge or rod running through the bottom of the lower half of the box front allowed this to drop down inside the box, leaving no obstacle in the way of the performer's entering it but the ropes, which, of course, were pushed aside enough to allow the small body of the page to pass through.

Once inside the box she simply rolled to the back of it, raised the front lid and with a small, flat, knifelike instrument shot two tiny bolts into place, rapped on the box, concealed her instruments to open it and was ready for the inspection of the committee. The bolts were hid by the other half of the box lid, they being set into the upper edges of the board and the smallness of the cracks prevented their discovery.

But how about the bag? you ask. That was managed in this way: There were two bags, one inside the other. The performer was placed in an outer bag, leaving an empty one exactly like the outer one flat against the back of the bag. When the magician was pulling the bag over the young lady's head, ready to be tied and sealed, he simply brought the tops of the two bags to be sealed up, that of the empty one above that of the one containing the page, and held it in his hand to be tied and sealed, the hands clasped around the top of the outer bag concealing its mouth so that the committee working above his hands really tied and sealed the top of the empty bag. When this was done he would pick up the slight figure of the page and seat her on the top of the box, quickly draw the screen around her and she would slip the outer bag down from her shoulders, draw up and shake out the inner or empty one and lay it on the top of the box. The inner bag would then be wound around her body inside a blouse waist or outer garment; she would then open the box, crawl into it, fasten the front and call for "light." A. HERRMANN.

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Old Rounder Logic.

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THE BALTIMORE TUNNEL.

It May Lead to a Solution of New York's Rapid Transit Problem.

The Baltimore Belt Line Tunnel Railroad is almost a perfect illustration of the feasibility of a like road under Broadway, New York city. The difficulties surmounted in its construction were exactly such as would be met with in the metropolis.

The tunnel is a connecting link between Camden station, the present terminus of the Baltimore & Ohio, close to the heart of the city, and Bay View, seven miles distant. Much of the tunnel is under the business portion of the city, and yet it was completed without interruption to traffic. A large section, for instance, was under Howard street, which might be compared to New York's Twenty-third street. It is devoted in its lower blocks to wholesale trade, with large four, five, six, seven and eight story warehouses, hotels and banks. A little further up it is a retail business street, and for a block or two comprises part of the shopping district. Still, further up is the Academy of Music, the Howard Auditorium (a theater), and Johns Hopkins University, besides one or two halls for concerts, &c. Above these it becomes a semi-business street, many of the dwellings being boarding houses. The Fifth Regiment armory is also on the street.

Howard street is eighty-two feet in width and Broadway is eighty feet. Like Broadway, Howard street has large stores on either side, with vaults extending beyond the street line. Each has an underground system of pipes and sewers, and on the surface cable and other cars, in addition to the general heavy business traffic. The subsoil in both streets is chiefly sand and gravel, with rock at intervals.

Part of the work was performed from the surface and part by tunneling. There was considerable iron roof construction close up to the pavement, after plans almost identical with some proposed for Broadway.

Broadway is the only street in New York under which a railroad should be built, because of the conformation of Manhattan Island. It is the ridge of the island, and the railroad through its whole extent, excepting for a short distance at Canal street, would be in dry sand and on high ground. There is not a location on either side of Broadway where the railroad would be out of tidewater until a distance of nearly two miles from the Battery is reached. There is a very slight exception to this in the vicinity of Printing House square. Even if it were possible to build or tunnel in such unfavorable conditions, there is no street other than Broadway wide enough to accommodate a four track road.

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Of course any woman whose purse is big enough can have a reasonable cozy corner by calling in those obliging gentlemen, the interior decorators and upholsterers. When completed it will probably be a very correct and pretty corner, but it will represent the taste and skill of the aforesaid gentlemen, and not those of madam herself. Besides, it will represent an alarming outlay. It is better to be one's own decorator and upholsterer.

One woman who came to this conclusion some time ago achieved a corner which is the joy and admiration of all who see it. She placed a divan—one of those cheap, comfortable cot-bed divans, costing only $6.50—diagonally across a

corner. The divan was covered with a "bargain" Bagdad costing $3.50 more, and on it were piled sofa cushions of appropriately Oriental design.

In the triangular space back of the divan stood a piano lamp with a wrought iron shade and vase. It cost $9. The shade of dark red silk was sufficiently voluminous without being frivolous, and was made by madam's fair hands from a silk dinner dress of antediluvian pattern. Beneath it and a little nearer to the divan stood a small mahogany tea table of antique make. Its proud owner had bargained with a ravenous antique dealer until she had succeeded in purchasing it for $7. One of the doilies made of Turkish embroidery, protected the shining wood from contact with the dainty little tea things, which were always in readiness to serve the stray guests. On the wall at one side was another Oriental portiere, like that on the divan lining, breaking the straight line of the wall and giving a bit of effective color. On the wall near the head of the couch a simple little set of bookshelves were fastened, containing madame's favorite books and a few pieces of bric-a-brac.

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BETWEEN SCYLLA AND CHARYBDIS

By Mrs. E. Lynn Linton

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II

They were not adventurers of the vulgar type—that is, adventurers in the sense of holding a different social position from that which they assumed. They were gentlemen of good family; but fortune hunters to whom the income was of more account than the woman, and who made pretense of a love they did not feel. For Gerald's somewhat brutal attitude of command was love-making in his way—a way analogous to that of the savage who first knocks his intended wife senseless and then carries her off to his own hut in the bush—his conquest, lover, wife and victim all in one.

She had her choice then between the two. In Gerald she would find a spirit of domination that would crush her to the earth—a materialistic, unpoetic kind of nature that would leave her soul as arid as the parched sands of the Libyan desert—a tyrant, a master, a conqueror. In Giulio di Siena she would have infidelity, intrigue, jealousy, and what to an Englishwoman, accustomed to much open-air exercise and absolute freedom of movement, would be practically incarceration. In the princess she would have a mother-in-law who would rule her with a rod of iron, and never take her to her heart as a daughter—who would persecute her to become a Catholic; who would ridicule her English ways and decry her nationality; who would make up for her husband's neglect by a system of espionage which would not leave her one shred of spontaneous freedom, and who in all of whose persecutions here, and glacial barriers there, would be joined by her married daughter, La Contessa Maria del Sole (who would repeat and exaggerate all that her mother might say and do). Of the two the balance of unhappiness would be on the side of the Italian, but neither man would treat her well, and in a marriage with each alike would be her misery.

The two aspirants had nearly come to that duel, with the buttons off, which seemed as if it must eventually take place, over the fifth seat in the carriage, which meant who should sit outside with the coachman. The friction had been so great, and the courtesy disguise so thin, that the princess had half-laughingly proposed drawing lots for the chance. But, perhaps because she had proposed it, perhaps because he disdained to put himself in any sense on an equality with the despised Italian, Gerald had rejected this arrangement. With as much haughtiness as sullenness he had flung up the contest by mounting the box, whence he revenged himself by turning round and engrossing, so far as he could, Ida's whole attention by his persistent talk. He spoke to no one else. If the princess or the baron cut into the conversation, he ignored each as if neither party existed; save when obliged to answer a question directly addressed to him, and then he answered in a monosyllable, and his voice was more like a bear's growl than even before. If it were the baron who spoke to him, on any subject independent of the matter in hand, he contented himself with a reply that effectually put a stop to all such advances, for this time, at least. He was more unpleasant than could have been believed, as the princess said in her pretty broken English, and, so far as he could, he spoiled the day's pleasure for all concerned, anxious as he was to punish all and sundry for the infliction of that undesired association. For this, too, as for some other things, the baron owed him, more than one; and in his own mind resolved to pay his debt with interest. The only difficulty

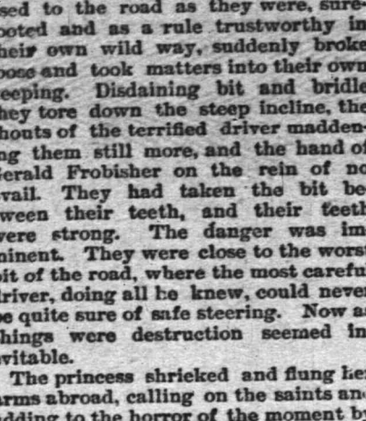
HE SPOKE TO NO ONE ELSE.

was: How could he pay that debt? The Englishman was stronger than he, and braver. And stabbing him in the back, in the dark, was not apparently very feasible.

The way from the Schloss led down to the valley by a road cut in the side of the mountain. A mass of rock and unscalable escarpments rose sheer from the path above—a precipice with eternity at the bottom fell sharply down below. The road was full of these acute angles and hazardous curves so well known to continental travelers—angles and curves which were veritable deathtraps and where the marvel was that anyone should escape with his life. Two half-broken loosely-harnessed horses, mainly guided by the voice of a voluble and vociferous coachman, who held his reins as slack as a bunch of ribbons in a cotillon, were the locomotive agents of the carriage, in a transit where the chances of disaster were as innumerable as there were flowers on the broad ledges of inaccessible rocks. Yet tragic occurrences was as rare as the passing of a herd of chamois or a fight between an eagle and a vulture in the sky. Rains had washed away some of the edges, both of the cliffs above whereby the road was strewn with stones that rolled as the horses stepped on them, and of the outer line against the sharp decline below. Still, they had gone up in safety in the morning and they supposed they should come down in safety in the afternoon. The horses, if loosely handled and not broken according to our ideas, were familiar with the road, and the coachman, for all his outlandish methods of driving, knew his work.

Something startled them. The horses, used to the road as they were, sure-footed and as a rule trustworthy in their own wild way, suddenly broke loose and took matters into their own keeping. Disdaining bit and bridle they tore down the steep incline, the shouts of the terrified driver maddening them still more, and the hand of Gerald Frobisher on the rein of no avail. They had taken the bit between their teeth, and their teeth were strong. The danger was imminent. They were close to the worst bit of the road, where the most careful driver, doing all he knew, could never be quite sure of safe steering. Now as things were destruction seemed inevitable.

The princess shrieked and flung her arms abroad, calling on the saints and adding to the horror of the moment by her ungovernable terror. The young baron was in a state of collapse. Almost fainting, speechless, motionless, his eyes closed, his form drooping, he lay as if half dead. Ida sat perfectly still, her eyes wide open as if she were watching how things would go; and Mrs. Brand, looking into vacancy, moved her lips in silent prayer. The carriage swayed from side to side and one wheel hung over the abyss, when Gerald leaped from the box and at the risk of his life somehow managed to secure the bridle of the off horse, and by sheer force of strength stopped him in the plunge and flung him back



HE STOPPED THEM IN THE PLUNGE.

on his haunches. His grasp missed would have sent them all to the bottom of the abyss together. As it was they were safe, through his gallant action gallantly performed; and however unpleasant his temper might have been he had undoubtedly saved them all from destruction.

But the contempt with which he grasped the baron by the shoulder and shook him as a terrier shakes a rat! —the driver meanwhile having got to the head of his horses, with whom he was reasoning and arguing, pointing out the error of their ways and the folly as well as wickedness of which they had been guilty; the superb tone of disdainful superiority with which he said: "Come, baron, pull yourself together like a man! Your precious life is in no danger—no thanks to you for yourself or the others. *You* were not too frightened, I can see," he added, turning to Ida and speaking with more genuine admiration than he had ever yet shown to her. "*You* are English and know how to face danger with courage!"

"It is well to be without nerves," sobbed the princess. "We southerners have susceptibilities which you cold northerners want."

"They are inconvenient things at times," said Gerald, significantly.

By now the baron had recovered and could take part in things as they were.

"I can face a bullet," he said, quite as significantly. "Where my mother and la signorina are concerned I confess I lose my head. Had I been alone you would have seen a different man."

"Possibly," said Gerald, with a sneer. "Meanwhile the man we have seen has not contributed much to the safety of the ladies for whom he professes so much regard. We can judge of the unseen only by the seen."

"We will speak of this again," said the baron, with meaning lightly touching his own breast.

"At your pleasure," said Gerald, measuring him from head to foot with eyes that spoke more than lips could have done. It was as if they had said: "Reluctant to meet you? I, the crack shot of the African wilds and the Indian jungles, afraid to face a nerveless coward like you?"

All that evening the Englishman waited for the challenge which never came. When dinner was over he strolled about the hotel gardens and made love to Ida in his domineering, trenchant way. But the baron and his mother did not appear. They had been at the table d' hote dinner where Gerald had almost insulted the young man—where Ida had been now cool and now sorry as her mind dwelt now on her young lover's cowardice and now on his charms. But after dinner they had vanished into space, and no message came to any of the group. Ida was restless and of uncertain mood. She sometimes laughed almost hysterically and sometimes was near to tears. The brutal strain in Gerald's character had never rasped her as it rasped her to-night, and in her heart she hated him as if he had been a murderer. When she saw that, for sure, the Italians would not come back this evening, she too slipped away with an aching heart and a temper nearly as bad as Gerald's.

"The one a brute and the other a coward," she said to herself; "and the coward the best of the two!"

The next morning mother and son had gone, and a sweetly-worded note to Ida from the princess told the reason of this sudden flight. They went, it said, because they saw how things were between her, la signorina and Mr. Frobisher. He was her lover and she loved him. The baron's heart was broken; he loved the signorina to distraction; but he was too delicate to interfere in a thing already arranged—and his only duty was flight. Might all the saints bless the sweet young English girl whom they, her Italian friends, would never forget!

When he heard of this sudden flight Gerald laughed aloud.

"That cur! that coward!" he said, contemptuously. "He has shown his true colors at last, and we are well rid of him. Now, Ida, we can be happy, and you will be my wife before the year is out."

On which strength came to the girl through her very terror.

"Your wife?" she said, her large eyes wide open and full of horror. "I would rather die first! If I cannot marry the baron I will marry no one else, and certainly not you who treated him so ill!"

So there it was. The fortune-hunters were balked of their bag, and the young heiress escaped the Scylla of brutality and the Charybdis of deception; she went home a sadder if not a wiser woman, free to bestow herself and her fortune on whom she would—as, when the right man came along, she would certainly do.

[THE END.]

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NOTICE.

As directed by a resolution of the Township Committee of the township of Fanwood, county of Union, State of New Jersey, notice is hereby given that an application has been made to the Township Committee of the township of Fanwood aforesaid, by the New York and Philadelphia Traction Company, for permission to construct, operate and maintain a street railroad, with one or more tracks and necessary turnouts, to be operated by electricity or other motive power except steam, and to erect necessary poles, conduits and wires, power plant and necessary buildings along the following routes:

Beginning in the division line between the city of Plainfield and the Township of Fanwood where Midway avenue crosses said division line and running thence in an easterly direction along Midway avenue to its connection with North avenue; thence still easterly along North avenue to the division line between the Townships of Fanwood and Westfield.

Beginning at the intersection of Mountain avenue and Forrest avenue or road, in the village of Scotch Plains, in the twp of Fanwood and running thence southeasterly along Forrest avenue or road to its intersection with North avenue; thence southerly along said North avenue to Depot street; thence to a point at or near the Fanwood station of the Central Railroad of New Jersey.

The name of the corporation making the application is the New York and Philadelphia Traction Company.

The application was filed on the 15th day of February, eighteen hundred and ninety-five and will be considered by the Township Committee of the township of Fanwood, at a meeting to be held on the 7th day of March, eighteen hundred and ninety-five, at Excelsior Hall, at Scotch Plains, in the township of Fanwood aforesaid, county of Union, at 8 o'clock in the evening.

EDWARD L. HAND,
Township Clerk.

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STATE OF NEW JERSEY

DEPARTMENT OF STATE.

To All To Whom These Presents May Come, Greeting:

Whereas, In the judgment of the Board of Directors of The Music Hall Association of Plainfield, a corporation organized under the laws of this State, it has been "deemed advisable and most for the benefit of such corporation that the same should be dissolved before the expiration of the time limited in its certificate of organization," as appears by a duly authenticated record of the proceedings of said board of directors of such corporation held in accordance with the provisions of an act entitled "An Act concerning corporations," approved April 7, 1875, and the several supplements thereto, which said record, including the consent in writing of "two-thirds in interest of all the stockholders" of said corporation that such dissolution should take place, as by said act required having been by said corporation deposited in my office:

Now therefore, I Henry C. Kelsey, Secretary of State of the State of New Jersey, being satisfied by due proof that the requirements of "An Act concerning corporations," approved April 7, 1875, and the supplements thereto, relative to the dissolution of corporations, have been fully complied with by the said corporation, do hereby certify that The Music Hall Association of Plainfield did on the twenty-fifth of February, 1895, file in my office a duly executed and attested certificate of consent to the dissolution of said corporation by two-thirds in interest of all the stockholders thereof, which said certificate of consent and the record of the proceedings aforesaid are now on file and of record in my said office, as provided by law.

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my official seal, at Trenton, this Twenty-fifth day of February, A. D. eighteen hundred and ninety-five.

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MAX HANSEN'S FUNERAL.

A Large Number Attend to Give Their Respect to Their Departed Comrade.

The obsequies attending the death of Max Hansen were largely attended at his late home on Liberty street yesterday afternoon. A delegation of 48 members of Perseverance Lodge, No. 74, K. of P., 20 members of the fire department, and several members of Iron Moulders Union, No. 81, were present, in addition to a large number of friends to pay their last respects to a man who had always been a loyal fellow member and a good friend to all with whom he came in contact during his life here on earth.

The remains reposed in a drab colored casket, the interior of which was lined with white roses, while at the head was a beautiful floral pillow, the gift of Zephyr Hook and Ladder Company. The lower end of the casket was almost obscured from view with flowers, among them being a wreath and a handsome floral arrangement from the K. of P.

The services at the house, conducted by Rev. Cornelius Schenck, were of a simple character, consisting of reading a few verses from the Bible, and offering a few words of condolence to the mourners. The interment services were conducted from the K. of P. ritual, and were very impressive.

The pallbearers were as follows: J. C. Blimm and S. L. Miller, of the Hook and Ladder Company: John H. Tier, Jr., and Robert Jackson of the K. of P.; Alexander Ross and John Cheethem, of the Iron Moulders Union.

Sheriff Kyte's Position.

A prominent resident of Fanwood tells The Press that the recent criticisms of Sheriff Kyte and his Improvement Company concerning the borough project do Mr. Kyte a great injustice.

"He was—writes a correspondent—"an enthusiastic advocate of the borough long before there was any prospect of a trolley road, and has done more to improve and help the township than any other five men here. Even now there is an open offer from him to spend two dollars of the Land Improvement Company's money for every one the township will spend towards improvements."

Honorary Recognition.

The tenth grade of the North Plainfield Public School finished the subject of Physiology, and the ninth grade, Civil Government, today.

The following named scholars received honorary recognition for excellent work done both in class recitation and reviews in the subject, by being excused from final examination.

Tenth grade—Maud French, Adah Woolston.

Ninth grade—John H. Van Winkle, Jr., Emma Stevens, Nellie Martin, Edith Cooley, Adele Kirby.

They're In Hock by This Time.

The rogues gallery in the police station has suffered a great depletion of exhibits in the last few week from the hands of those who have taken a fancy to the various things that have been accumulated from time to time. Only a couple of rusty knives, ball club and mask, and dust covered revolver, remain to remind the onlooker that Plainfield once really had tough people.

Chopping Away the Icebergs.

Street Commissioner Stout of the borough had a force of men at work on Somerset street today breaking up the ice and snow which accumulated there during the blizzard, and which has since been a source of great impediment to teamsters driving along the thoroughfare.

A Model for the Metropolis.

Fire and Water, a prominent New York journal, reproduces from The Daily Press, with credit, the cuts illustrating the Plainfield Fire Department Headquarters, with description by Chief Engineer Doane.

To Administer the Estate.

Captain George D. Morrison has been selected by the widow of the late Robert W. Rice, and appointed by the Surrogate of Somerset county, as administrator, to settle up Mr. Rice's estate.

Good People in the Borough.

If any police records are entered in the borough this month it will be necessary to make them before 12 tonight, for up to this afternoon not a single arrest has been made during the past 28 days.

A Des Moines woman who has been troubled with frequent colds, concluded to try an old remedy in a new way, and accordingly took a tablespoonful (four times the usual dose) of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy just before going to bed. The next morning she found that her cold had almost entirely disappeared. During the day she took a few doses of the remedy (one teaspoonful at a time) and at night again took a tablespoonful before going to bed, and on the following morning awoke free from all symptoms of the cold. Since then she has, on several occasions, used this remedy in like manner with the same good results, and is much elated over her discovery of so quick a way of curing a cold. For sale at Reynolds's pharmacy, Park and North aves. T. S. Armstrong, manager.

PLAINFIELD MUST WIN THIS.

Official Schedule of the New Bowling Tournament.

The Elizabeth Journal Bowling Association of Union County has been organized with H. C. VanEmburgh secretary, to decide the five-men team championship.

Following is the schedule:

ELIZABETH SECTION.

DATE.		TEAM.	VS.	AT.
Thurs,	March 7,	E. A. C	"	A. K. A.
Fri,	" 8,	Y.M.C.I.A	"	Alcyone
Mon,	" 11,	E. A. C	"	Y.M.C.I.A
"	" 11,	A. K. A	"	Alcyone
Thurs,	" 14,	Alcyone	"	E. A. C.
Fri,	" 15,	Y.M.C.I.A	"	A. K. A.
Mon,	" 18,	A. K. A	"	E. A. C.
Wed,	" 20,	Alcyone	"	Y.M.C.I.A
Mon,	" 25,	Y.M.C.I.A	"	E. A. C
"	" 25,	Alcyone	"	A. K. A
Fri,	" 29,	A. K. A	"	Y.M.C.I.A
"	" 29,	E. A. C	"	Alcyone

COUNTY SECTION.

DATE.		TEAM.	VS.	AT.
Tues,	March 5,	Roselle	"	Plainfield
"	" 5,	Cranford	"	Westfield
Mon,	" 11,	Westfield	"	Roselle
"	" 11,	Plainfield	"	Cranford
Thurs,	" 14,	Cranford	"	Roselle
"	" 14,	Westfield	"	Plainfield
Tues.	" 19,	Plainfield	"	Roselle
"	" 19,	Westfield	"	Cranford
Fri,	" 22,	Roselle	"	Westfield
Mon,	" 25,	Cranford	"	Plainfield
Thurs,	" 28,	Roselle	"	Cranford
"	" 28,	Plainfield	"	Westfield

Pushed It Along.

Last evening, in compliance with a bet made between Charles Randolph and Samuel Kriney of Evona at the Apgar and Woodruff shooting match, Chas. Randolph had the pleasure of rolling a peanut with a toothpick, in the presence of a number of friends, from Brittin's Hotel to Clinton Avenue station, a distance of about 100 yards. Kriney was referee, and furnished light with a lantern. Timekeeper Herbert Pound records the time at 45 minutes. The Jersey mud made the task very delightful.

Lecturers for Lent.

Arrangements have been made whereby W. D. Murray will give a series of lectures in the Y. M. C. A. Building every Monday evening during Lent on one of Paul's Epistles. The first lecture will take place March 4 with 1st Thessalonians as a subject. The meetings will be open to both men and women.

The Disciples' New Quarters.

The First Church of Christ, (Disciples of Christ), will open their new quarters to the public Sunday, March 3, in Morris's Hall, 110 Liberty street, two doors from West Front. Rev. D. T. Stanly, manager of the Military and Naval Publishing Company of New York city, will conduct services all day.

Prize Puzzles.

Having awarded the prize of papering a room free for the first correct solution of their puzzle, E. E. Marshall & Co., today announce Mrs. E. H. Vors of Dunellen as the winner, and will tomorrow announce in The Press another prize puzzle. They received many answers to their first offer.

Held for the Grand Jury.

Stephen Murphy was arraigned before Justice Nash yesterday afternoon on the charge of assault and battery, preferred by George Barry, and held in $200 bail to await the action of the next Grand Jury. The assault was committed last December.

The Presiding Elder's Visit.

Dr. Ryman, the presiding elder of this district, delivered an interesting sermon at the prayer meeting in the First M. E. Church last night. Afterwards the quarterly meeting was held, at which matters pertaining to the welfare of the church were discussed.

Serenaded the Benedick.

The Independent Fife and Drum Corps serenaded F. M. Lunger last night, in honor of his marriage on Washington's Birthday. The Corps were invited into the house, where for two hours a very pleasant time was enjoyed.

Heard from Their Delegate.

A large attendance was present at the meeting of Unity Lodge, No. 102, K. of P., last night, when Charles W. DeGraw, delegate to the grand lodge at Trenton last week, made his report.

A Crack Shot.

Charles Smith covered himself with glory at the shoot at Elizabeth yesterday, winning four first moneys alone, dividing first twice, and taking two seconds.

—"Pop" Green, the tonsorial artist recently with Brown & Hill, is now connected with the Hotel Grenada shop.

Four Big Successes.

Having the needed merit to more than make good all the advertising claimed for them, the following four remedies have reached a phenomenal sale. Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption, coughs and colds, each bottle guaranteed—Electric Bitters, the great remedy for liver, stomach and kidneys. Bucklen's Arnica Salve, the best in the world, and Dr. King's New Life Pills, which are a perfect pill. All these remedies are guaranteed to do just what is claimed for them and the dealer whose name is attached herewith will be glad to tell you more of them. Sold at L. W. Randolph's drug store.

DOLLS THAT MOVE AND TALK.

Plainfielders Appear as Animated Artificialities, for the Mission Band.

The young women of the Presbyterian Mission Band will receive their friends in the parlors of the Crescent Avenue Church this day from 4 to 10. Tea will be served, and an exhibition of glace candy-making given in the afternoon. The sale of candy will be continued in the evening, and at 8:30 a valuable collection of live dolls will be displayed. Twenty-five cents will be received at the door.

The valuable collection will be exhibited by Fred H. Andrews, assisted by Miss Gertrude Walz and Wm. Runyon.

The live dolls in the show are as follows:

Rag doll.....Miss Edith Tracy
Talking French doll.....Miss Mabel Wilder
Peasant walking doll...Miss Phemie Johnston
Nun.....Miss Sallye Swayze
Baby in cradle.....Miss Helen Moody
Baby in chair.....Miss Carolyn Thoms
Crying doll.....Miss Madge Sutphen
Colored doll.....Miss Flora Petrie
Japanese doll.....Miss Louisa Patten
Gypsy doll.....Miss May Tracy
Boy doll.....Harold Dollner
Wooden doll.....Miss Sarah Schuyler
Pin cushion doll.....Miss Hallie VanDeventer

The several committees are as follows:

Reception Committee—Misses Halloway, Katharene Thorne, May Caboone, Bilsh, Marion Bowen, Petrie.

Candy Committee—Misses Tracy, Gardner, Brower, Wilder, May Tracy, Edith Tracy, Lovell, Sutphen.

Doll Committee—Misses Bronson, Yerkes, Martin, and Mr. Andrews.

Tea Tables—Mrs. John Leal, Misses Belle Patterson, Thayer, Kline, Bolce, Etta Bilsh.

All are cordially invited, and a good social time is promised.

AN EVENING WITH JEAN.

The Gentle Poet of the Heart Discussed by Plainfield Admirers.

"An Evening with Jean Ingelow" was the title of the entertainment that the Christian Endeavor society of the Seventh-Day Baptist Church gave to their friends last evening. Mrs. J. G. Miller was in charge and her efforts proved very successful.

The evening commenced with a vocal solo by Miss Nancy Randolph, Miss Bessie Titsworth accompanying her. Miss Ernestine Smith then gave a brief history of the life and works of Jean Ingelow, which was followed by "My Son's Wife Elizabeth" recited by Miss Lulu Lewis. "On the Rocks by Aberdeen" was characteristically rendered by D. E. Titsworth. He was accompanied on the piano by Mrs. D. E. Titsworth.

A series of tableaux were next given representing the well known "Songs of Seven." Miss Lulu Lewis read the selection while it was being illustrated.

The first tableau was entitled "Exultation" in which Miss Vamie Rogers took the part of "She is just seven today" to perfection. "Romance" was the second and Miss Ethel Titsworth took the principal part.

The maiden of twenty-one, Miss Elizabeth Allis, was represented as waiting for her lover. Mrs. Charles Dunham with Evelin Rogers, Ellen Rogers and Paul Russel as her children represented the motherhood.

The fifth tableaux consisted of Miss Lena Tomlinson as the widow.

In the next the widow was giving her daughter, Miss Bessie L. Titsworth, in marriage.

The seventh was the bridal scene. Miss Bessie L. Titsworth the bride, and Harold Tomlinson the groom, were about to receive the benediction of the minister, D. E. Titsworth. Just as the curtain fell the minister leaned over and kissed the bride. This was not part of the programme and when the curtain rose again in response to the loud applause, the groom performed the same ceremony completely bringing down the house.

The bridemaids in the scene were Mrs. Dunham, Miss Tomlinson, Mrs. Tomlinson and Miss Elizabeth Allis.

The last tableau of the evening was "Longing for Home" in which Mrs. D. E. Titsworth sang "Give us home and give us peace".

A collection was then taken up for the Nebraska sufferers and netted $13.

Refreshments were then served by the young people and everybody pronounced the entertainment a splendid success.

Surprised.

Miss Helen Cuming of Putnam avenue was given a delightful surprise party Tuesday evening by her friend Miss Bessie Smith. An enjoyable evening was spent with games and dancing and, to conclude, refreshments were served.

Among those present were the Misses Lillian Schoonmaker, Edith Beach, Edith Huribut, Alberta Irwin, and Messrs. Henry Brower, Clifford Halloway, Howard Martin, Seymour Smith, Fred Smith and Stanton Smith.

O. W. O. Hardman, sheriff of Tyler Co., W. Va., appreciates a good thing and does not hesitate to say so. He was almost prostrated with a cold when he procured a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. He says: "It gave me prompt relief. I find it to be an invaluable remedy for coughs and colds." For sale at Reynolds's pharmacy, Park and North aves. T. S. Armstrong, manager.

OFFICIALLY BRANDED.

Councilmen Publicly Denounce Their ex-City Clerk.

SIGN THEIR NAMES TO IT, TOO.

Not Only His Original Falsehoods Concerning Them, But Also His Reiteration of Them, Stamped Emphatically as Untrue and Without Foundation—Men Whom He Accused of Being the Authority for His Abuse, Utterly Refute His Statements.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE DAILY PRESS:

In the issue of the "courier" of 23d inst. the following statements appear in its editorial columns.

"After considerable effort and careful investigation we have discovered that Geo. W. Grant was appointed Captain of Police pro tem., because the Mayor was unanimously in favor of the appointment.

"We are surprised to learn that the relations between the Mayor of the City of Plainfield, and the other members of the Police Board are not quite as cordial as they appear to be. At a recent meeting of the Board—and, by the way, it was the first meeting that has been called by the Mayor for many long and weary moons—some things were talked about, some questions were asked, and some incidents occurred which, we have heard, would greatly interest the voting population of the city."

These statements are untrue and without foundation in every particular, and as such we wish to denounce them in a most public manner.

We wish to denounce also as untrue, the statement of the editor in a subsequent issue of the same paper, that a member of the Police Committee was authority for his misstatements.

H. M. STOCKTON,
Ch'n Police and Public Lights Com.
J. B. DUMONT.
W. H. MOORE.
WM. G. E. SEE,
ex-officio member of Committee.

THE GRIP TO BLAME.

A Swede Before the Bar of Justice for Trying to Stay a Malady.

The monotony of City Court was broken this morning when for the first time in 10 days a delinquent of justice stood before the rail charged with drunkenness and disorderly conduct.

The culprit was a Swede who gave his name as Herman Hernanstole. He is employed by a family on Woodland avenue, and yesterday morning filled up with intoxicants to keep off an attack of the grip. He misjudged his measure, however, with the result of its having a disastrous effect on his ability to guide a team along the roadway of Watchung avenue, and instead driving on several well-kept lawns. Sergeant Kisly was called, and gave him a chance to regain his senses in a cell in the police station.

This morning Judge Coddington gave him the choice of paying a $5 fine or spending 20 days in the County Jail. The fine was paid.

Hager's Great Republic.

J. M. Hager, whose "Great Republic" has been given with much success in Plainfield, was in town yesterday interesting H. M. Maxson, Superintendent of the Schools, in an effort to reproduce the production in Music Hall with the help of the public-school pupils. Mr. Hager has produced his allegory 17 seasons in Brooklyn, where he lives, and 15 seasons in Jersey City. He has brought it thoroughly up to date and made it practically a new entertainment. Mr. Hager is held in kindly remembrance by Plainfield people, who will be glad to enjoy again his "Great Republic".

To Make a Big Land Sale.

W. M. Williams of Mount Pleasant, S. C., who came to Plainfield for the purpose of selling several thousand acres of rice land in his State, left for his home on the steamship Seminole, of the Clyde line, yesterday afternoon. He boarded at Hotel Grenada while in Plainfield, and has been very ill for over three weeks.

Lawyer W. S. Angleman sailed for Europe Tuesday to sell the property which Mr. Williams represents, to English capitalists.

The experience of Geo. A. Apgar, of German Valley, N. J., is well worth remembering. He was troubled with chronic diarrhoea and doctored for five months and was treated by four different doctors without benefit. He then began using Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, of which one small bottle effected a complete cure. It is for sale at Reynolds's pharmacy, Park and North aves. T. S. Armstrong, manager

A GOOD MATCH.

Local Sportsmen Enjoy a Shoot at Benner's.

An audience of fully 200 enthusiastic sportsmen assembled at Benner's sporting grounds Tuesday afternoon to witness the long talked of shooting match between Neaf Apgar of this city and Aaron Woodruff of Elizabeth. The conditions of the match were that each man should shoot at 100 live birds, governed by the American Shooting Association rules, the stake being $125 a side. The birds furnished for the occasion were an unusually strong lot of flyers, and the high wind that prevailed throughout the match made them still more difficult to bring down. It was thought by a majority of the spectators that Apgar's chances were by far the best, and after he had scored 23 out of his first 25 in the most skilful manner, his opponent's chances looked very slim indeed; pigeon shooting however, is a largely governed by the character of the bird, and the hard birds that continually fell to Apgar's lot, was remarked by all. Bird after bird was liberated for him, from the most unfavorable traps, while seemingly easy birds fell to the lot of his opponent, the "luck of the birds" as it is termed by trap shooters, was entirely against him. Mr. Woodruff shot a good up hill race, and while the majority of the spectators were in sympathy with the local man, they gave him credit for his skillful work. A second match will be arranged at an early date as "little" Neaf is hardly satisfied with Tuesday's result. W. Terry officiated as referee in a most and acceptable manner, C. Smith acting as scorer.

The score as shot in strings of 25 was:

Woodruff.....	20,	21,	23,	20—84
Apgar.....	23,	15,	20,	20—78

At the conclusion of the match a miss and out affair with 12 entries was shot, which resulted in favor of T. H. Keller and William Ross of Elizabeth, they each killing six birds and dividing the pool. C. Smith scoring 5, Scott Terry 5, D. Terry, 4, Apgar 3, Astfalk 2. Botch 2, Noel 2, Scott 0, Dan 0, Brewer 0.

PROGRESS DEMANDS A BOROUGH.

The Station End of the Township Demands Improvements for Which It Is Willing to Pay.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE DAILY PRESS:—The articles in your Monday's issue, copied from the New York Evening Post and Union County Standard, are hardly a fair statement of the Borough question now being agitated here.

The energetic, pushing, goahead residents of the township are mainly located in close proximity to the Jersey Central Railroad station, and being desirous of all the improvements to be had in the way of good roads, walks, water, electric lights, and everything in that line, are willing to pay for them; but under township government the entire taxable property of the township is assessed for improvements which only a part get the benefit of, and as is natural those situated at a distance complain, and not without reason! It certainly is an injustice to tax them for improvements not common to the whole township; but it is not an injustice if those who do get the benefits pay for them.

There does n t seem to be any way under the present condition of things, of arranging these matters in a way fair to all concerned, and it can be done with a borough, and without any detriment to the portions of the township not included.

The trolley question seems to be settled, and it is expected the franchise for the main line and the loop will be granted at the next meeting of the Township Committee. ANOTHER FANWOODER.

Fanwood, Feb. 27.

—Commencing tomorrow, the United States Express Company open up a big territory between Cincinnati and St. Louis on the O. & M. R. R.

—Charles W. McCutchen will lead the East Third Street Mission prayer meeting tonight. Excellent music will be a feature. Everybody is welcome.

—Miss Loizeaux of Brook avenue, while crossing the ice on Tier's lake Tuesday afternoon, fell through into the water, but was rescued without serious injury.

—The decision in the contested game having been granted to Cranford, Plainfield leads in the bowling tourney, and has only one more game to win to get the cup.

—Secretary Hobart Clark announces a stated meeting of the Union County Branch of the State Charities Aid Association, to be held in All Souls Church, Monday, March 4, at 8 p. m.

—Some of the Walter Scott printing machinery was damaged in a newspaper office fire in Minneapolis a few days ago, but withstood the test so well that very shortly it will be running again.

Mrs. Emily Thorne, who resides at Toledo, Washington, says she has never been able to procure any medicine for rheumatism that relieves the pain so quickly and effectually as Chamberlain's Pain Balm and that she has also used it for lame back with great success. For sale at Reynolds's pharmacy, Park and North aves. T. S. Armstrong, manager.

FREE PUBLIC LIBRARY.

Monthly Bulletin of Books Added During February, 1895.

Augustine St, Confessions.
Austin G L, Wendell Phillips.
Baird C W, Huguenot Emigration to America, 2 v.
Besant Ws, Armorel of Lyonesse.
Brooke S A, Tennyson, his art, etc.
Buckland A, Story of English Literature.
Clarke R S, Cousin Grace.
Clarke, Fairy Book.
Clarke, Sister Susy.
Conkling A R, City Government in the U. S.
Cooper & Fenton, American Politics.
Crowe & Cavalcaselle, Life and Times of Titian, 2 v.
Davidson J, Education of the Greek People.
Dexter S, Co-operative and Loan Associations.
Doyle A Conan, Refugees.
Earle A M, ed Diary of a Boston School Girl.
Ellis E S, Ned on the River.
Fenelon F, Letters to Men.
" Letters to Women.
Freeman E A, Sketch of History.
Headley J T, Washington and His Generals, 2 v.
Howe Julia Ward, Later Lyrics.
Howell G, Conflicts of Labor and Capital.
Hyde J W, Following the Greek Cross.
James H, Daisy Miller.
Jones Owen, Grammar of Ornament.
Kemble Fanny, Records of a Girlhood.
Knox T W, Boy travellers in the Levant.
Lamartine A de, Celebrated characters. 3 v.
Lang A, Cock lane and common sense.
Lang A, True story book.
Levy A, Private life of Napoleon 2 v.
Lewis A J, Puzzles.
Lloyd H D, Wealth against commonwealth.
Meredith G, Lord Ormont and his Aminta.
Monroe K, Dorymates.
Pool M L, The two Salomes.
Sargent E, Peculiar.
Seeley J R, Life and times of Stein 2 v.
Sherman letters.
Sismondi J C L S de, Literature of the south of Europe.
Stephen L, Hours in a library 2 v.
Symonds J A, Boccaccio, man and author.
Taine H, Lectures on art 2 v.
Taylor J, Holy living and holy dying.
Thackeray W M, Great Hoggarty diamond.
Woolsey S C, Not quite eighteen.
Boston, Trial of the British soldiers, March 5, 1770.
Alison A, History of Europe, 1792-1815, 10 v.
Alison A, History of Europe, 1815-1852, 9 v.
Cornwallis Lord, Answer to Sir Henry Clinton.
Grote Mrs, Life of George Grote.
Defoe D, Recently discovered writings 2 v.
Lee W, Life of Defoe
Stanhope, War of the Succession in Spain.
Muhlenberg H A, life of Peter Muhlenberg.
Thackeray W M, Thackerayana.
Baker W S, Itinerary of Gen Washington.
Baker Gen L C, U S secret service.
Barber J W, Massachusetts historical collections.
Barrett J H, Abraham Lincoln.
Brownlow W G, Sketches of secession.
Edwards J, Work of redemption.
Hatfield E F, History of Elizabeth, N J.
Headley P C, Massachusetts in the rebellion.
King J D, Bacon against Shakespeare.
Moore F ed, Songs of the American revolution.
New York Provincial congress, Journal, 2 v.
Pollard E A, Lost cause regained.
Safford W H, Biennerhassett papers.
Young J. R, Around the world with Gen Grant 2 v.
Huntington Bh, Forty days with the Master.
Andersen H, Ice maiden.
Haliburton J C, Nature and human nature.
Haliburton, J C, Sam Slick in England.
Kemble Fanny, Poems.
Neil S, Epoch men.
Paterson W Wallace, the hero of Scotland.
Plutarch, Selections from his "Lives".
Reade C, Love me little, love me long.
Reade C, Cloister and the hearth.
Reid M, White gauntlet.
Wallace Lew, Boyhood of Christ.
Princeton Bric-a-brac 1896.
Women of history.
U S War Department Rebellion records v 46 part 1.
Smithsonian Inst 8th-10 reports 3 v.
N J Journal of 50th senate.
N J Minutes of the 118th General Assembly.

Honeyman's Private Tours.

Next tour April 11 to Southern California via Mammoth Cave and New Orleans. Private hotel car. Time 41 days. Room for few only. European Tour, including a week's coaching trip in England, June 22. Circulars at 181 North avenue, Plainfield. 27w1

BISSELL'S RESIGNATION

The Postmaster General Resumes His Law Practice.

His Letter to the President Created a Surprise in the Cabinet — He Regrets That He Is Compelled To Sever His Official Relations with Mr. Cleveland and His Aids.

Washington, Feb. 28.—Postmaster-General Bissell set at rest all doubts as to his purpose of remaining in the cabinet by tendering his resignation to President Cleveland yesterday. This action was not taken hastily. As far back as the early autumn Mr. Bissell felt that his law practice at Buffalo required his personal attention and at that time he notified the president that sooner or later he would be compelled to retire to private life. Nothing further passed between the two gentlemen with reference to the matter until ten days ago when Mr. Bissell again assured the president that he must soon resign his portfolio.

His Relations Most Cordial.

In a statement made by Mr. Bissell to a representative of the United Press last night he says that he has found the work of his office agreeable, notwithstanding its onerousness. He says that he leaves the department with regret and adds that his official relations with the president and his cabinet ministers have been most cordial. He denies emphatically the reports of disagreements between the president and his cabinet and asserts that no ministry could in its official and personal relations be more harmonious.

It Will Be a Surprise.

The postmaster-general's resignation was not known until a late hour last evening to his private secretary, nor will it be known in all probability to any of his subordinates at the department until its publication in the papers. The letter of resignation is said to have been brief and to have been couched in the usual formal terms. It recites the fact that he deems it advisable to retire from the cabinet and that he will do so upon the appointment and qualification of his successor. The letter was written by the postmaster-general at the close of office hours and was by him personally handed to his chief a little after 5 o'clock.

To a United Press reporter who called at his residence last evening Mr. Bissell frankly stated that he had resigned.

Is He Disheartened?

Said he: "I have placed my resignation in the hands of the president. The reason is that my professional work at home demands my attention and I feel that I cannot longer remain away from it. The business of the department is in good condition and its transfer to my successor can be made without affecting the public service.

"I have found my work agreeable, although at times quite onerous. I confess I leave it with regret because I have become deeply interested in it and had a desire to accomplish something more in the development of the postal service than I have found possible in these two years of effort. I deeply regret, also, that I am thus compelled to sever official relations with the president and his cabinet which have been most satisfactory and cordial throughout."

A COWARDLY ANARCHIST.

A Sleeping Family Blown Up with Dynamite.

Mount Carmel, Pa., Feb. 28.—A fiendish plot to blow up Henry Sullinger's residence and kill six people was partially carried into effect here early yesterday morning.

A large quantity of dynamite was piled in front of Sullinger's home. The villian, while the family was asleep, attached a fuse to the terrible explosive and lighted it.

The perpetrator of the plot fled just in time to escape a dreadful explosion which shattered Sullinger's residence. The front of the house was badly damaged and three children were thrown from bed by the great shock. Debris filled the air and the neighborhood was startled. Windows in a neighboring house were broken by the concussion or by the flying missiles.

Mr. Sullinger has no idea who designed the plot to kill his family, and as yet the police officials are no wiser than he.

Prohibiting Our Cattle.

Washington, Feb. 28.—The protest which the American embassy in Paris has been instructed to lodge with the French government on account of the decree prohibiting American cattle products is identical with that filed in Germany at the time of the alleged discovery of Texas fever in our cattle exportations to that country and represents that the department of agriculture is making redoubled effors to stamp out veterinary diseases and that the most vigorous measures of inspection and control of cattle and dressed meats intended for exports are being practiced.

Grover's Enemy a Postmaster.

Elmira, N. Y., Feb. 28.—The appointment of George Cotton as postmaster is a complete surprise to politicians here. The sentiment here is that this recognition of Hill's lieutenant is the first act of friendship between Cleveland and Hill. Cotton has been a bitter enemy of Cleveland and his appointment brings forth lurid expressions from the anti-snappers.

His Fight for Liberty.

Hazleton, Pa., Feb. 28.—Constables Zeigler and Trescott, yesterday arrested James Scharvo, who is charged with murdering an Italian girl at Scranton a year ago. Scharvo told the officers that it was his brother whom they wanted. He made a desperate attempt to escape and nearly killed Officer Zeigler by cutting open his abdomen.

England Needs Him.

London, Feb. 28.—The term of Admiral Freemantle, in command of the British fleet in Chinese waters, will expire soon, but, in view of the critical situation in the east, his transfer may be delayed. His successor will be Admiral Buller.

HE THOUGHT IT WAS WHISKEY.

Drank Carbolic Acid and Died Fifteen Minutes Later.

Newark, N. J., Feb. 28.—Fifteen minutes after drinking two ounces of carbolic acid, which he had taken by mistake, thinking it was whiskey, William Busch, 32 years old, died in the greatest agony yesterday afternoon.

Busch returned home from work and before going to bed he had his wife prepare a whiskey punch, some of which they drank. A pint bottle was filled with it and placed in the pantry, alongside a bottle of the same kind which contained carbolic acid.

Mrs. Busch was aroused from sleep by a violent ringing at the door bell. On going to the door she found Edward Appel, an undertaker, whose place is at 286 Springfield avenue and by whom her husband was employed. Appel told Mrs. Busch to waken her husband, as he wanted him to assist him at some work.

Busch hurriedly arose and dressed himself. He had his overcoat on his arm going out the door when he thought of the punch and turned back. He went to the closet, and picking up a bottle which he supposed contained the whiskey, put it to his mouth and drank a good quantity.

In an instant Busch dropped the bottle and, putting his hands to his mouth and throat, began screaming that he was on fire. He rushed into the bedroom, where his wife was.

"My God, Mary, I've drank something awful," he cried out.

Mrs. Busch instantly saw the mistake made by her husband and she rushed to his aid. She placed her arms about him and escorted him to the front room, where he fell. The wife rushed from the house and went to Appel's place, a hundred yards away, and informed him.

Appel went to a nearby drug store, secured some drugs and hurriedly made his way to the house, but when he reached it Busch was dead.

HER SKULL WAS CRUSHED.

Found in Her Burning Home with a Bloody Axe Near the Bed.

East Lebanon, Me., Feb. 28.—A murder believed to be the act of an insane son, was committed here yesterday at the homestead of the late Deacon John J. Fernald, about two miles from the East Lebanon station. Some of the neighbors discovered that the Fernald buildings were in flames.

During the excitement attending the fire somebody discovered in a small bed room the dead body of Mrs. Fernald. Her skull was crushed, and there were marks of a sharp instrument. Further search revealed a bloody axe near the bed. The son Leroy Fernald, aged 38, was missing, which fact aroused suspicion. At first it was thought the fire had started in the barn while he was feeding the stock, and that he had perished in the flames. A search was instituted, and the missing man was discovered in an attic concealed behind the beams, from which concealment he was dragged and placed under arrest. Fernald shows signs of insanity.

GROCERY STORE WRECKED.

Great Excitement Follows the Explosion of a Can of Paint.

New York, Feb. 28.—A small three-story brick building on Madison street was almost wrecked yesterday afternoon by an explosion of paint which occurred in a grocery store on the ground floor. The proprietor of the store and a negro were thawing a can of paint on a stove, when the stuff exploded with such force that the concussion was heard six blocks away. Great excitement among the families living in the house followed the explosion, and many hastened to make their escape to the street. The concussion did not damage the grocery or injure those in it at the time of the explosion, but it wrecked the chimney and tore the plaster from the walls on the top floor. The scattered chimney crashed down on the roof, narrowly escaping toppling into James street which was crowded with children.

NO MONEY IN MATCHES.

Low Prices Has Demoralized the Market—Advancement Asked.

Montreal, Feb. 28.—Representatives of the Canadian Match factories met here yesterday to consider an advance in prices. The cutting has been general and the market is demoralized, the production being much in excess of the demand.

The statement for the present month shows that stocks in jobbers and manufacturers' hands are so large that it would be impossible to obtain higher prices even if the manufacturers agreed to it. The meeting adjourned indefinitely without taking action.

We Wish Her Success.

Atlanta, Ga., Feb. 28.—Miss Laura C. Morgan and Prof. F. B. White, an invalid, were married last Sunday afternoon in the professor's sick chamber. He was so ill that he could barely whisper the responses. The two have long been engaged and were to marry next summer, but the professor fell desperately ill. His fiancee believed that she could save his life if she could be with him constantly and at her suggestion they were married.

Another Trolley Victim.

Brooklyn, N. Y., Feb. 28.—The Rev. A. P. Knell, of Cornwall Bridge, Conn., was painfully hurt yesterday by falling to the pavement at Kent avenue and Broadway, this city, while stepping from the platform of a trolley car of the Meeker avenue line. Mr. Knell struck the stones on his face. An ambulance surgeon dressed the wounds.

Curling Match.

Utica, N. Y., Feb. 28.—The curling match between New York and Utica clubs closed yesterday. Utica won both games, the first 21 to 17, and the second 33 to 22. The totals for the four games are: Utica 125, New York 110.

Capitalists Want the Earth.

Jacksonville, Fla., Feb. 28.—Eastern capitalists have purchased sixty-five hundred acres of phosphate lands in Levy county, Florida, paying therefor $65,000 cash. A large mining plant will be established near Bronson.

Women Must Suffer On.

Concord, N. H., Feb. 28.—The house of representatives yesterday by a vote of 185 to 108, refused a third reading to the bill providing for municipal suffrage for women.

LADIES STILL TALKING

Needed Dress Reform the Discussion of the Day.

Miss Seavey Tells What the Bicycle Girl Should Wear—A Dig at High Heels and Sharp Toe Shoes—Corsets and Tight Lacing Injurious to Health.

Washington, Feb. 28.—At the Womens' council yesterday, there was much debate on dress reform. Mrs. Martha Strickland, a lawyer of Detroit, opened the discussion. She placed herself on record as against the dress of the fashion plates which, she said, was of a character entirely contrary to natures dictates. The complaint that our dress makers were not artistic was denied by Mrs. Strickland, who contended that they did what was required of them from the artistic standpoint of their patrons, but they certainly were not artistic in the sense of creating gowns embodying beauty, grace and comfort.

The Bicycle Girl.

Frances B. Seavey of Boston told about what the bicycle girl should wear. She wanted a perfect dress for the wheel, and exhibited the dress she wore as her ideal. The interest was intense when Miss Seavey explained the various garments composing the creation. It did not have a divided skirt. The skirt was very simple but Miss Seavey said she had spent more thought on it than on any other thing that she had taken up. She said the wheel had come to stay (Applause). It brought the emancipation from conventional dress (Applause). Why should women ape men? She asked. Men had so little variety in costume that it was a pity for women to repeat them (Applause). She was therefore in favor of a dress on the general idea of that worn by women and she exhibited her costume as an example of her attempt to attain the ideal.

Character Shown in Her Feet.

Ellen A. Richardson of Massachusetts, told about improved dress from a hygienic standpoint. Hygienic dressing was exygenic dressing or dressing so as to give pure breathing, she said; breathing from every pore, from head to toes. To do this the dress must be loose and of porous material. She gave a dig at high heels and sharp toes and was applauded. The comfort of the feet was the basis for our physical, mental and moral well-being. One glance at a woman's feet, said Mrs. Richardson, showed her more of a woman's character than a study of her face and head. Difficult it was to say which was the greater sin—the constriction of the waist or of the foot. A constricted understanding could not beget good morals.

About Their Corsets.

Mrs. Richardson then proceeded to pay her respects to corsets, but her time expired and she had to sit down despite the continued applause by which her hearers sought to have her continue.

Mrs. Clara B. Colby of this city, also had something to say about dress. She favored hygenic dress and was down on the corset. Mrs. Colby wore a loose fitting gown, full in the back and the figure merely suggested by a belt in front extending half way around the waist. Women suffered not from any divine intent that they should suffer, but from their own manner of dressing. Women who dressed unhealthily chained themselves to animality.

Dressmakers in the Way.

Mrs. Julia Pauline Leavitt closed the formal discussion. Her black silk gown embodied her principles in its looseness of fit. The harm that dressmakers had done, she said, was colossal. They prevented women from taking up dress reform. Women who pretended they wanted to reform their method of dressing, hid themselves behind their dress-makers when the latter refused to make a gown on reform principles. But here the bell rang.

He Probably Forgot It.

Amesbury, Mass., Feb. 28.—John Mahoney, jr., a well known carriage manufacturer of Troy, N. Y., was arrested here yesterday at the instance of Bradley Hastings & Co., of Boston. He is charged with neglecting to settle for $900 worth of goods obtained from that firm. He failed to obtain bail. He will appear in court to-day for examination.

Another Female Brute.

Lebanon, Pa., Feb. 28.—Mary Loeb was given a hearing yesterday on the charge of cruelly torturing a child. She is accused of holding Martin Reager, aged 4 years, over a fire until the flesh was roasted and otherwise abusing him. The woman was held in $500 bail for a hearing.

Who Knows This Suicide?

Buffalo, Feb. 28.—A man about 35 years old was found dead in bed at the Crystal hotel last night. He had committed suicide by shooting himself in the head. The name F. Young, on his linen, is all there is to establish his identity.

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UNCLE SAM MUST WAIT

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Time Wasted in the Senate—Five Hours Spent Debating the Sundry Civil Appropriation Bill—Antagonized by Democratic Senators—Other Measures Considered.

Washington, Feb. 28.—The effort to induce the house to unite with the senate and vote to purchase what is known as the Mahone lot as a site for the government printing office, failed again yesterday, and the probabilities are that nothing will be done towards the erection of a new building this year. The matter came up under the special order adopted Tuesday alloting the session to the consideration of measures reported from the committee on buildings and grounds. After discussing the bill for three hours, Mr. Bankhead, chairman of the committee, finding it impossible to effect an arrangement limiting debate, abandoned the contest, and surrendered the remaining portion of the session to the consideration of general business.

Must Live on Their Routes.

In the course of the day, conference reports on the following bills were agreed to: The pension appropriation bill; a bill granting a pension of $50 a month to General Harrison C. Hobart; the bill to equalize the duties and salaries of the steamboat inspection service; and the postoffice appropriation bill. Upon each of the pension and postoffice appropriation bills there was quite a debate, and with regard to the latter the house voted by an overwhelming majority to concur in the senate amendment limiting to railway postal clerks hereafter to be appointed the operations of the departments order requiring them to live on the routes where they are employed.

The senate amendment to the house joint resolution suspending the transfer in bond through the United States of articles destined for the Mexican free zone was concurred in, and the following bills were passed:

Fifteen private pension bills; granting an American register to the steamer Kauli; extending until Jan. 1, the time within which certain forfeited railroad lands may be purchased.

The house adjourned at 5:35 until 12 o'clock to-day, the session to be devoted to District of Columbia measures.

In the Senate.

The senate spent nearly five hours in debate on the amendment to the sundry civil appropriation bill, reported from the committee on appropriations, providing for an issue of $100,000,000 certificates of indebtedness bearing 3 per cent. interest, to meet deficiencies in the treasury and also requiring future issues of bonds to be offered to the public for at least twenty days.

Mr. Gorman Talks.

Mr. Gorman (dem., Md.), who was recognized as the responsible author of the amendment, spoke for over an hour in advocacy of it, showing the probable needs of the treasury during the fiscal year and declaring that the secretary of the treasury was entirely mistaken in his estimates. The antagonists of the amendment were all found on the democratic side of the chamber, in the persons of Senators Hill, Mills, Voorhees and Vilas, which was, perhaps, the cause of Mr. Gorman's subsequent allusion to "sudden conversions—such as were read of in scripture."

No Night Sessions.

The supporters of the amendment were on the republican side, and included Senators Sherman and Allison. Finally, as it was clear to Mr. Gorman and all other senators that the amendment—if held to be in order—would be debated till the 4th of March next, Mr. Gorman withdrew the amendment; and the appropriation bill was then offered and agreed to. Unanimous consent was given to have a final vote taken on the bill this afternoon. A night session was thereby avoided; and the senate at 6:30 adjourned until 10 o'clock this morning.

Boys, Gunpowder, Explosion.

Huntingdon, Pa., Feb. 28.—Seven boys, who had gathered about a five pound can of gunpowder here yesterday and took turns in applying lighted matches to it, caused a terrific explosion, which will probably result in the death of two of the lads. George Rupert and Chester Harton, each about 16, were hurled thirty feet against a building. The clothing of the remaining boys was set on fire, and that of Robert Shaw and Thomas Earl burned from their bodies. The boys only escaped cremation by jumping into a nearby pond. The windows in all the neighboring houses were shattered.

It Was Comstock's Work.

Philadelphia, Feb. 28.—Charles C. Rickerson, 17 years of age, of Lancaster, Pa., who on the 18th inst., in the United States district court here pleaded guilty to sending obscene letters, books and pamphlets through the mails from Lancaster, was yesterday sentenced to seven months imprisonment. Rickerson was arrested through the efforts of Anthony Comstock of New York.

A Brooklyn Belle Objected.

New Haven, Conn., Feb. 28.—In the United States district court, J. M. Leydes, of Danbury, charged with having sent Miss Beslin, of Brooklyn, an obscene letter, pleaded guilty to the charge and was fined $100. Judge Townsend remitted the fine. The lenency of the court was because the contents of the letter was not a very grave violation of the law.

Their Horrible Fall.

Harrisburg, Pa., Feb. 28.—John Jacobs and Albert Maul, painters, fell from a swinging scaffold on North Sixth street yesterday morning. Maul was killed and Jacobs is dangerously hurt. The scaffold was thirty feet from the ground.

Bishop Manogue Dead.

Sacramento, Cal., Feb. 28.—Bishop Manogue, of the Northern Catholic diocese of California and Nevada, died in this city yesterday.

"PAID FOR MAKING MISCHIEF."

So Says Colonel Waring to the Labor Unions.

New York, Feb. 28.—Colonel Waring, the commissioner of street cleaning, yesterday gave out for publication a copy of a letter he recently sent to Patrick Murphy, secretary of Knights of Labor, District Assembly 49, in answer to a communication from that assembly which stated that it had approved and endorsed the resolutions adopted by another labor assembly demanding that the mayor immediately remove the commissioner on account of his hostility to organized labor. In his letter Commissioner Waring says: "I regard your organization as being an anti-labor organization, opposed to workingmen and opposed to work; an association carried on in the interest of idleness. I believe its chief cause of existence to be that you leaders may earn your salaries by making mischief. I shall, therefore, oppose every movement emanating from you with which my official work brings me in contact, until I see some evidence on the part of 'Knights of Labor' and 'Labor Unions' of an interest in workingmen and in the industrial interests of the community. I have no opposition to the employment of citizens, but I am opposed to the infliction of the burdens on workingmen and the cost on the whole people that the infamous conduct of 'organized labor' has caused."

KILLED BY THE TROLLEY.

Three Victims Meet Death in Brooklyn Yesterday.

Brooklyn, N. Y., Feb. 28.—Gustav Carlson, an 11-year-old boy, was killed in a shocking manner by a trolley car in this city last night. The lad was returning from school, when, as he attempted to cross Humboldt street, at the corner of Conselyea street, he was struck by a car of the Meeker avenue trolley line, and instantly killed. The front wheels of the car passed over the boy's body, mangling it in a horrible manner.

Thomas Dugan, while assisting in lifting the car from the boy's body, had his leg fractured. The motorman and conductor were placed under arrest.

This is the one hundredth victim of the trolley car since its introduction in this city.

Two other fatal accidents occurred last evening. Frederick Dumbleton was struck by a car on the Fulton street line and died later in the hospital.

Stephen Gill, a 12-year-old boy was instantly killed by a cross-bound car at Columbia and Amity street. Both of his legs were cut off and his body badly bruised. The motorman and conductor were arrested.

HAVE THE FORTY PERISHED?

Terrible Explosion in a Mine—Eleven Bodies Found.

Cerrilos, N. M., Feb. 28.—A disastrous mining accident was reported from White Ash, three miles from here yesterday. Enough is known to show that many lives have been lost. Late last night there had been eleven bodies taken out. The accident occurred in the mines of the Santa Fe company. It was caused by an explosion. The employes at the entrance to the mine heard a terrific roar, followed by the ground trembling. A dense volume of smoke poured from the entrance, making it impossible to enter until it had partially cleared.

There were forty men in the mine when the explosion took place. None of them have so far been rescued and it is feared that many, if not all, have perished. There is no way of escape through the entrance to the mine at present. The first body recovered was that of a driver, who was near the mouth when the explosion took place. Judging from his fate, there is little hope for any in the mine. Over half of the men employed in the mine have families and they surrounded the mine with woeful faces.

OUTLAWS CAPTURED.

A Terrible Fight at Midnight—U. S. Marshal Killed.

Muskogee, I. T., Feb. 28.—The Hughes gang of bandits that held up the Texas Pacific express in daylight six weeks ago and got $100,000 have begun to operate in the Indian Territory. Yesterday the United States marshal received a telegram from Checotah, twenty miles south, giving the whereabouts of the gang and stating that they had planned to hold up the Missouri, Kansas & Texas. Five marshals were ordered to Checotah at once. They trailed the gang all night and after a severe fight, in which they lost one man (an Indian) they captured two of the outlaws, the others escaped to the woods.

Electrical Workers' Strike.

New York, Feb. 28.—The board of walking delegates held a meeting yesterday afternoon, and it was afterwards announced that no action was taken that would extend the strike. One of the delegates said that no new strike would occur until the Contractors' association had taken some further steps to antagonize the men, such as attempting to employ non-union men.

Uncle Sam Objected.

Philadelphia, Feb. 28.—Charles Wilson Rowe, who was convicted of using the mails in carrying on a scheme to defraud, known as the bogus lumber business, was yesterday sentenced by Judge Butler in the United States district court to $100 fine and eighteen months imprisonment. Harry Wells, Rowe's partner in the scheme, was sentenced to $100 fine and a year's imprisonment.

To Eject Her Husband.

Newark, N. J., Feb. 28.—Mrs. Ellen Morehouse has brought suit to have James P. Morehouse ejected from her house on Cottage street, this city. Mrs. Morehouse recently secured a divorce from her husband, and he now refuses to leave the house, which Mrs. Morehouse claims as her property.

Flour Mill Burned.

Peabody, Kan., Feb. 28.—Wilson Brothers' flour mill east of this city was destroyed by fire yesterday, the origin being unknown. The loss is $100,000; insurance $70,000.

A Queen with Measles.

Madrid, Feb. 28.—Queen Regent Christiana has the measles, but is not seriously ill.

THE BATH BEACH FIRE

Many Houses Wiped Out by the Flames.

Brave Rescue by a Policeman—Assistance from Brooklyn and Other Places Called—Volunteer Firemen Jealous—Spontaneous Combustion the Supposed Cause of the Fire.

Bath Beach, N. Y., Feb. 28.—Sixteen houses were totally destroyed and some eighteen families made homeless by a fire which broke out in a drug store at this place shortly after midnight yesterday morning. That more houses were not destroyed is looked upon as remarkable, for nearly all of the buildings are of wood, mostly yellow pine, and a strong wind was blowing all during the early morning.

Bath Beach's business district, consisting of two blocks of frame buildings, was a series of piles of ashes three hours after the fire started. The origin of the blaze is supposed to have been spontaneous combustion, as it started in the cellar of Thomas McNichol's drug store, where a quantity of oils and other combustibles were kept. A clerk who slept in the store was awakened by the smoke, and he gave the alarm to Policeman Flanagan, who promptly rang an alarm bell a short distance away.

A Bucket Brigade.

Like all the country towns recently annexed to Brooklyn, Bath Beach has no regular fire department, so the alarm was responded to by the volunteer hook and ladder company. They soon had the flames out, and as they supposed the fire was all over started for home.

An instant later a loud explosion was heard and within a few seconds the whole of the drug store building was wrapped in flames. The front and rear walls of the store had been blown out and a dwelling in the rear of it also took fire. Calls for assistance were quickly sent to the fire laddies of Fort Hamilton, Unionville and Gravesend. All of them responded, and although they fought heroically their efforts had little effect upon the flames. The entire male population of this place turned out and assisted in the fight by forming bucket brigades.

Jealous Firemen.

At 2:30 the men fighting the flames saw they were getting the worst of it and they called on the Brooklyn fire department for help. Assistant Fire Chief Murray and District Engineer Doyle went down there with Engine Company No. 1, which is at Fourth avenue and Fifty-second street.

The arrival of the latter caused some jealously on the part of the volunteers, and when Chief Murray asked the Gravesend firemen to give up a hydrant near the heart of the fire they refused and a dispute followed. The Brooklyn firemen then had to go down to a hydrant 1,200 feet away to get water. Murray says he could have stopped the fire in fifteen minutes if it had not been for this.

Meanwhile the fireboat David A. Boody had come down from Brooklyn and soon had a big stream of water flowing into the flames through 1,400 feet of hose. The effect of this and the work of the big Brooklyn engine was soon seen, and after twenty minutes' fighting the fire was practically out.

He Saved the Baby.

The bright flames, which could be seen for miles around, made the spectacle a dazzling one. Sparks were blown long distances by the wind, and several small fires began away out from the main fire. The residents of this place were frightened nearly out of their wits, for at one time it looked as though not a cottage in the vicinity would escape the flames.

During the worst of the fire there were several rescues, the most notable of which was that by Roundsman Frank, who went into Mitchell's hotel while it was burning and rescued a baby which had been forgotten in the flight from the building. The hotel was totally destroyed. The total loss is estimated at $107,000, which is partly covered by $75,000 insurance.

Fears for the Schooner Johnson.

Provincetown, Mass., Feb. 28.—Fears are arising here for the safety of the fishing schooner Joseph P. Johnson, Captain George Brier, which sailed for the western banks, Jan. 28, and from which no report has been received since the heavy gales and bad weather of the first of this month. The Johnson carried a crew of twenty men, all belonging in this place, seventeen of whom were married and leave families.

A Publisher in Trouble.

Philadelphia, Feb. 28.—L. Lum Smith, publisher of the Agents Herald of this city, was arrested yesterday on charges of violating the postal laws by sending through the mails copies of his paper which contained an advertisement of an obscene book and for "engaging in a scheme to defraud by opening correspondence through the mails with another person." The charges were preferred by Postal Inspector Holden.

100,000 Miners Affected.

London, Feb. 28.—The negotiations for a revision of the sliding scale in the South of Wales mines have failed and the owners will notify the men that contracts will be terminated at the end of March when the scale will expire, unless revised. About 100,000 miners are affected. The decision of the owners will cause much bitterness and excitement.

Eight Years for That Job.

Boston, Feb. 28.—Eight years in the state prison was yesterday imposed by Judge Lilley in the superior criminal court upon Henry E. Stone for manslaughter, in causing the death of his wife Ellen E. Stone. The crime was committed December 29, at a lodging house, where Mrs. Stone was living apart from her husband.

"Cherokee Bill" Laughed.

Fort Smith, Ark., Feb. 28.—A verdict of guilty of murder was returned yesterday in the federal court by the jury against the outlaw "Cherokee Bill." The prisoner merely laughed in a contemptuous manner.

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TOWN AND HOME FAVORITE.

PLAINFIELD, N. J., FEB. 28, 1895

The editor of the discarded Republican organ professes to treat as a huge joke the castigation he is getting from those in authority. He will probably find much amusement in the communication from the Police Board published in this issue—an official utterance which needs no comment and from which there is no escape.

The Daily Press serials continue the best that the best living authors can produce. They are brand-new, copyrighted, and first published in these columns. Hamlin Garland's dramatic story, begun today, will be concluded tomorrow. In Saturday's issue will be commenced "The Thirteenth Column", by Barry Pain. Nym Crinkle's masterpiece, "Eight Minutes of Three", is scheduled for the issues of March 6, 7, 8, 9 and 11. Then come "Comfort Pease" by Mary E. Wilkins, "The Second Promise" by Howard Fielding, and "Toxin" by Ouida. How's that for a feast of variety and excellence in literature!

EARLY INTELLIGENCE.

—Somehow Peck's embroidery store has a great attraction for women.

—Preparatory service will be held in Trinity Reformed Church Friday evening at 8.

—The famous Chimmie Fadden stories are having a great sale at Rand's popular bookstore.

—Shad fine as silk, 90 cents to $1 50, at Rogers's sea food market, enough to supply the town.

—Policeman Hartpence has shaved off his beard so the folks won't mistake him for Capt. Grant.

—Aaron S. Kayser is beautifying his handsome residence on Watchung avenue by a fresh coat of paint.

—A regular meeting of the Exempt Firemen's Association will be held in their rooms tonight at 8.

—Secretary Mullin announces that the charter for Plainfield Council, No. 44, will remain open for Chosen Friends for 30 days.

—The Young Men's Symphony Orchestra will furnish music at the Y. M. C. A. meeting in the Assembly Hall Sunday afternoon.

—A five-months-old daughter of James McKuee died last night at 6:15. The funeral will take place tomorrow afternoon at 2.

—The entrance to the Y. M. C. A. Building is being protected from wind and dust by the erection of swinging storm doors.

—A magic-lantern exhibition with colored and dissolving views, will be given in the German Reformed Church, Craig place, this and tomorrow evenings.

—E. P. Thorn will tonight stop selling intoxicating liquors, and will open as a temperance house, selling soda-water and soft drinks, tomorrow, continuing a temperance till his license is granted.

—At first glance patrons of Reynolds's Pharmacy think a new porter is on duty, but as they note his polite and obliging ways they recognize the same old Lewis Lowrie, in spite of his loss of mustache.

—A regular monthly meeing of the North Plainfield Township School Board was held last night, at which considerable routine business was transacted, and a number of bills audited and ordered paid.

—One of Plainfield's most interesting places to visit is White's store. There is always something new to be seen, and the moderate prices that they ask for everything make every visitor a purchaser. They offer for this week ladies' white chamois kids at 79 cents; fine dress cambric, 6 cents a yard; 54 inch covert cloth, 49 cents a yard. Their four show windows are filled with goods that they are having a special sale on.

The Prize-Winners.

Mrs. E. A. Vars of Dunellen wrote to R. E. Marshall & Co.: "My solution of your puzzle is "Motto, our work cannot be excelled". Marshall & Co. wrote back: "This being the first correct answer received, we are pleased to notify Mrs. Vars of her success."

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Short Stories of Heroism from Real Life.

Bearding the Lion In His Den.

Feb. 28, 1864, was the date of one of Torpedo Cushing's famous exploits in Cape Fear river. In order to convince his superior that a certain plan he had matured was feasible he offered to bring the enemy's commander to breakfast on board the admiral's flagship. With 20 men in two boats he pulled past Fort Caswell and the batteries at Bald Head, in the mouth of the river, and landed at Smithfield, where the Confederate headquarters were located. Hiding his boats and their crews within 25 yards of a battery, he went with two men to the house occupied by General Hebert, passing through the main street of the town. Near the house were 1,200 enemies sleeping in their barracks. It was past midnight before the house grew still and lights were put out. Cushing left his comrades on the porch, and entering the unbolted door crept up stairs to the general's room, which had been located for him by a negro familiar with the house. With his hand on the door he was startled by a crash below and a cry from one of his men. Springing down the steps, he found that his comrades, in overconfidence, had alarmed the adjutant general, who hoisted a window and then brought it down on a Union revolver which looked him in the face. Cushing leaped into the room with a lighted taper and dragged from bed a dazed sleeper, who proved to be Hebert's chief engineer, Captain Kelley. From him he gleaned that the general, like Lord Erskine during the Battle of the Kegs, was lodging away from home.

The adjutant general had fled through a back door after encountering the revolver at the window, leaving the drowsy captain as the next best substitute for the more distinguished prisoner to grace the admiral's board next morning. The headquarters desks were rifled of papers and plans, and while the alarm cries sounded through the camp and the drums beat the long roll in the forts, Cushing and party, with Captain Kelley under guard, were in the middle of the river dropping down stream as noiselessly as they came. When Hebert reached his quarters, it was to meet a messenger bringing from a flag of truce the following:

MY DEAR GENERAL—I deeply regret that you were not home when I called. I inclose my card. Very respectfully,
W. B. CUSHING.

The department knew its man when Cushing was selected to sink the Albemarle. GEORGE L. KILMER.

Coming Lectures.

Papers will be read in All Souls Church on five great humorists as follows: March 8—Thomas Hood by McCready Sykes; March 22—Sydney Smith by Miss Edith R. Leonard; April 5—Douglass Jerrold by L. V. F. Randolph; April 19—Artemus Ward by Miss Kate Martine; May 3—Oliver W. Holmes by Rev. Hobart Clark. Each paper will be followed by a general discussion.

A FULL REPORT.

How Young Mr. Docket's Parting Instructions Were Carried Out to the Letter.

When young Docket went down to Washington to argue a case before the Supreme Court he left instructions with his office boy to take a list of the names of all the people who called during his absence and their business.

On coming into the office the next morning he found the following interesting memorandum on his desk:

Century Co. called.

Man called on personal business. Large; thin; gray sideboards; bad teeth; patent leather shoes; long striped pants, turned up at the end. Said later he had some very good books to sell me; but I told him I was deaf and dumb.

Here comes Mr. Jenkins at just exactly fifteen minutes to one. He came in and said:

"Is Mr. Docket in."

"No, sir," said I.

"Well, how is things?"

"Well," said I, "they're as good as can be expected."

He admired the picture and commented on the long, thin legs and things in general, just like a critic.

"Well, I must be going now," he said.

I said "Good day." And he said it was, and he hoped the weather would keep like this till next month. He said he would call at 10 Wednesday.

Mr. Hawley came in and took a seat and showed me a new patent arrangement he had just bought, and asked me if I thought he got stuck on it. It was pretty slippery, and I don't think he did, for he let it fall. He went away and said he would call again.

"Ha! ha! ha! Why, howdy do, Mr. Miller?" (He just came in, 2:59.)

"When is my case on?" (Smithers vs. Ferris, ain't it?) says he.

"Next week, first Friday," says I.

Then he says I should tell you that when you come downtown again you should stop in and see him.

I am going over to Miss Ribbon's now.

Just got back from the typewriter's.

The woman you bought a dozen cakes of soap of last week came in and wanted to sell you some more. But I told her she must think we eat soap here.

A gentleman called to see about putting up a Louis XI. hat rack. But I advised him he would do better to get something more up to date.

A clerk from the office of Coats, Evans & Tracey called.

This is what he said: "Isn't Mr. Docket in? Oh, dear! he's a pretty hard man to find, ain't he?"

"Oh, no!" says I; "I can always find him when I want him."

He said if he could see you a minute he would be happy.

That's all; and I call it a pretty good day's work for $3 a week. I'm going home as soon as I get my overcoat on.

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BROUWER—In this city Feb. 26, 1895, Sarah A., widow of the late Samuel Brouwer, in her 78th year.
Funeral services from her late residence near Samptown, Friday, March 1, at 3 p. m. 2

HETFIELD—In this city Friday, Feb. 27, 1895, Levi P. Hetfield, aged 77 years, 4 months and 28 days.
Funeral services from his late residence, 322 Madison avenue, Saturday, March 2, at 2:30 p. m. 3

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We made every effort to obtain a cure but they all resulted in bitter disappointment, although a number of physicians of excellent reputations for skill in that direction had treated her case. She grew worse and worse all the time, the pain became perfectly unbearable and I felt she could not bear the strain of her condition much longer. In this extremity, a friend of mine, Mr. W. E. Dilts, a resident of Roselle, N. J., a passenger conductor on the New Jersey Central told me that he had been similarly affected, and had been permanently cured by Dr. Lighthill, after other medical skill had failed. He assured me that the doctor would cure my wife, no matter how severe her case may be, and his prediction proved perfectly correct. In spite of her desperate condition, Dr. Lighthill, I am glad to say, has effected a complete and perfect cure in her case, and has given her new life.

Since the cure has been effected she has gained in health and strength and is so improved in appearance that her friends scarcely recognize her. They all consider her cure as almost miraculous, and Dr. Lighthill's praise is heard on every side. Our gratitude to Dr. Lighthill is unbounded and we only hope that other sufferers may be benefited by this publication.

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JOHN DIETRICH.

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PLAINFIELD, N. J., June 1, 1894.

TO THE PUBLIC:

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THOMAS CALLAHAN,
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A Card From Mr. T. R VanZandt, of Nos. 304 and 306 Park ave., Plainfield, N. J

I certify with pleasure that Dr. Lighthill has effectually cured me of a most painful case of piles. For some time past I had been subject to its attacks, but the last attack was so exceedingly painful that it completely upset my whole system. The pain extended to my legs and in many other directions, and made me so nervous that I could neither sleep, sit down, lie down or move about without serious discomfort and distress. Such was my condition when I applied to Dr. Lighthill for relief, and I am glad to say that as soon as he took hold of my case, I began to improve, and in a short time found myself completely cured. Dr. Lighthill has also effected a radical and permanent cure in a most terrible case of piles on my cousin, Mr J. V. Z. Griggs, of Rocky Hill, N. J., whose flattering testimonial is in Dr. Lighthill's possession.

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Josef Hofman, the Boy Pianist, is Coming to America. New York's Casino Opens Again as a Beer Garden. The Dog Show Outdid Its Predecessors.

For the second time in its history the Casino has started as a music hall. It was provided with a new and well painted curtain, and the colors about the proscenium arch had been freshened with new gilt and paint. But in many respects the theater was the same that it had been for many seasons. "Trial by Jury," which Gilbert and Sullivan wrote nearly twenty years ago, was part of the programme. It was credibly done, but it has not even the novelty which might have come from lack of use, for it is sung often enough to keep fresh in public memory.

Josef Hofman, the pianist, will come to this country next November, under Messrs. Abbey & Grau's management. Hofman, it will be remembered, began a series of concerts here under the same management several years ago, but on account of the interference of the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children, which forbade the appearance of the then boy artist, the contract had to be canceled.

None of Shakespeare's plays probably has been acted so little as "The Two Gentlemen of Verona," which is running at Daly's. It has only been seen once in New York city, and that was in 1846, when Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kean gave it its first American production at the old Park Theater. It was then played only four times. Shortly after it was acted in Baltimore, Boston and Philadelphia, and prints are in existence (almost as rare as the play itself) showing John Owens and William Warren in the part of Launce, which Mr. Lewis essays in Mr. Daly's production. Ellen Tree (Mrs. Kean) was the original Julia of the American stage, and it is this part which Miss Ada Rehan now plays.

Mr. Tree, of London, seems to delight in running from one end of the dramatic gamut to the other. On his first appearance here he contrasted the poetic youth in "The Ballad Monger," with the foxy veteran of the Russian police in the "Red Lamp." A short while ago he presented the fat and portly Falstaff, and followed with the lean and hungry Gringoire. It may be thought to be something of a theatrical trick to do this—to play upon your audience by opposing broadly opposite effects, and thus hoping to emphasize, by contrast, the impression of your worth as an actor in either part. It certainly has its popular results, and Mr. Tree's versatility has been proven, no matter how opinions may differ as to his exact position among the actors of the day.

The nineteenth annual bench show of the Westminster Kennel Club, at Madison Square Garden, outdid all its predecessors, both in the number of entries and the general excellence of the 1,636 dogs, which come from the best kennels of this country and Canada, with not a few choice specimens from England to give the affair an international tone. The dog, like the horse, seems to meet with the approval of society, and the annual shows organized by the institutions which have for their object the improvements of the breeds of man's best friend have been clever enough to cater to fashion to such a degree that these annual shows are part of the functions which the social world believes itself under obligations to make a success. Certain it is that as the years pass by, the Westminster Kennel Club and the National Horse Show Association have by their enterprises brought to such perfection the annual exhibitions given under their auspices that they are gigantic successes from a financial as well as spectacular standpoints. Breeders vie with each other for the trophies offered for the various strain of blooded dogs and horses, and while the Dow Show is hardly as impressive and the display of fashion is not so great as during the Horse Show, there is enough of that desire to excel that is the groundwork for all ambitions, and owners and handlers are on their mettle constantly.

Again the king of composers is to reign supreme upon the stage of the Metropolitan Opera House. Richard Wagner's stupendous music dramas have replaced the works of Gounod, Verdi and Bizet, and "the liquid Tuscan and sibilant French" that have been heard in New York's home of opera for several seasons have yielded for a brief period to the sterner Teutonic spoken by the troupe that Mr. Walter Damrosch has gathered around him for the performances of Wagnerian opera. Only four weeks is the season to last; only sixteen performances are arranged for in New York city; yet the preparations have been made with as much care as though the representations were to be continued through a long period. A remarkable company is engaged, and the New York Symphony Ochestra supplies the instrumental part of the music. That the public interest felt in the enterprise is very considerable is proved by the fact that the advance subscription is said to amount to close upon $48,000.

Children usually grieve their parents by turning out badly, but in Paul Lindau's new play, "Ungerathene Kinder," which Manager Conried will produce for the first time in this country at the Irving Place Theater, we have the unusual spectacle of a father mourning because his children turned out well. A wealthy gentleman, Johann Oberstaedt, is blessed with a son, Emil, and a daughter, Agathe, who, he proudly hopes, will prove shining lights of society. In sheer desperation old Oberstaedt secures the good offices of Baron Von Klattau, an impecunious nobleman, who has made his mark as a high roller. To him he intrusts the task of plunging Emil into the vortex of dissipation and fashionable life. He is delighted when his son comes to him for a considerable sum of money, which he believes to be for the payment of a gambling debt or some other extravagance. His hope, however, is crushed when he finds that the money had been devoted to charity.

LINWARD.

A bashful young man of Crown Point, while attending revival meetings, was approached by an earnest young lady, who said to him: "My dear friend, it would do my heart good to lead you to the altar." The young fellow hesitatingly replied that he appreciated the honor, but as he was already engaged to two girls he could not accommodate her.

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Alfred Terry, an employe of John Darby of Short Hills, was badly hurt yesterday morning at 10.

He was on a load of hay in the barn when the horses started, and he was knocked off the load by the top beam of the door-frame.

His head was crushed, and he has been unconscious ever since.

He was taken to Muhlenberg Hospital, and is under treatment there.

He can hardly recover. His family consists of a wife and three children, the youngest 6 months old.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

John K. VanNess is very ill with pneumonia.

William Brooks of Rochester was in town yesterday.

Mrs. Oliver Dunham of East Fifth street is ill with the grip.

John G. Bicknell is building a barn on his property on South avenue.

Mrs. T. S. Armstrong of Duer street is convalescing from an attack of grip.

J. Newton Honeyman will remove from 22 Duer street to 74 Duer street, April 1

Theodore Wyman of Raritan was in town yesterday visiting his oldtime friends.

Dr. Brandegee, of New York, visited his mother on Park avenue yesterday afternoon.

Mrs. Michael Uhdal is seriously ill with the grip at her home on South avenue, Netherwood.

B. Brady and family leave today for Asheville, N. C., on account of the illness of Mrs. Brady.

F. M. Bacon is suffering from an attack of nervous prostration at his home, 419 West Fifth street.

Herbert Shutt, the engraver, has removed from North avenue to the Babcock Building, Room 103.

Mrs. Cruikshank's Japanese servant, who is ill with the grip in Muhlenberg Hospital, is improving.

Evona is proud over the arrival of a baby boy, weighing 8½ lbs., Sunday, in the family of George Apgar.

Charles Bullman will talk about South America, at the Y. M. C. A. Building, Tuesday March 5, at 8 p. m.

Mrs. J. C. Campbell of Netherwood avenue, who has been seriously ill with pneumonia, is slowly improving.

Telegram was received this morning announcing the arrival of Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Runyon at Magnolia Springs, Fla.

George A. Moore of Craig place has rented the Latimer house on East Front street, and moved with his family there yesterday.

The opening of the boys department of the Y. M. C. A. will take place March 9. Among the speakers will be A. D. French of Montclair.

Walter H. Freeman, manager of DeWitt C. Ivins & Co., is ill at his home 249 East Ninth street, with the prevailing complaint, grip.

Miss Annie Smith of Johnston avenue, who has been ill for the past three weeks with the grip, verging on pneumonia, is now convalescent.

Mrs. C. L. McMillen, who has been visiting Mrs. William A. Lord of Belvidere avenue, Netherwood, has returned to her home in Jersey City.

Thomas J. Young of Somerset street moved his furniture yesterday to Brooklyn. Mr. Young's address in the future will be 294 Division avenue, Brooklyn.

Miss Belle Carkhuff, who has been connected with the hosiery department of the Commercial Palace for a number of years, has resigned to accept a similar position with Putnam & Deyraw, where she will be pleased to see her friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur F. Randolph entertained a number of friends and neighbors Tuesday evening, at their home 115 Duer street, it being the anniversary of Mr. Randolph's birthday. So enjoyable was the affair that it was two o'clock before the parting came.

Miss F. May Grant was most cordially greeted as a soprano soloist in the great Carnegie Music Hall Tuesday night. There was a large and appreciative audience, and her pure and rich soprano voice was much admired. Quite a number from Plainfield attended.

Mrs. Thomas Lynch, Mrs. Michael DeCourcey and Miss May Flanagan, all of Plainfield, attended the funeral of their aunt, Mrs. Bridget Connolly, Meriden, Conn. Miss Flanagan sang sweetly "Ave Maria", at the service. Mrs. Connolly is spoken of by the Meriden Daily Journal as a highly esteemed member of the community.

Miss Etta Krymer of West Second street won high praise for her excellent part in the exercises at the reopening of the Reformed Church of Lebanon, last evening. She rendered the following soprano solos: "Eye hath not seen", "Nearer My God to Thee" and "Lord, whom my heart holds dear", and was most favorably received.

Wait for the Big Show.

A manager who expends thousands of dollars in order that nothing will be neglected that might add to the enjoyment of his patrons certainly deserves success, and, as a rule, he generally gets it, if the public would endeavor to discriminate between responsible companies and those who posees no stability.

There are plenty of good shows, but, unfortunately, there are hundreds which are utterly devoid of merit. Now, any one can tell at a glance if they see a magnificent new store with massive plate glass windows, that it necessarily calls for a great outlay of money to erect it, and the stock in such a store is generally of the finest. The same line of reasoning to theatrical enterprises; for instance: when you see a show billed in the lavish and expensive manner that characterizes "She Couldn't Marry Three" company you can rest assured that there is money and push back of it. The beautiful, artistic pictorial lithographic work, is the finest and costliest on the road. No lithographic firm would attempt that kind of work without having ten thousand dollars down to insure them from loss. This is only one of the many items of a great show, and the same good taste which provides this beautiful printing will neglect no other department of the show. So there is no doubt that the production of "She Couldn't Marry Three" is the biggest show of the season.

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—Theodore Rutan of Summit avenue, who has been suffering for the past week from the effects of having had his feet frostbitten, is now able to be about with the aid of crutches.

—James T. Mullin, secretary of the new Plainfield Council, No. 44, Order of Chosen Friends, states that a meeting of this excellent society will be held next week on a date to be announced.

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METROPOLITAN NOTES.

Interesting Facts and Opinions Chronicled by the Daily Press of New York.

The Nineteenth Century Club had before it for discussion at Sherry's the subject, "The Wealth of New York." President Walter Page was in the chair, and the speakers were William M. Ivins, ex-City Chamberlain; Prof. F. H. Gedding, Department of Sociology of Columbia College, and Mr. Gieed, of Kansas.

"We have spent in New York city during the past ten years for the administration of the Government $500,000,000," said Mr. Ivins. "The corporation of New York city is the largest, wealthiest, and most important business corporation in the world. Its expenditures are not so large as those of Paris and London, but in those cities they have national as well as local expenditures.

"We have no financial system in New York city. They have in London, Paris, Vienna and Berlin. Their financial scheme centers in a 'financial body.' The Government makes the estimates for the next year's expenditures, fixing a maximum and minimum. If the financial body favors the Government party then in power it grants the maximum, if not, it gives the minimum.

"If any railroad, bank, or other private corporation were to be run in the shipshod, haphazard way that our Government corporation is run it would fail utterly. I once asked a Commissioner of Accounts if he could tell me what the sinking fund was. He said he could not, and didn't think any other municipal officer could.

"The annual reports of the Comptroller are so untelligible, officials are so incompetent, and we are so wealthy, that we do not mind our wasteful methods, especially if people do not get up meetings and speak about it."

Though Paris is responsible for the many gowns, wraps, sets on sets of exquisite lingerie and headgear, provided for Miss Gould's trousseau, to New York jewellers were given orders for wedding gifts from the young woman's family and her fiancee. That Count Jean de Castellane has an appreciation of the merits and beauty of diamonds is shown by a splendid corsage decoration completed under his direction, and the most enviable of all the contents of Miss Gould's jewelry box. The value of this ornament, that contains nearly 250 large, purely white brilliants and two very perfect emeralds, is estimated at $14,000. It consists of a central piece, nearly as large as a woman's hand, in an elaborate diamond crusted foliated pattern, inclosing one of the emeralds. When this is caught in the center of an evening bodice, double chains of diamonds will run up from it to right and left, high on the bust caught at one end by a cluster of three diamond feathers and at the other by a small copy of the middle piece, also holding an emerald.

In addition to this dazzling breastplate is a pendant, the like of which the Empress of Austria, whose emeralds are famous, could hardly show. Here is one as nearly flawless as those capricious stones are ever found. It is the largest for depth and brilliance that has ever appeared in New York. It is to be suspended in solitary magnificence in a hoop of picked white diamonds.

Speaking of poets, one sees John Hay—I should, perhaps, say colonel—about New York a good deal now. In fact, he may be safely called a New Yorker now, for he has for years been doing editorial work on the paper for which he did some of his earliest writing—the Tribune. It was for this paper, while Mr. Greeley was yet living, that Colonel Hay wrote that delightfully human bit of verse, "Little Breeches." He had no idea it would make the hit it did. In a few hours all New York was repeating the lines that went to say that the angels in rescuing "Little Breeches" and giving him back to his own, were doing

"A darned sight better business
Than loafin' around the throne."

A trifle profane, perhaps, but human. And then "The Wreck of the Prairie Belle," when Jim Bludso who had

"A wife at Natchez under the hill,
And another one down at Pike,"

and who was yet hero enough when "The Prairie Bell" took fire to

"Hold her nozzle agin' the bank
Till the last galoot wuz ashore."

Colonel Hays would undoubtedly rather be remembered for the work he did on the history of Abraham Lincoln, written in partnership with Mr. Nicolay, who was Lincoln's private secretary, than for his early verses. But the public has its own opinions in these matters. It was only the other day some men, discussing another bit of verse by Colonel Hay, in which Tillman Joy comes to the rescue of a runaway slave boy in the anti-Tillman period, and tells a ponderous town committee

"You kin resolute 'till the cows come home,
But if one of ye teches that boy,
He rastles his hash in hell to-night,
Or my name ain't Tillman Joy."

"But you don't call that poetry," said one critic.

"No, I don't," more forcibly than grammatically; "I don't call it a sonnet, or a madrigal, or a love song. I call it dad gasted nervy stuff, and I wish there was more like it!"

This criticism is submitted for what it is worth. Colonel Hay, perhaps, will not agree with it.—N. Y. Advertiser.

St. Bartholomew's Mission, in New York, is conducting under the direction of Col. Henry H. Hadley, Superintendent one of the finest equipped kitchens in the city, at which prepared food is furnished to the poor for about half its actual cost, thus removing from the poor who patronize the "soup and coffee bar," as it is called, the feeling that they are subjects of charity. This is the menu:

One pint of rich soup, 2 cents; big cornbeef sandwich, 2 cents; one pint of coffee (milk and sugar), 2 cents; one cup of coffee, 1 cent; one plate of beans, 1 cent; one plate of soup, 1 cent; rice pudding, 1 cent; bread pudding, 1 cent.

Mrs. Grant and the South.

A special to the Times-Union from Tampa, Fla., says the Confederates and G. A. R. men of that city gave Mrs. U. S. Grant a reception on the occasion of her sixty-ninth birthday. Speaking of the South, Mrs. Grant said:

"I love the South, for I was raised in a Southern State—Missouri—and I hardly knew which side to go with. But the General went with the North and I went with him."

"I see that Jones has made a big step forward in the widow's affections."

"Yes, and I fancy that one more will make him a step-father."—Smith, Gray & Co's. Monthly.

WASHINGTON NEWS.

CABINET RUMORS PLACE SECRETARY CARLISLE ON THE BENCH.

Startling Revelations With Regard to the Cost of the Railway Postal Service. Efforts to Modernize the Indians Unavailing. People's Curiosity Offensive.

Congress does not seem disposed to pass the bill introduced a few days ago by Senator Harris, giving Justice Jackson of the supreme court the right to retire from the bench on full pay after ten days' notice. The judiciary committee of the Senate reported the bill favorably, with an amendment removing the time limit, but the impression is gaining ground that the passage of the bill would be regarded as a reflection upon Justice Jackson's sense of honor and propriety. The history of the supreme court affords no precedent for the retirement of a judge until he shall first suggest such action. Justice Jackson is very ill and apt to die soon, but it is known that Senator Harris received no request from him to introduce the retirement bill. But, as Justice Jackson will soon leave a vacancy on the bench, either by retirement or death, the political gossips are busy naming his successor. Speaker Crisp, Wm. L. Wilson and Secretary Carlisle are all regarded as possibilities. The report that

SECRETARY CARLISLE.

Postmaster General Bissell is to resign in the spring, and that his successor in the cabinet will be Representative Tracey of Albany—"Cuckoo" Tracey, as he is now generally known—seems to have been circulated upon good authority, and Gen. Tracey does not deny it, although, of course, he has nothing at all to say on the subject. It is intimated in certain quarters that Secretary Carlisle may be Justice Jackson's successor on the bench, in which case William L. Wilson would become Secretary of the Treasury.

When the post office appropriation bill was taken up in the Senate Mr. Vilas (Dem., Wis.) offered an amendment to the pending amendment regarding the railway mail service looking to the purchase, ownership and management of the necessary postal cars by the Government, and appropriating $500,000 for the purpose. He said that when he was at the head of the post office department he had caused careful inquiries to be made, and had learned that the then total value of the railway postal cars was only $1,600,000, while $2,000,000 a year was then paid by the Government for their rent, besides paying by weight for the mails they carried. Figures just prepared by the railway mail bureau showed a total of 740 railway postal cars, worth about $3,500 each, making a total investment of $2,590,000. The maintenance of these 740 cars would cost $822,360. He illustrated his argument by showing that to the Pennsylvania Central Railroad there was paid for the year more than $2,000,000 for transportation of the mail and $575,000 for the use of 59 postal cars, and to the New York Central $2,080,000 for transportation and $425,000 for the use of 50 postal cars, the rent of the postal cars being about double their actual value.

The Dawes commission was unfortunate in not being able to get any counter propositions from the Indians in response to their own looking to a division of their reservations. The Indians held conferences with the commissioners, listened attentively to what was said, and asked time for consideration, but promised nothing, and all the indications were against a favorable conclusion. It is this fact that makes it difficult to supply legislation of a sort that will be at once acceptable to the Indians and desirable for the Government. The proposals submitted to the Five Tribes by the commissioners were, with slight modifications, the same for each of them. First, all lands except town sites and coal and mineral lands were to be divided in severalty among the citizens of the tribes according to treaties now in force, the land thus taken for homes being made inalienable for 25 years, or such longer period as was agreed upon. Each allottee should receive his land without expense, any trespassers being removed. Town sites, coal and minerals already discovered before allotment were to be disposed of by fair and just agreement, protecting the interests both of the tribes and those who had invested in them. All claims against the United States were to be settled, and all invested funds not devoted to school purposes and all moneys found due from the United States or derived from the sale of town sites, coal and minerals were to be divided per capita among the citizens. Finally, a territorial government should be formed by Congress over such of the tribes as might consent to it, the present tribal government meanwhile continuing until after the allotment of land and money. For some tribes a board of three persons, one to be a member of the Dawes commission, another a member of the tribe, and a third selected by those two, was to be appointed upon all questions of citizenship and right to allotments. But in the case of the Cherokee tribe, which, according to a decision of the interior department, is the exclusive judge of who are citizens, this proposal was withdrawn.

Almost any woman in high official life in Washington can tell interesting stories of her experience with the free American citizen. The fact that the reception days of the ladies of the cabinet are advertised in the newspapers brings to their homes crowds of people who come through curiosity alone. Under previous administrations, when refreshments were served at the cabinet houses on reception days, the number of this class of people was very much larger, but they are numerous enough now. "Now they are often offensive," said a cabinet lady last night as she was relating some of her experiences. "They are well meaning people, and seem to be prompted only by a good natured curiosity to learn all about people in official life."

ROGER LEWIS.

BLIZZARDS ON THE PLAINS.

No Person Can Know What They Are Like Until He Has Seen Them.

The blizzard, as the plain man's vernacular designates the prairie snowstorm, is utterly incomprehensible to one who has not experienced it. Generated in the great storm breeding regions of barren British America, and swept on arctic blasts along the vast level reaches that stretch eastward from the Rocky Mountains, with no forest to break its force, it becomes a demon of the air, second only to the cyclone or tornado in destructiveness. The moisture is ground as between millstones, hurled with bullet like energy over hundreds of miles of level plain, and finally, transformed into yeasty sleet by the softening effects of lower latitudes, falls in bleak showers on the ranges of Texas and No Man's Land.

Lack of cheap building material and the brevity of the winter season on the prairies contribute to make the settler's cabin a poor refuge. When the blizzard comes every resource of fuel is husbanded, and it is faced with a grim determination to see it through.

But not all are prepared even so well as the settler. Occasionally a belated emigrant, en route either to a chosen claim on the frontier or toward the pleasantly remembered East, where he hopes to find old friends and helpers, is caught by the blast. He may have a tiny stove inside the canvas topped prairie schooner, but its heat can do little against the power of the storm. Sheltered by the low bluff of some ravine or water course he may weather the dragging hours of suffering, but the chances are that team and driver will be found a ghastly monument to the storm king's strength.

The farmer who has hurried ten or fifteen miles to the nearest village to secure supplies for the impending visitation is often overtaken before reaching his waiting family and perishes on the road, for no matter how well he knows the path, when the blizzard rages his way is as that of the mariner without a compass.

At the prairie schoolhouses, where the settlers' children are gathered from a territory covering many miles in every direction, the blizzard brings terror to the pupils as well as to their parents. Rescue is impossible until the lull comes, and awful possibilities lurk in the bosom of the storm. A Dakota schoolmistress last winter failed to dismiss her scholars in time for them to reach home, and found herself and them prisoners from a blizzard's approach. A night and a day at least were before her, during which her little charges must be protected. Deliberately she apportioned the food remaining in the dinner pails, divided the larger boys into squads to keep the fire burning steadily, and, when darkness came on, put the younger pupils to sleep on the benches. Then through the bitter night she sang, declaimed, told stories, invented games, and kept the frightened children amused and cheered as best she could. The following day passed much the same, but still no abatement of the storm nor any rescue. The second night was dreary indeed. The children cried themselves to sleep, hungry and cold. With her own hands the teacher broke up desks and blackboard to feed the voracious stove. With morning came a shout at the doors as the settlers shoveled away the snow, and then the plucky girl to whom the children owed their lives showed her womanliness—and fainted.—Detroit Free Press.

Negroes Who Owned Slaves.

It may not be generally known, but free negroes in Maryland and probably in other States 100 years ago owned negro slaves. The following deed of emancipation, bearing date Dec. 9, 1793, is duly recorded in record book No. 25, page 312, in the clerk's office of the circuit court at Easton, Talbot county, Md.:

Know all men by these presents that I, Negro Tom, late slave of Christopher Birkhead, of Talbot county and State of Maryland, being possessed of a negro girl named Grace, who is now about the age of sixteen years old, who is held by me in a state of slavery, and think it in my conscience that all mankind are entitled to equal freedom in this life and being desirous of securing to her liberty and freedom:

Now know ye that I do hereby declare that the said negro girl Grace shall be free immediately from the date hereof, and I do hereby for myself, my heirs, executors, administrators, renounce all right, title, and claim from and after the date hereof.

It witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 9th day of December, anno Domini 1793.

His
NEGRO X TOM
Mark.

Signed, sealed and delivered in the presence of us, PETER WEBB, SARAH TRIPPE.

A similar deed of emancipation was recorded by a free negro, Abraham Gastus, May 17, 1794. There were afterward other deeds of emancipation by free negroes of slaves purchased or otherwise acquired.—Baltimore Sun.

Both Played With Fire.

At a recent gathering of notable men the after dinner chat turned upon personal experiences, and a distinguished jurist related this:

After graduation he migrated to a Western town; months of idleness, with no prospect of improvement, induced him to seek a new home. Without money to pay his fare, he boarded a train for Nashville, intending to seek employment as reporter on one of the daily newspapers. When the conductor called for his ticket he said:

"I am on the staff of the ——, of Nashville; I suppose you will pass me?"

The conductor looked at him sharply.

"The editor of that paper is in the smoker, come with me; if he identifies you, all right."

He followed the conductor into the smoker; the situation was explained; Mr. Editor said:

"Oh, yes; I recognize him as one of the staff; it is all right."

Before leaving the train the lawyer again sought the editor:

"Why did you say you recognized me! I'm not on your paper."

"I am not the editor, either. I'm traveling on his pass, and was scared to death lest you should give me away."

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Beginning in the division line between the city of Plainfield and the Township of Fanwood where Midway avenue crosses said division line and running thence in an easterly direction along Midway avenue to its connection with North avenue; thence still easterly along North avenue to the division line between the Townships of Fanwood and Westfield.

Beginning at the intersection of Mountain avenue and Forrest avenue or road, in the village of Scotch Plains, in the twp of Fanwood and running thence southeasterly along Forrest avenue or road to its intersection with North avenue; thence southerly along said North avenue to Depot street; thence to a point at or near the Fanwood station of the Central Railroad of New Jersey.

The name of the corporation making the application is the New York and Philadelphia Traction Company.

The application was filed on the 15th day of February, eighteen hundred and ninety-five and will be considered by the Township Committee of the township of Fanwood, at a meeting to be held on the 7th day of March, eighteen hundred and ninety-five, at Excelsior Hall, at Scotch Plains, in the township of Fanwood aforesaid, county of Union, at 8 o'clock in the evening.

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For Baltimore only 1 37 p. m., week-days.

For Newark and New York—3 02, 5 34, 5 46, 6 17, 6 45, 7 0?, 7 20, 7 49, 7 57, 8 06, 8 28, 8 33, 8 47, 9 17, 9 41, 9 48, 10 20, 10 38, 10 49, 11 07, 11 48 a. m., 1 18, 1 20, 1 56, 2 24, 2 40, 2 45, 3 27, 3 47, 4 43, 5 15, 5 36, 5 48, 6 08, 6 27, 6 48, 6 58, 7 07, 7 25, 7 59, 8 ?, 9 10, 9 50, 10 03, 11 03 and 11 56 p. m. Sundays 3 02, 5 24, 7 54, 8 45, 9 20, 9 47, 10 12, 10 38, 10 49 a. m., 12 35, 1 44, 2 33, 2 45, 3 45, 4 38, 5 24, 5 48, 7 05, 7 12, 7 25, 7 58, 8 30, 9 16, 10 16, 11 46 and 11 56 p. m.

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For Philadelphia—1 00, 6 57, 7 19, 9 05, 9 36, 11 43, A. M.; 1 05, 1 37, 3 33, 5 08, 6 36, 7 46, 8 42, 9 39 P. M. Sundays at 1 00, 6 59, 9 05, 9 36, 10 41 A. M.; 5 40, 6 37, 7 47 and 9 41 P. M.

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For New Brunswick—1 00, 6 57, 7 10, 7 59, 9 05, 9 36, 9 50, 11 43 a. m., 12 35, 1 37, 2 48, 3 59, 4 38, 5 08, 5 40, 6 06, 6 45, 7 46, 9 39 and 11 02 p. m. Sundays, 1 00, 6 59, 9 05, 9 36, 9 49, 10 41 a. m., 12 50, 1 50, 5 40, 7 47, 9 16, 9 41 p. m.

For Woodbridge—1 43 a m daily except Monday, 6 44, 9 46, 10 59 a.m., 12 46, 3 20, 4 53, 5 44, 6 12, and 7 20, 9 54 p.m., 12 27 night, week-days. Sundays, 1 43, 10 25, and 11 47 a. m., 10 14 p. m.

For Perth Amboy—1 43 a m daily except Monday, 6 44, 9 46, 10 59, 12 46, 3 20, 4 53, 5 44, 6 12, 7 20, 7 36, 9 54 and 12 27. Sundays, 1 43, 10 25, 11 47 a m, 10 14 p m.

For East Millstone—7 10 a. m., 12 35, 2 48 and 5 40 p. m., week-days.

For Trenton—1 00, 6 57, 7 10, 7 59, 9 05, 9 36, 11 43 A. M.; 1 05, 1 37, 2 48, 5 08, 6 36, 7 46, 8 42, 9 39 P. M. Sundays at 1 00, 6 59, 9 05, 9 36, 10 41 A. M.; 5 40, 6 37, 7 47 and 9 41 P. M.

For Lambertville, Phillipsburg and Belvidere via Trenton—7 59 A. M., 2.48 and 6.36 p. m., and 5.40 p. m. Sunday.

For Flemington—7 59 A. M.; 2 48 P. M.

For Freehold—7 59, 11 43 a. m., 4 38, 5 08 p.m., via. Monmouth Junction, week-days.

For Jamesburg, via. Monmouth Junction—7 59 and 11 43 a. m., 4 38 and 5 08 p. m., week days.

For Long Branch, Ocean Grove, and points on New York and Long Branch R. R.—9 46, 12 46, 4 12, 5 44 p.m., 12 27 night week-days. Sundays, 10 25 a. m., and 5 44 p. m.; do not stop at Asbury Park on Sundays.

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Leave New York from foot of Liberty street 4 30, 6 00, 7 15, 8, 8 40, 9 10, 10, 11 45, A. M., 1 10, 1 30, 2 30, 3 20, 3 45, 4, 4 30, 5, 5 15, except Saturday, 5 30, 5 45, 6, 6 15, 6 30, 7, 7 30, 8, 8 30, 9 15, 10 15, 11 30 P. M., 12 15, 1, night. Sunday—4 30, 7 15, 8 30, 9 15, A. M., 12 M., 1, 2 15, 4, 5 30, 7, 9 00, 10 00 P. M., 12 15 night, 1 A M.

PLAINFIELD AND NEWARK.

Leave Plainfield 5 39, 6 29, 6 59, 7 26, 7 59, 8, 8 49, 9 29, 10 04, 10 27, A. M., 12 06, 1 18, 2 07, 2 30, 3 12, 3 51, 4 50, 5 54, 6 54, 7 09, 8 30, 10 17, 11 28 P. M. Sunday—8 07, 8 52, 10 08, 11 28, A. M., 12 59, 1 45, 3 30, 5 36, 7 11, 8 29, 8 39, 10 17 P. M.

Leave Newark 6 15, 7 15, 7 55, 8 39, 9 08, 10 05, 11 35 A. M., 1 10, 1 35, 2 20 Saturday only, 3 50, 5 35, 4 05, 4 40, 5 04, 5 24, 5 40, 6 20, 7 15, 7 35, 8 55, 10 05, 11 25 P. M. Sunday—7 30, 9 44, 9 35, 11 25 A. M., 1 10, 3 35, 4 10, 5 40, 7 30, 9 25, 10 30 P. M.

Passengers for Newark change cars at Elizabeth.

PLAINFIELD AND SOMERVILLE.

Leave Plainfield 5 45, 7 10, 9 16, 9 54, 11 a.m., 12 46, 2 08, 3 32, 3 45, 4 36, 5 06, 5 14, 5 34, 6 04, 6 19, 6 38, 7 12, 7 45, 8 21, 10 26, 11 23, P. M., 12 38 night Sunday—5 45, 9 28, 9 34, A. M., 2 08, 3 29, 5 14, 6 35, 10 15, 11 14 P. M.

Leave Somerville, 6, 6 30, 7 00, 7 25, 7 35, 7 45, 8 20, 9 05, 9 48, 11 40 A. M., 12 50, 1 42, 3 05, 3 25, 4 25, 5 26, 6 25, 6 47, 8 45, 11 05, P. M. Sunday 8 25, 9 45, 10 55 A. M., 12 08, 1 20, 5 05, 6 45, 9 02, 9 40 P. M.

PLAINFIELD AND EASTON.

Leave Plainfield 5 45, 9 16, 9 54, A. M., 12 46, 2 08, 4 36, 5 14, 6 38, 8 21 P. M. Sunday—5 45, 9 28 A. M., 2 08, 6 35, P. M.

Leave Easton 6 05, 7 00, 8 53, A. M., 12 52, 4 04, 7 00 P. M. Sundays—7 15, 10 52, A. M. 6 40, 7 30, P. M.

PLAINFIELD AND LAKE HOPATCONG.

Leave Plainfield 9 54, a. m., 5 05 p. m.

WESTWARD CONNECTIONS.

LEAVE PLAINFIELD.

5 45 A. M. for Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Pottsville, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport and Tamaqua.

7 10 a. m. for stations to High Bridge, connecting for stations on High Bridge Branch.

9 16 A. M. for Flemington, D. L. & W. R. R., Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9 54 A. M. for Flemington, High Bridge branch, D L & W R R, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Pottsville, Nanticoke, Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c. Through coach to Williamsport.

12 46 p. m. way for Easton, connecting at Junction for stations on D. L. & W. R. R.

2 08 P. M. for Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Sunbury and Williamsport, Wilkes-Barre and Scranton. Buffet parlor car to Mauch Chunk.

5 05 p. m., way for Easton, connecting at High Bridge for stations on High Bridge branch.

5 14 P. M. for Flemington, Easton, Bethlehem, Bangor, Allentown, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, Mauch Chunk, Shamokin and Tamaqua, Buffet parlor car to Scranton.

6 19 P. M. for Flemington.

6 38 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading and Harrisburg.

8 21 P. M. for Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

5 45 A. M. Sunday for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Wilkesbarre and Scranton. 9 28 a.m. Sundays for Easton, 2 08 p. m. Sundays for Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Reading and Harrisburg, 6 35 p. m. Sundays for Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, Reading, Harrisburg, &c. and at Junction for D. L. & W. R. R.

For Atlantic City, 3 37 a. m. 1 18 p. m.

Long Branch, Ocean Grove, &c

Leave Plainfield 3 37, 8, 10 27, a. m., 1 18, 3 51, 5 54, p. m. Sundays—(except Ocean Grove) 8 52, a. m., 3 30 p. m.

For Perth Amboy, 3 37, 5 39, 8, 10 27 a. m., 1 18, 3 51, 4 50, 5 54, 7 09 p.m. Sunday—8 52, a. m., 3 30 p. m.

For Freehold, 3 37, 8, 10 27 a.m., 1 18, 3 51, 4 50, 5 54.

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For Trenton 5 45, 8 44, 9 40*, 10 45, a. m., 12 46, 2 08*, 5 34*, 6 38*, 8 21, 9 37* p.m., 1 12 night. Sunday—5 45, 9 34, a. m., 2 08*, 5 14*, 6 45 p. m., 1 12 night.

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From 24th and Chestnut—3 55, 7 53, 9 21, 11 19, a.m., 3 30, 6 12, 8 10, 11 45 p. m. Sunday—3 55, 7 58, 12 19 p m, 3 30, 6 12, 8 10, 11 45 p. m.

Leave Trenton, Warren and Tucker sts., 1 05, 4 53, 8 08, 10 25, a.m. 12 15*, 2 10, 4 28*, 5 54, 9 01 p. m. Sundays—1 00, 4 53, 9 06, 10 27 a. m. 1 16*, 4 20, 6 48*, 9 03 p. m.

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Love for the People and for the Union His Chief Traits. Story of an Afternoon Dr. Depew Spent in the White House. Some Remarks on This Administration.

In an address upon Abraham Lincoln, delivered at Burlington, Vt., Hon. Chauncey Depew said:

"As we study the characteristics which made Lincoln great and successful, we find them not in the usual gifts of great statesmen. They were an instinct for the right, a comprehension of justice, a boundless sympathy and compassion, an intense and yearning love for his fellows and their welfare which knew neither rank nor race, but gathered within its boundless power all mankind. The force and effect of this power in Lincoln can be best illustrated by the contrast between him and his great antagonist, Douglas. In any condition of the country's affairs, when great moral questions were not at issue, Stephen A. Douglas would have been President. A clerk in a store on starvation wages, a storekeeper without capital and his business sold out by the sheriff, a surveyor earning ten or fifteen dollars a month and a lawyer with no other equipment than Blackstone and the statutes of Illinois—such was Lincoln at a period when the accomplished and cultured Douglas was already the idol of his State. And yet thus, on the threshold of a career, with such surroundings, such teachings and such impressions; in the midst of a community which drank, Lincoln was a temperance man; in the midst of a community that swore, Lincoln was free from blasphemy; in the midst of a community not highly moral, Lincoln was as pure as an angel; in the midst of a community that regarded the negro as no better than the horse or the mule, Lincoln was an abolitionist.

"There never was such a President—never such a ruler as Abraham Lincoln. He did not represent hereditary privileges, for he came from the plainest of the plain people; he did not represent heredity, for he had none; he did not represent the colleges or the universities, for he knew them not; he did not represent capital and great accumulations, for he had neither; but he did represent the toiler upon the farm, in the workshop, upon the highway, in the factory, anywhere, everywhere where honest men and honest women were striving to better their conditions and to illustrate the dignity of labor and the nobility of American citizenship.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN.

"Lincoln knew nothing of the dignity, so far as it is expressed in manner and dress, which belongs to high station. The instinctive sense of propriety and consciousness of superiority and greatness which hedged Washington was absent in him. The test of greatness is the wearing of the halo. It destroyed Napoleon, it ruined two-thirds of the generals in the war, it has driven great and little politicians, from the commencement of our republic until now, into obscurity. But Lincoln was never troubled as to the size of his head. He never overestimated nor underestimated who he was, what he was, nor what he represented. He never forgot where he came from and never lost sight of the fact that except by the accident of position he was neither better nor worse than those who placed him in the presidential chair. He possessed what no other ruler ever did, or, if he did, no other ruler ever dared to use, the power of humor. The portentous solemnity of our public men pervades our political atmosphere even to depressing melancholy. The less the statesman knows the more solemn he is, the thicker his head and the more owlish his bearing. A President of the United States once said to me: 'No man can ever succeed in this country who gives rein to his humor or his fun. The people no longer look upon him as a serious man, and only serious men are recognized in the consideration of public affairs.'

"When Mr. Lincoln came to Washington he was unknown to the great leaders of his party. He had the courage, which only a very great man can have, of summoning them all into his cabinet. This Illinois lawyer, orator and statesman called to his aid the men who had demonstrated in the Senate, in the House and in the courts that they were the leaders of men. What a spectacle! This ungainly giant of the West, angular and awkward, uncouth of manner, inelegant of address, with the courtly Seward for secretary of State, the stately Chase for secretary of the treasury, the worldly, dominant and shrewd Cameron for secretary of war and the imperious Stanton as his successor! Chace turns to his friends and intimates that the country has a mountebank for President. Seward, ever anxious to be useful, writes a private note offering to perform all the duties of the presidency and leave the ornamentation of its name and station to Lincoln. He receives in reply a letter which ignores the insult, but says in effect: 'I will run the administration and you run your department, except when I think that you had better run it in some other way.' In less than a year every one of these great leaders recognized that he was in the presence of his chief and superior.

"I remember as if it was yesterday an afternoon with Mr. Lincoln. I was but a boy, though secretary of New York State. Horatio Seymour was the Democratic governor and the legislature was Republican. The soldiers' vote was to be obtained. The Republican legislature would not trust the governor and it devolved upon me the duty of collecting the soldiers' vote. Mr. Lincoln looked up as I pressed my way through the crowd in his reception room and said: 'Well, Depew, what can I do for you?' I said: 'Mr. President, I do not want anything; I am in Washington on a mission from our State to get out from the armies our New York soldiers' vote and I simply called to pay my respects.' He said: 'It is so rare that anyone comes here who wants nothing; please wait and I will get rid of these people in a few minutes.' The room was soon emptied, the faithful Jerry was guarding the door and on the lounge the tired President was rocking to and fro, holding his long knees in his hands and telling story after story to relieve his mind; and he said: 'Depew, they say I tell a great many stories. I think I do. They say I lower the dignity of the presidential office by these broad anecdotes. Possibly that is true. But I found in the course of a long experience that the plain people of the country take them as they are and are more easily reached and influenced and argued with through the medium of a humorous illustration than in any other way.'

"While I was there Mr. John Ganson, of Buffalo, was a member of Congress. His face and his head were hairless and polished like a billiard ball. He was a Democrat, but supported the President. The conditions of the army were very blue in the East and in the West. Ganson came in one day and said: 'Mr. President, I am risking my re-election in supporting your war measures. The campaign seems very unsatisfactory. Of course I will not give out anything you tell me. What is the situation at the front?' Mr. Lincoln, in his searching and sad way, looked at him for a moment as if he was about to reveal the secret of the whole army and then tumbled Ganson out of the reception room by saying, 'Ganson, how clean you shave.' Lord Lyons, who was a bachelor, went up to announce the marriage of the Princess Alexandra. As is usual on such occasions, the secretary of State had prepared a formal reply to the address of the English minister. Mr. Lincoln fumbled in his pockets and, unable to find Mr. Seward's courtly response, grasped Lord Lyons by the hand and said, 'Lyons, go thou and do likewise.'

"As I sat in his room that afternoon, it was not congressmen who crowded about him, it was not senators, but it was wives and mothers who wanted to get to the front and whom the war department would not permit to go where loved ones lay wounded in the hospitals. It was wives and mothers and fathers pleading for husbands and sons condemned to be shot. No petitioner for mercy ever left Lincoln with his petition not granted. I was dining one night with Gen. Sherman and, except Mr. Choate and myself, all the guests were commanders of armies in the war. They were all lamenting how Mr. Lincoln had impaired discipline by pardoning the men who had been court martialed and condemned to be shot, and the proceedings of the court martial approved by them, and finally Slocum said, 'Sherman, what did you do?' That stern old warrior answered grimly, 'I shot them first.' But with Mr. Lincoln it was impossible to approve a death warrant. To the father pleading for his son he gave a respite and when the father wanted something more his answer was: 'If your boy lives till that sentence is carried out he will be so old that the world will think Methuselah was a baby in years when he died.'

"He was first, last, and all the time an American; an American when Napoleon, invading Mexico, would have broken up the Union; an American when Great Britain would have interfered for the purpose of destroying the republic, because, as Lord Salisbury said, we kept shop and were her rivals in business; an American in his earnest devotion to the Union and the Constitution, an American in his love of liberty, an American in his belief that within the borders of the United States could be manufactured all that the people of the United States might require for themselves. He loved the Union above all things. He was the representative of the cult which was started by Daniel Webster. The world little knows what it owes to that great brain. 'The Union, one and inseparable, now and forever,' was the inspiration of the schools. It created a mighty wave of unreasoning worship of the Union. Lincoln absorbed it, Lincoln understood it. In his inaugural address—the first one—it was the Union; in his inaugural address—the second one—it was the Union; in all his letters and speeches it was the Union. It was the Union with slavery, or the Union without slavery; but always the Union of the States.

THE BLIND TIGER IS SICK.

The Dispensary Law of South Carolina Has Benefited the Blacks.

In South Carolina the blind tiger is not dead, but he is mighty sick. On every hand one comes across abandoned saloons with time worn lettering over the doors; in many cases other forms of business, like green grocers, grocers and butchers, are doing business beneath the time honored sign. There is much that is pathetic in the ghost of a departed industry, whatever its character. And then there are here and there great big breweries, whose flaring signs are mocked by the closed shutters and the awful silence. The trade in liquor as a traffic sanctioned by the law is dead there. The State has practically outlawed it by taking charge of its sale and restricting the quantity which can be purchased at any given time by any given person, and then making him, when he walks up to the State dispensary and gives his order, sign his name in a big book where all who run may read. It is a very inquisitorial sort of arrangement, something like the operations of the income tax, and very repugnant to the ideas of American citizens of high and low degree. A man may want his toddy, but he does not want to have to register the fact in a big book.

The county of Charleston is entitled to ten State dispensaries, but as a matter of fact only four are in operation. There are enough people there who want liquor to keep the ten going, but they resent the facts of restriction and publicity incident to patronizing the dispensaries, and patronize the blind tigers, where they can, or go dry, or patronize the artesian waters, which are not bad when you have a cultivated taste. And to cultivate a taste for artesian waters when one has been used to the best rye and Bourbon and corn whisky is not an easy matter.

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CHAPTER I.

It was Saturday night in Rock River. Teams covered with the dust of the August roads stood in rows along the sidewalks. Harvesting was in full drive, and the town was filled with nomads from the south, men who had worked their way north following the isthermal line of ripening wheat.

Farmers had driven in for provisions, and their hands had come with them for an evening's outing. The streets swarmed with rough, lawless characters. Few women ventured abroad, but bands of yelling boys, feeling the unstable equilibrium of the atmosphere, fought or played up and down before the saloons which were crowded to the door.

The better class of farmers hitched up and drove away before nine o'clock, gathering together as many of their hands as possible, but others remained to see the fun, which everyone felt to be coming.

It was reported that the "Wapsey gang" was in town. The Swedes from Rock Run were also well represented down at Ole's "Hole in the Wall." The Vesey boys and Steve Nagle had been seen, and last and most important, Bill O'Shea, "the Wapsey Tiger," was down at the red saloon.

Bill was brother to the deputy sheriff, who had been in his day the most feared of all the Wapsey gang. He it was who used to terrorize the constable and make men like Steve Nagle quail when, on his infrequent sprees, he took offense at the sound of their voices. He dominated the gang and ruled as if with naked sword in hand.

By the advice of Dr. Carver, Jim O'Shea had been made constable of the town. The doctor had quoted with great effect the experience of Boston in making the famous crook, Tukey, marshal, in the days when thugs ran the city in their own way. From being constable, Jim came naturally to be the deputy sheriff of the county. He had given up drink entirely.

Bill, also from the Wapsey prairie, was quiet enough ordinarily, but when in liquor was ferocious as a panther. At such times no one dared to oppose him nor lay hands upon him, that is, no one but his brother, the deputy. Every law-abiding citizen regretted the infrequent visits of the Wapsey Tiger.

Constable Ranney, a tall, mild-mannered man, grew more and more nervous as the night drew on and reports came in about Bill. He kept sedulously out of sight after eight o'clock; in fact, he went to the mayor's office for comfort and reinforcement. He made a feeble effort to cover his flight by saying to several of the uneasy citizens on the street:

"If I'm wanted, I'll be at the mayor's office. I'm going up to consult him."

This deceived no one. Every man and boy in Rock River knew Ranney was afraid of Steve Nagle, to say nothing of O'Shea. They shouted cat calls at him as he went along the street, but they could not blame him very much. There was a sort of horse sense in keeping out of the Tiger's way.

The matter was being discussed in the mayor's office. Ridings was there, and Judge Brown, and two or three others. Foster, of the Saturday Morning Call, took a humorous view of the matter, the others did not. Foster quoted a line or two while sharpening a pencil.

"Now, 'whether Roderigo killed Cassio, or Cassio Roderigo, all makes my gain,' I'm getting news."

"We may pull through all right yet," said the mayor, a small man of a scholarly turn of mind, not fitted to cope with such crises.

"Depends on how soon Bill gets whisky enough to put 'im to sleep," said Ridings, one of the council men.

A wild volley of whoops arose on the street. Ranney turned pale, the mayor started up in his chair, Ridings set his lips grimly.

"The fun begins," said Foster. "Ranney, why ain't you out there on the street? You'll miss something."

Ranney gave up all pretense. "I can hear just as well a little further off."

Judge Brown cleared his mouth of tobacco.

"Mr. Constable, we who are peaceable and not of powerful physical organization hire you to fight our battles for us. Mr. Mayor, order the constable to the scene of carnage."

The mayor smiled faintly. "Mr. Constable, you know your duty."

"All too well," said Foster.

Another series of whoops arose, maniacal laughter and then a single wild voice in a sort of chant.

They all were at the corner and looked out. Up the street, clearly outlined in the brilliant light of the moon, came the Tiger. He walked with a curious action as if his legs were made of steel springs. His bare feet glistened, his head was flung back in a wild gesture. He was Red Brian defying the English battle line on Balley Moor.

"Come out, ye sons o' dogs, ye all, ye white-livered whelps. Come to me arrums, come, smell o' me fist." He leaped in the air. "Come down out o' that," he snarled as he caught sight of the men in the mayor's office.

The heads disappeared, and the crowd on the street laughed, and the Tiger kept on waving his fist. "I can whip the worruld."

"Constable, arrest that man," commanded the mayor.

"I can't do it, y'r honor," said Ranney, in deep distress.

Ridings broke out: "Things have come to a narrow lane, if we can't control the streets of our own town. If our constable can't or won't do his duty—"

Ranney, nearly sobbing in his shame and fear, dragged the star off his coat, and extended it to the mayor.

"Take back the office, I don't want it. I didn't go into this thing to arrest grizzly bears nor crazy maniacs, for three dollars a day. It's all very well for you fellows to sit here and order me to go and arrest that infernal devil; go do it yourself."

He flung the star on the floor and walked toward the back stairway: "I'm going home."

Foster dryly remarked: "There's a certain degree of justice in what Mr. Ranney says. There are too many commanding officers here and too few active warriors. There's just one man in this country who can arrest Bill O'Shea."

"You mean Jim?"

"Yes, of course."

"Jim's in Cedarville."

"Then telegraph him."

"I telegraphed him an hour ago," said the judge. "I knew we were in for trouble. He ought to be here soon if he started at once."

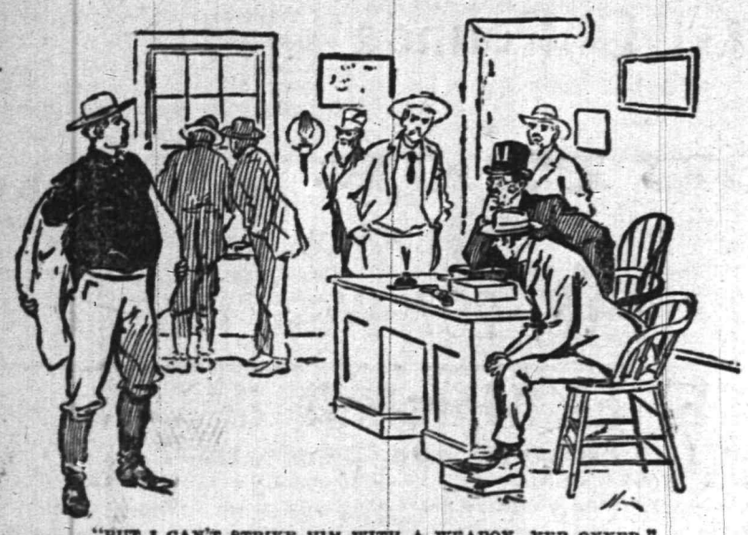
The mayor sighed with relief. "Well, there's nothing to do but wait."

They looked out of the window at every fresh burst of noise. The Tiger still paraded up and down, leaping into the air occasionally with a shrill "Wherroo!" He had the weight of a lion and the activity of a leopard. He was transformed from a slouchy, quietly humorous farmer into a demon. Everybody gave way before him, behind him followed a howling mob of admiring friends. Silence came only when he led the way into some saloon.

The better citizens kept dropping in at the mayor's office to ask why that man was not arrested. The mayor cooled each one off by saying: "I'll deputize you to arrest him, if you wish."

While they sat waiting they heard the sound of hurry out in the street, then a word of command that brought them to a halt.

"Here comes Jim!"



"BUT I CAN'T STRIKE HIM WITH A WEAPON, YER ONNER."

Quick, powerful steps were heard on the stairway, and Jim came in. He was of moderate height, but the girth of his chest was enormous. His face was dark and handsome. His eyes had something placid and sorrowful in them. His drooping mustache concealed his mouth. Altogether he was a fine Irish type.

"Where is he?" he asked.

"In the red saloon, just now."

"Is he wild, boys?" Jim asked in a hesitating way.

They felt no inclination to laugh.

"He is plumb crazy."

Jim gave a groan of sorrow and dismay.

"Murtherin' divils! What a task I have." He took out his big clasp knife and laid it down.

"There's a gang with him, too;" said Ridings.

"I don't moind that, it's Billy, poor divil." He laid aside his revolver and took off his coat.

"It'll be desprit, boys," he said with a sad quiver in his voice. "I can't shoot him, yer anner. It's me duty to arrest him, an' I will, but it's loike embracin' a lion to take Billy when he's dhrunk. He'll kill me if he can, if he's crazy, but I can't stroike him with a weapon, yer anner."

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